

Upper Lynn e-News

May 26, 2024

Important Dates & Reminders for the Week of May 27 to May 31, 2024

Monday 27	Tuesday 28	Wednesday 29	Thursday 30	Friday 31
<p>Primary Days of Music</p> <p>Hot Lunch Well Fed</p> <p>Presentation Uzume Taiko Drumming</p>	<p>Primary Days of Music</p> <p>Presentation Safer Spaces Gr. 6</p>	<p>Primary Days of Music</p> <p>Immunizations</p>		<p>Fun Day</p> <p>Hot Lunch Magic Lunch Box</p> <p>Presentation Hip Hop</p>

Upcoming Dates

- Monday May 27 – Primary Days of Music Begins
- Monday May 27 Hot Lunch – Well Fed
- Monday May 27 – Uzume Taiko Drumming: 1:00
- Tuesday May 28 – Safer Space Presentation; Grade 6
- Wednesday May 29 – Immunizations
- Friday May 31 - Hot Lunch – Magic Lunch Box
- Friday May 31 – Fun Day
- June – Pride Month
- June – National Indigenous History Month
- June 3 to 7 – Walk and Roll Week
- Monday June 3 – Hot Lunch – Pizza
- Monday June 3 – Math Fair
- Tuesday June 4 – Swangard
- Wednesday June 5 – Grade 7 Ambleside

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NVSD Track and Field Finals at Swangard

The NVSD Track and Field finals at Swangard are just over a week away! Athletes who have qualified for the big meet are expected to arrive at the stadium for an 8:15 AM check-in, followed by the opening ceremony at 8:30 AM.

If you have any questions, please reach out to Mrs. Turcato at aturcato@sd44.ca or Mr. MacLeod at tmacleod@sd44.ca.

Exciting News: This Friday is Fun Day!

We're hoping for clear skies as we gear up for a fantastic day. This year's theme is "Blast from the Past," so students are encouraged to come dressed in their best retro outfits.

Important Reminders:

- **Dress Smart:** While we want everyone to embrace the retro theme, please ensure that outfits allow for easy movement as there will be numerous physical activities throughout the day.
- **Stay Sun-Safe:** Regardless of the weather, students should wear a hat and apply sunscreen to protect themselves from UV rays.
- **Food and Drink:** Make sure you have lots of food for energy and water for hydration!

Let's make this Fun Day a memorable one!

Walk and Roll to School – One Week Away!

We're thrilled to announce that we're hosting the Roll and Walk to School event again this year from June 3rd to 7th. Our school has joined HUB's Bike to School event, and we're excited to participate!

It's the perfect time to dust off your bikes, ensure they're in good working order, and check that helmets still fit properly. The excitement is building for the Roll and Walk to School event! There will be spot prizes up for grabs, and the division with the highest participation rate will win a delicious prize to enjoy together!

Students will be able to store their "wheels" in the MPR. Please allow some extra time to get the "wheels" stored and into their class line to enter the building at the first bell.

Lost and Found – Monday is The Last Day

Great news! Our lost and found collection has reduced in size over the past week. We will display the remaining items for one more day before donating to a worthy cause. For a visual reference, please visit our [school's webpage](#).



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It's Raining!

Please remember to send your children dressed appropriately for wet weather. Waterproof jackets, boots, and umbrellas are essential to keep them dry and comfortable throughout the school day. Thank you for helping us ensure that our students stay dry and healthy!

Parking in The Staff Lot

Please refrain from parking or dropping off in the staff parking lot unless you have a vehicle with an Accessible Parking hanger or decal, or you have made prior arrangements with the office. We have had a few incidents of cars being hit in our parking lot this year. Due to the large number of staff and limited parking spaces, our lot is very tight. With the nicer weather, please consider parking a few blocks away and walking to the school.

PAC News

Carnival

Save the date! The Upper Lynn Elementary Annual Carnival is back again on Friday, June 7th, 2024 from 5:00pm - 8:00pm.

We will have games, rides, ponies, airbrush tattoos and more! Back by popular demand, the LV Lions BBQ and Lil Ootie's Mini Donut truck will be on site for food & treats.

As always, we do need wonderful parent volunteers to run stations, help with snacks and to make lighter work for set up/takedown. Sign up on your own or with a friend! We appreciate everyone's support of this fun community event. We had great feedback from the LV Lions last year who said we were the most supportive PAC and really fun to work with! Let's wow them again.

Please click [here](https://bit.ly/4bJexbt) to volunteer. (<https://bit.ly/4bJexbt>)

If you would like to sponsor a ride/game or have a tent we can borrow for the evening, please email madibarbour@gmail.com.

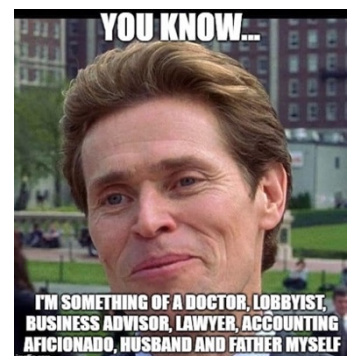
Please consider this your TWO weeks' notice:

Incase you haven't heard there are some gaps on the PAC that need to be filled if our community would like all the things to continue in 2024/25 (hotlunch, carnival, silent auction, after school programs, parent social, spirit wear, extra funds for classroom supplies, fish tanks, projectors, laptop carts, iPads, new playground equipment, earthquake supplies etc etc).

We have 12 business days to find some new faces. JUNE 11 is the deadline. If your kiddo benefits from ANY of these things please consider contacting emma at upperlynnpac@gmail.com and offering some of your time - even if it's an hour a week

(Essential roles include PAC Chair/co-chair - the pac cannot exist without these roles filled.

Also: Co-secretary, co-treasurer, DPAC, Traffic and Safety, and communications roles that can easily be shared (newsletter/website/FB posts)



Reminders

2024-2025 Class Placement

For those parents/guardians who feel the strong need to provide additional information describing learning style and/or emotional and social needs of your child: please complete the Placement Form **ONLY** if you have information that the current teacher and/or principal do not have and should consider when placing your child. An accompanying letter is not necessary and will not be accepted. Please email the placement form to Mr. MacLeod at tmacleod@sd44.ca **no later than May 29th, 2024**. Please visit the following link to find out more information: <https://bit.ly/3yoHqLK>.

Tim MacLeod
Principal

Lise Grendel
Vice-Principal