



## PARKLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Office Hours: Tuesday 8am – 2pm, Wednesday 8am to 2pm, Thursday 8am – 12pm

### Important Dates

<b>June 2,3,4</b>	Gwillam Lake Field Trip
<b>June 3</b>	PAC Meeting (6:30pm)
<b>June 5</b>	K/1 Gymnastics Field Trip 4/5/6/7 Swim / Lunch Field Trip
<b>June 6</b>	No School (Non-Instructional Day)
<b>June 12</b>	K/1 Gymnastics Field Trip
<b>June 13</b>	Grade 7 Grad Tea (12:15pm)
<b>June 13</b>	Carnival (5-7pm)
<b>June 17</b>	Ag Safety Day
<b>June 18</b>	Metis Bev
<b>June 19</b>	K/1 Gymnastics Field Trip
<b>June 20</b>	Year End Assembly (12:15pm)
<b>June 23</b>	Free Hot Lunch Day
<b>June 24</b>	1/2/3 Swim Field Trip (if they earn it!)
<b>June 26</b>	Last Day of School
<b>June 27</b>	No School (Non-Instructional Day)
<b>July 3</b>	Last Day To Pick Up Report Cards

\*School is Closed Starting July 4 for Summer Break\*

### Bell Schedule

<b>7:50 am</b>	Buses Have Arrived & Morning Supervision Starts
<b>8:14 am</b>	Warning Bell
<b>8:19 am</b>	Start of the Day
<b>9:45 am – 10 am</b>	Recess Break
<b>11:30 am – 12 pm</b>	Lunch Break
<b>1:57 pm</b>	Dismissal

### New Bell Schedule – In Effect Sept 2025

<b>7:50 am</b>	Buses Have Arrived & Morning Supervision Starts
<b>8:00 am</b>	Warning Bell
<b>8:05 am</b>	Start of the Day
<b>9:45 – 10 am</b>	Recess Break
<b>11:20 – 11:50 am</b>	Lunch Break
<b>1:45 pm</b>	Dismissal

In September 2025, there will be a new schedule in effect for the upcoming school year. Students will still arrive to school at 7:50am, but the first bell will ring at 8:00am, instead of 8:14am, shortening the time spent outside before class begins. **If you are dropping your child(ren) off at school, please ensure they arrive between 7:50 and 8:00am.** Students will be dismissed from school 12 minutes earlier, at 1:45pm instead of 1:57pm. **Expect your child(ren) off the bus approximately 10 minutes earlier in the afternoon than previous.** If you are picking your child up at the end of the day, please arrive prior to 1:45pm.

### Thank You Butcher Block (Lawrence Meats) For Your Generous Donation!

The Butcher Block has donated all the meat needed to feed students for the upcoming Gwillam Lake Field Trip – wow! Thank you so much for supporting our students, we appreciate this substantial contribution for the 4/5/6/7 class trip to Gwillam Lake trip.

### Grade 7 Graduation Tea – June 13th

The Grade 7 Graduation Tea, for graduates and their families, begins at 12:15pm on June 13<sup>th</sup> in the Parkland gym.  
Congratulations, Parkland Class of 2025!

### Year End Carnival – June 13<sup>th</sup> – 5 to 7pm

The whole community is invited to come to Parkland School and partake in our Carnival! Fun games & prizes: dunk tank, chicken bingo, and much more! There will be a concession selling pizza, chips & drinks.  
We need a lot of volunteers to make this event possible – let Mrs. Mikkelson know if you are able to help!

### Year End Assembly – June 20<sup>th</sup> – 12:15pm

Parkland families & friends are invited to attend our year end assembly, where student awards will be presented to this year's recipients. It will begin at 12:15pm in the Parkland School gym.  
If you are taking your child home with you after the assembly, please let their teacher or the secretary know prior to leaving.

### Agriculture Safety Day – June 17<sup>th</sup>

Joined by Deveraux & McLeod, students will participate in presentations regarding farming safety. Ovintiv is providing a BBQ hamburger lunch for all students on this day.

### **Free Hot Lunch Day – Monday June 23**

On Monday, June 23 we are offering free hot lunch to all students – their choice of lasagna & garlic bread, or spaghetti & garlic bread, and a drink (chocolate milk, white milk, or a juice box).

Please email ([kmikkelson@sd59.bc.ca](mailto:kmikkelson@sd59.bc.ca)) or call (250-843-7777) Mrs. Mikkelson if your child(ren) would like to receive lunch on this day, with their choice of meal/drink.

### **Bus Notes**

If your child is not riding the bus home:

Send a note with your child, or  
Call the school (leave a message), or  
Email the school ([parkland@sd59.bc.ca](mailto:parkland@sd59.bc.ca)), or  
Call the bus garage (250-782-2106).

Please let us know if anyone other than a parent is picking up your child.

**Students will be sent home on their regular bus** if we / the bus garage have not been notified.

### **Parkland PAC News**

Please join us at the next PAC Meeting on Tuesday June 3rd @ 6:30pm at the school! No commitment required. Drop in and say hi to our friendly PAC members & volunteers.

## June

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Gwillam Field Trip	3 <i>Chopped Leaf</i> PAC Meeting 6:30 Gwillam Field Trip	4 Gwillam Field Trip	5 4/5/6/7 Swim K/1 Gymnastics	6 No School
9	10 <i>Panago</i>	11	12 K/1 Gymnastics	13 <i>Hot Dogs</i> Grade 7 Grad Tea Carnival Night!
16	17 Ag Safety Day Free Lunch for all Students	18 Metis Bev	19 K/1 Gymnastics	20 <i>Hot Dogs</i> Year End Assembly (Student Awards)
23 <i>Free Lunch for all Students (Lasagna or Spaghetti)</i>	24 **No Hot Lunch 1/2/3 Swim (maybe)	25	26 Last Day of School!	27 No School
30	July 1	July 2	July 3 Last Day To Pick Up Report Cards	July 4 The School's Closed For Summer!