

THE MACNEILL WEEKLY

PARENT EDITION

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In Person Community Events for Parents & Caregivers

Location: MacNeill Secondary School (library),
6611 No 4 Rd, Richmond

Date: Thursday, May 8, 2025

Time: 6:30 – 8:00 PM

Now What? A beginning conversation to support families when our kids begin experimenting with substances

Learning that our kids are using substances can be scary. Our fears about substance use can affect how we react. This is a beginning conversation to help parents self-reflect on how they show up to talk to their kids about their substance use.

Join us while Victoria Keddis hosts a conversation with Douglas Hardie, Registered Clinical Counsellor and Program Coordinator of Island Health's Child, Youth and Family Mental Health and Substance Use Programs.

This video presentation will be followed by a facilitated discussion by the Family Peer Support Workers in Richmond.

Cost: Free

Register at: familysmart.ca/events

Questions? Email: sandie.rai@familysmart.ca or phone/text: 604-607-9570



DATES TO REMEMBER

- MAY. 14 • PAC MEETING – AGM MEETING
- MAY. 15 • GRADE 7 WELCOME DAY
- MAY. 16 • PRO-D DAY (STUDENTS NOT IN ATTENDANCE)
- MAY. 19 • VICTORIA DAY (SCHOOL IS CLOSED)
- MAY. 20 • COLLABORATION DAY
- MAY. 23 • **ACADEMIC ALERTS**



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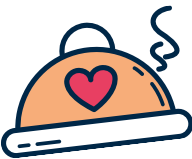
GRADE 7 WELCOME DAY MAY 15 THURSDAY

We have been in contact with all our feeder elementary schools and will work with them to confirm who is attending from these schools.

This event is only for students who are attending MacNeill Secondary next school year. Lists of students confirmed have been shared with our feeder schools (Anderson, Tomsett, Talmey & Cook).

Students from our non-feeder elementary schools who are attending MacNeill have been invited as well but are required to confirm your attendance by responding through the form in the email.

Please complete the short survey by Thursday, May 1 to confirm your child's attendance at MacNeill Secondary School's Grade 7 Welcome Day (all invites have been sent out April 24th)



CAFETERIA MENU

- Sesame Ginger Chicken Bowl • Monday
- Bacon Cheese Burger & Fries • Tuesday
- Spaghetti & Meatballs + Garlic Toast • Wednesday
- Chicken Burger & Fries • Thursday
- Mac & Cheese + Garlic Toast • Friday



Richmond Continuing Education has announced their May registration dates for this year.

- Gr 12 courses will open for registration at 7pm on May 5th (on line)
- Gr 11 courses will open at 7 pm on May 6th
- Gr 10 courses will open at 7pm on May 7th

You'll want to soon up as soon as possible once the registration time opens. Courses fill up quickly!!!

Remember: You will need your PEN number to register for courses. You can find this on your report card, on MyEd.

All students who have signed up for a summer school course at Richmond Continuing Education, Richmond Virtual School or an out-of-district Summer School, must let their counsellor know what course they've signed up for.