

École Red Bluff/ Lhtako Elementary June 2025 Newsletter

Dahooja Parents/Guardians,

We are in the last month of school and wrapping up with many activities, field trips and performances! Please check out all the events coming up on our website!

RED BLUFF WEBSITE: https://redbluff.sd28.bc.ca/

QJS Orientation

QJS is happy to invite all grade 7 students to our Spring Orientation 1/2 Day, Tuesday, June 24th, 8:25 – 12:00.

How do I get to school?

Families can drive and drop off students or students will take the bus to QJS in the morning in preparation for next year. Families can work with the bus garage to arrange plans to take the school bus to QJS in the morning and we will deliver them back to Ecole Red Bluff Lhtako.

Return to Elementary Schools

QJS has made arrangements with the bus garage and they will return your students back to ÉRBL, leaving QJS at 12:00pm. They will have lunch back at the school.

What do they need to bring? Just themselves!! QJS will look after all the details including access to breakfast club upon arrival and a mid morning snack.

QJS New Parent Information and Q&A Evening Monday, June 23, 6:15 – 7:30 at the QJS Learning Stairs (inside the main foyer) 950 Mountain Ash Rd Quesnel, B.C V2J 3V7 (250) 747– 2103 CHANGING WEATHER!! Students are reminded to dress for the changing weather. As the days become warmer and there is a chance of inclement weather, it is important for students to have appropriate clothing; rain coat, gloves and a hat.

Reminder to please apply SUNBLOCK





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8 YR OLD GIRLS ZARIA, GTH PLACE - NAOMI, STH PLACE - LENA, 4TH PLACE 8 YR OLD BOYS LANDON, 2ND PLACE 9 YR OLD GIRLS CADENCE, 4TH PLACE - EVIE, 3RD PLACE, LILY M. 1ST PLACE! 9 YR OLD BOYS RIAKE I. 300 PLACE

10 YR OLD GIRLS YUKI, 2ND PLACE 10 YR OLD BOYS LUCAS C., 4TH PLACE 11 YR OLD BOYS ELL, 2ND PLACE 12 YR OLD GIRLS

3RD PLACE

WELL DONE TO ALL OUR RUNNERS! We are so proud of your dedication and perseverance!

CHECK OUT ALL THE PHOTOS: https://redbluff.sd28.bc.ca/news/10-milelake-run-results

MEMORIAL WALK

On May 27, 2025, the students and staff of ÉRBL gathered to observe the anniversary of the discovery of 215 unmarked graves at the Kamloops Indian Residential School site. In May 2021, the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc Nation announced the discovery of 215 unmarked graves at the site of the former Kamloops Indian Residential School. Ms. Geraldine William led our students through songs alongside our student drummers. Ms. William was then joined by students and staff for a memorial walk throughout the school grounds.

Observing a day of remembrance honours the survivors and acknowledges the suffering endured. It serves as a collective commitment to understanding this dark chapter in Canadian history, fostering healing, and ensuring such atrocities are never repeated. This day underscores the importance of reconciliation and the role that school plays.

Check out all the pictures here: <u>https://redbluff.sd28.bc.ca/news/memorial-walk-assembly</u>



Exciting News for the ÉRBL Community!

We're thrilled to share that École Red Bluff Lhtako will be undergoing an exterior upgrade beginning next week!

This exciting renovation will not only enhance the aesthetics of our school building, but will also bring several functional improvements, including:

- · Increased insulation for better energy efficiency
- · Updated entryways to improve accessibility and appearance
- · Upgraded walking paths for safety and ease of access

The project is expected to continue into the fall, and during this time, you will notice construction crews on site. Please rest assured that all safety measures will be in place to ensure the security of students, staff, and visitors.

The exterior design will follow the same beautiful and modern redesign you may have seen at Dragon Lake Elementary, Lakeview Elementary, and Bouchie Lake Elementary. We're excited to bring this fresh new look to our school community!

We appreciate your understanding and support as we make these important improvements. We can't wait to see the transformation and share it with all of you!

Warm regards, ÉRBL





Dear Parents:

The French Immersion Kindergarten students and I would like to invite you and your child for a visit on Monday, June 2nd 2025 from 11:00am to 12:00pm.

Here is our plan:

1. The students will take you and your child on a school tour.

- 2. We will provide a little snack to children.
- 3. I will read a little story to the whole class.
- 4. We will have some toys and activities available.
- 5. We will have draws for 3 lunch boxes.
- 6. Your child will receive a Welcome to Kindergarten bag with books, magnetic numbers and letters, art supplies and playdough.

I am sorry but this will be our only possible event for a Welcome to Kindergarten as we have multiple special days and field trips in June.

Please RSVP as soon as possible at 250-747-2634 so students and I can plan ahead of schedule. This is a special event for children beginning school in September. We would appreciate keeping younger siblings home.



250-747-2634

Mme. Suzie and Kindergarten Students

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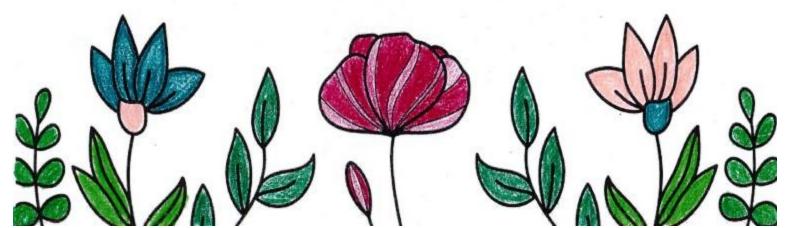


ERBL PAC SPRING FUN FAIR!

Friday, May 30th - 6:00pm - 8:00pm Entry is by donation of one⁺perishable food item. Every child will receive 5 free game tickets on entry. Additional tickets will cost 50¢ each or \$5 for 12. Pizza orders can be picked up at concession.

Concession will also be selling pizza-by-the-slice, popcorn and drinks.

THIS EVENT IS CASH ONLY



Important Upcoming Dates

- June 2 Welcome to French K 11am
- June 2 Welcome to English K 3pm
- June 4 Lakeview Fun Run
- June 6 NI Day
- June 11 QJS is here for Gr 7s 9am
- June 19 Grade 7 Dance 12pm
- June 20 ÉRBL National Indigenous Peoples Day
- June 20 Gr 7 Field Trip
- June 23 Minute to Win It 10:45am
- June 23 French Immersion Awards
- June 24 Gr 7s @ QJS
- June 25 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!!
- June 26 SUMMER BREAK!!

Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration from 2025/2026 school year has officially begun. Please come into the school of your catchment and bring two pieces of ID for the student (Birth Certificate & care Card) as well as proof of residence. If you have any questions of concerns, please contact the office at 250-747-2634 we are happy to help!

Absence Reporting

Gentle reminder to please call, email or sure the website Absence Reporting tool on the website to report your child's absence.

Health & Wellness

Reminder to parents/guardians to please do a health check of your student before sending them to school if they are feeling unwell/ Please stay home to rest and get better before returning.

<u>Transportation</u>

Please ensure students have their bus passes ready when they are getting on the bus. If you require a replacement pass please call 250-992-8361 or email

transportation@sd28.bc.ca

Calendar Events

Reminder to please check out our website and bookmark it for regular updates to our school calendar. hhpts://redbluff.sd28.bc.ca/events/calendar

Student Supervision

Families are reminded that there is no student supervision before 7:55 am and no student supervision after 2:45 pm

SCHOOL HOURS

8:25 Warning Bell 8:30 School Starts 10:00 - 10:15 Recess 12:00 - 12:25 Intermediate students outside to play Primary students eating lunch 12:25 - 12:49 Primary students outside to play Intermediate students eating lunch 2:28 End of Day