

WEEK AT A GLANCE

LORD BYNG ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MAY 11TH - 15TH

Monday,
May 11th

Tuesday,
May 12th

Wednesday,
May 13th

Thursday,
May 14th

Friday,
May 15th

NON-
INSTRUCTIONAL
DAY
NO SCHOOL
FOR STUDENTS

Byng's Neon
party!
6-8pm



Byng's Neon party!



**Concession
Available!
Pizza
snacks
Treats**



**Toonie Toss!
Bring toonies
for a chance
to win
awesome
prizes!!!**

**LORD BYNG ELEMENTARY PAC IS EXCITED TO HOST THE
NEON DANCE PARTY! JOIN US FOR A FUN-FILLED EVENING
OF MUSIC, GLOWING VIBES AND COMMUNITY
CONNECTION.**

**PLEASE NOTE, ALL CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY
AN ADULT FOR THE DURATION OF THE EVENT. IF YOU ARE
UNABLE TO ATTEND, PLEASE ARRANGE FOR ANOTHER
ADULT TO SUPERVISE YOUR CHILD.**

FEEDING FUTURES – UNIVERSAL HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

AS YOU MAY HAVE ALREADY HEARD, THE RICHMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL BE OFFERING A UNIVERSAL HOT LUNCH PROGRAM AT OUR SCHOOL. THIS LUNCH WILL BE OFFERED AT NO COST TO ALL STUDENTS ONCE EACH MONTH FOR INTERESTED FAMILIES. OUR UNIVERSAL HOT LUNCH DATES ARE APRIL 13TH, MAY 4TH, AND JUNE 8TH. ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO CHARGE FOR THIS LUNCH, AN ORDER MUST BE PLACED IN ADVANCE FOR EACH STUDENT.

WE WILL BE USING THE MUNCHALUNCH ORDERING PLATFORM FOR THIS HOT LUNCH OPPORTUNITY (THE SAME PLATFORM WE USE FOR OUR PAC HOT LUNCH DAYS). IF YOUR FAMILY DOES NOT HAVE A MUNCHALUNCH ACCOUNT, YOU WILL NEED TO FIRST REGISTER YOUR CHILD(REN) AT THE FOLLOWING LINK:

[HTTPS://MUNCHALUNCH.COM/](https://munchalunch.com/)

CHOOSE: FIRST TIME USER

FIND MY SCHOOL: LORD BYNG

REGISTER AND NOTE YOUR USERNAME AND PASSWORD INFORMATION. THEN, CLOSE THIS WEBSITE LINK.

IF YOUR FAMILY ALREADY HAS A MUNCHALUNCH ACCOUNT, YOU WILL SEE THERE IS NOW AN ADDITIONAL OPTION TO SELECT “LORD BYNG ELEMENTARY – FEEDING FUTURES”



ALL DATES ARE NOW OPEN FOR ORDERING:
MONDAY, MAY 4TH (ORDER BY MONDAY, APRIL 27TH)
MONDAY, JUNE 8TH (ORDER BY MONDAY, JUNE 1ST)



WE ASK THAT EACH STUDENT ORDER A MAXIMUM OF ONE LUNCH FOR EACH DAY. SIZES ARE RECOMMENDED BASED ON GRADE LEVEL; HOWEVER, YOU CAN ALWAYS ORDER A LARGER SIZE IF PREFERRED. OPTIONS ARE AVAILABLE WITHIN THE MUNCHALUNCH PLATFORM FOR STUDENTS WHO REQUIRE VEGETARIAN, GLUTEN FREE, DAIRY FREE, OR HALAL LUNCHES AS WELL AS THOSE WHO HAVE FOOD ALLERGIES. ON THE HOT LUNCH DAYS, ORDERS WILL BE DELIVERED TO THE CLASSROOM.



Check the Byng website for loads of important information!

<https://byng.sd38.bc.ca/>

News

Dear Byng Bear Families,

I want to share that I will be transitioning to a new school, James Whiteside Elementary for next September, 2026. As I prepare for this next chapter, I've been reflecting on how meaningful my time here has been here at Byng. Working with your children, alongside our dedicated staff, and in partnership with such a supportive parent community has truly been a privilege.

This school has been a place where I've grown, learned, and felt incredibly welcomed from day one. Your warmth, collaboration, and commitment to our students have made this experience something I will always carry with me.

Although I'm moving on, I hope to continue seeing many of you around the community. Please don't hesitate to say hello—I would love to stay connected.

I know you will welcome your new principal, Mr. Scott Plumb, with the same warmth and kindness you so generously showed to me. I know he will feel just as supported and embraced by this wonderful community as I did.

Thank you for the trust, kindness, and partnership you've shown throughout my time here. It has meant more than I can express.

Warmly,
Ms Schulz



LORD BYNG ELEMENTARY PAC

PIZZA WEDNESDAYS & HOT LUNCH!!!

How to order...

All New Families must register a new account with Munchalunch:

- Go to <https://munchalunch.com/schools/LordByng>
- Click the "Register Here" button. The system will guide you through the process of adding children.
- After adding your child(ren) click the "Order Lunch" button to order. Next time, just click the "Login here" button to access your account.
- It is recommended you sign up to receive a reminder email the day before hot lunch is delivered.
- Returning families will just need to update their students' grade and division upon first signing in.



Please note:

The Hot Lunch days are as follows:

EVERY WEDNESDAY: Pizza Factory

April 17: Takeya Sushi (due Apr 9)

May 11: Subway (due May 3)

June 12: Fuel Catering (due June 4)

- **For Pizza Wednesdays:** Order must be placed and paid in full the **Sunday before that Wednesday**.
- **For Hot Lunches:** Orders must be placed and paid in full 9 days prior to the scheduled lunch date as per our vendor requirements. Unpaid orders will be canceled. **Make sure you follow the order all the way to the end to pay!** Munchalunch automatically cancels an order that hasn't been paid within 1 hour.
- Munchalunch charges us a per transaction fee, so if you are able to order and pay for multiple lunches in one transaction you will be saving the PAC transaction fees.
- If your child is absent on the lunch date, you are welcome to come and pick up the order by noon, but the food cannot be kept for the following day.
- Consistent with previous years, there are **NO REFUNDS**.

For any questions or issues ordering, please email lordbyngelementarypac@gmail.com, do not approach admin or staff.



Canadian Jewish Heritage Month is celebrated annually in May to recognize the profound contributions of Jewish Canadians to Canada's social, economic, political, and cultural fabric. It promotes education about Jewish history, traditions, and resilience, while combating antisemitism and highlighting the community's role in building an inclusive society.



MAY IS ASIAN HERITAGE MONTH

The theme for Asian Heritage Month 2026 is: "Honouring Asian Canadians: Stories that Built Canada". This theme recognizes the essential contributions Asian Canadians have made to Canada's social, cultural, and economic life across generations.



Looking Ahead.....

Thursday, May 14th @ 6-8pm ~ "Byng Neon Party"

**Friday, May 15th ~ Indigenous Learning Day ~
No School for Students**

Monday, May 18th ~ Victoria Day ~ No School

Wednesday, May 20th ~ Track Meet

**Friday, June 12th ~ Fun Day, Hot Lunch &
Dismissal @ 1:30pm**

**Thursday, June 25th ~ Last Day of School for
Students**

**Thursday, June 25th ~ Grade 7 Farewell @
9:00am**

