

March  
2022

**MARCH** School-Wide  
Dates to Remember:

2—Earthquake Drill—10:00  
am

7—PAC Meeting via Zoom  
6:00 pm

10—Jump Rope for Heart  
Pillow Challenge

12—27—Spring Break  
school closed

28—First day of school  
after Spring Break

**APRIL** School-Wide Dates  
to Remember:

4—PAC Meeting via Zoom  
6:00 pm

14—Rotary Easter Turkey  
Lunch

15—Good Friday school  
closed

18—Easter Monday school  
closed

20—Bottle Drop-Off

**R.O.C.K.S.**

**Recognition**

Our PAC for your  
amazing generosity  
and time—thank you  
for supporting our  
school community!



# The Bayview Bulletin

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## Principal's Message

It is hard to believe that February is over and Spring Break is almost upon us. Our focus with the Nasaika Kumtuks transition to Bayview continues to be our schools vision 'A Community Paddling Together— Safety, Belonging and Learning for all.' Staff and students have been so kind, welcoming and helpful. We recognize that as children connect and build a sense of belonging their learning grows as well! It is great to see those connections! Over the next few weeks leading up to the break, we will be to working to support student learning and get us ready for the break.

Every year, Bayview is actively involved in supporting the Heart and Stroke Foundation through our participation in Jump Rope for Heart. I am excited about the opportunity to offer my support this year and get 'flour, ketchup, mustard, in the face' for the cause. Thanks to our organizer, Aileen Tuck, and to our kids and community for giving so generously to Jump Rope for Heart 2022! We have extended the date to donate to Friday, March 4th. Please go to [https://secure-support.heartandstroke.ca/site/TR/Jump2022/Jump2022?px=2569922&pg=personal&fr\\_id=7760](https://secure-support.heartandstroke.ca/site/TR/Jump2022/Jump2022?px=2569922&pg=personal&fr_id=7760) to donate. Thank you.

Hay ch qa, Ms. Stephens, Principal

**School Supplies Fees: OVERDUE** A reminder that if you have not yet paid the school supplies fee of \$40.00/student, please contact Mrs. Lennox in the office or go to <https://nlps.schoolscashonline.com> to pay on-line.



## Student Learning Survey 2021/2022

The Provincial Student Learning Survey is unique in its scope, size and usefulness to schools. It gathers information from parents/guardians/caregivers, teachers and students on topics related to school environment, safety, and achievement. The information is used for planning in individual schools and provides a district and provincial perspective.

Early in **2022** the Student Learning Survey will be administered to students in grades 4 & 7, their parents/guardians/caregivers, and all school staff. We encourage parents/guardians/caregivers to participate in this survey, as the results are important in identifying and celebrating current strengths, as well as determining where the school needs to focus improvement. The surveys contain standard questions for the Province – in addition, questions from the school and/or district that focus on local conditions or issues may be included.

The survey can be completed electronically and can be accessed on the Internet at [http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat\\_survey](http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat_survey). Any computer with an Internet connection can be used, and access to the e-survey is simple and secure. The survey can be accessed through the link with or without an anonymous logon code by selecting the school district and school name where your child attends school. Provincial, District and School Reports for previous years can be viewed at the same site under the *Results* section.

The e-survey site will be open until April 30<sup>th</sup>.

If you have any questions, please contact the school at (250)754-3231.

## READING

**What should I do when my child reads a word wrong?** This depends on the purpose. If you're reading together for enjoyment, gently and quickly correct and move on. If you are working on reading skills, make it clear that you want to help your child with their reading skills.

- If your child misses a word, ask him/her to slow down and pay attention to all the letters/sounds in that word. We want kids to read ACCURATELY.
- If your child misreads a word, wait until the end of a sentence to see if he/she realizes what they've read makes sense.
- Help your child figure out the word by sounding it out together.

For more information, visit <https://www.readingrockets.org/reading-sos-with-experts> to watch reading experts talk about how to help your child with their reading at home.

# Bayview Elementary Easter Fundraiser

Proceeds support Grade 7's Grad Hoodie fund

Fundraiser runs from February 9 to March 28.

Visit: <https://fundraising.purdys.com/1220614-93595>



CANADA'S CHOCOLATIER SINCE 1907

## Can you help us reach our fundraising goals?

We get 25% back in fundraising profits from every sale—  
and you get chocolates crafted in Canada with  
premium-quality ingredients and 100% sustainable cocoa.

Thank you for your support!



### FREE Glee Club Class

Little Jammerz will be running a free online Glee Club Class for students that love to sing and perform in Grades 1-5

Students will learn to sing & perform pop songs with cool dance moves.

We focus on pitch, breathing, and performing techniques

The class will be taught live online using Zoom. To Sign up please go to [littlejammerz.com/mar31](https://littlejammerz.com/mar31) or scan the qr code at the bottom with your phone

DATE: Thursday March 31st, 2022  
TIME: 5PM-5:30PM

To Sign Up: Go Online to  
[LittleJammerz.com/mar31](https://LittleJammerz.com/mar31)

or

Scan This QR Code below to open link:



For any questions please contact: [info@littlejammerz.com](mailto:info@littlejammerz.com)

## ALL KIDS

## GO TO SCHOOL



An Information Evening  
for Parents of 2022-23  
Kindergarten Students  
with Diverse Abilities &  
Disabilities.



#### WHEN

Tuesday, April 5, 2022  
6:00pm to 7:30 pm

#### WHERE

Join Zoom Meeting

#### WHO SHOULD COME

Parents of next year's  
Kindergarten students with  
Diverse Abilities & Disabilities.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88158579122>

Meeting ID: 881 5857 9122

Members of the Nanaimo-Ladysmith Public Schools Department of Learning Services team share information about the kindergarten program, and the support and services available for students with additional needs. Families who wish to meet privately to discuss their child's specific needs can make an appointment by calling 250-741-5233.

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Have a wonderful Spring Break!!

