

Family WAAG

June 9, 2025 – June 13, 2025



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ATHLETICS

For information about Burnett Athletics and Teams, please see the link on our [website here](#).

CAREER CENTRE – POST SECONDARY PLANNING

Check out our career centre website for upcoming student presentations and important information related to post-secondary planning! [Click here!](#)

PAC

Families can contact Burnett's Parent Advisory Council at jnbpac.general@gmail.com.

School Counselling Services – Book an Appointment Online

You can now book an appointment with your school counsellor online! Click on the [Counselling Centre](#), and book your appointment. Please note, we no longer accept appointment requests via email.

2025-2026 KEY CALENDAR DATES

Please visit our website [HERE](#) to view key calendar dates for the 2025-2026 school year. More detailed bell schedules and calendar information will be shared prior to the start of the 2025 school year in September.

VALEDICTORY CEREMONY TICKETS

All families attending Burnett's Valedictory Ceremony on June 26 at the UBC Chan Centre received an email with instructions for how to purchase tickets.

NOTICE OF LATE RETURN 2025-2026

A Notice of Late Return form must be submitted for any student(s) who expects to return to their assigned school LATER THAN 12:00 PM on September 3, 2025 and ON or BEFORE September 10, 2025. Please [click here](#) for the form and return it to the school by **June 20, 2025**.

BURNETT HIGHLIGHTS THIS WEEK

*PAC Staff Appreciation Breakfast – We are thankful for a wonderful and delicious start to a Friday!

*Grade 8 Boys' Volleyball Team made it to the Richmond Finals

*Track and Field: Sohanna Kooner advanced to the Jr.Girls' 1500m Final at the BC High School Championships

GRAD DINNER DANCE & DRY AFTER GRAD

All families of students attending Dry After Grad and/or Grad Dinner Dance will receive information in an email today with specific details and instructions for the two graduation events on Friday, June 13. Please check your email for information regarding clothing drop-off, red carpet, busses, and more!

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Jun 13 Grad Dinner Dance
Jun 18 Awards Celebration (Gr 8-12) 6:00pm-7:00pm
Jun 19 Locker Clean Out
Jun 20 Last Day of Semester 2
Jun 23 Student Festival (Gr 8-12) 10am-Noon
Jun 23-26 Learning Completion Days
Jun 24 Valedictory Rehearsal & Grad BBQ
Jun 26 Valedictory Ceremony (UBC Chan Centre)
Jun 26 Summary of Learning Reports Published in MyEd

PHONE POLICY REMINDER

Please be reminded:

- Students should not use personal digital devices during instructional time, unless permission is granted by the supervising staff for educational purposes.
- When not permitted, personal digital devices should be powered off and secured inside a student's backpack, locker or secured location.
- [Policy 104-G \(A\): Acceptable Use of Personal Digital Devices](#)
- [Policy 105: District Code of Conduct](#)

SUMMER LEARNING 2025

The Richmond School District offers fun and engaging summer learning programs where you can explore new interests, learn new skills, review or preview academic courses, or complete a full credit course. Registration has started. [Click here](#) for the Summer learning catalogue.

STUDENTS VS. TEACHERS SCIENCE TRIVIA CHALLENGE!

Hey Breakers! Join us for the Students vs. Teachers Science Trivia Challenge on Wednesday, June 11 at lunch in the library, hosted by JNB Science Club and JNB Trivia. Come cheer on your classmates and enjoy the fun!

Burnett Learning Time (BLT)

Beginning in the 2025–2026 school year, all secondary schools in the Richmond School District will move PLT to the second period of the day. This adjustment will better support students in accessing the learning opportunities available during PLT. In addition, the amount of time allocated to PLT will be standardized across all secondary schools. These changes will promote greater consistency, equity, and alignment with expectations for instructional time under the BC School Act. Our staff is actively preparing for this change and will share more details with students and families before the end of the school year.

For the remainder of the school year, students should continue to engage with and manage their learning during early morning BLT by

- completing homework, reading, journaling, reflecting
- working on projects with classmates, receiving learning support in the learning centre, getting extra support from staff including counselling support



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Safety and Traffic Guidelines

We encourage students to walk or bike to school – there are significant health benefits to doing. Walking would also help to ensure the safety of our students and reduce traffic congestion during busy times. If families insist on driving, we kindly ask everyone to follow these important guidelines:

- **Right Turn Only:** During peak hours (8:15–8:45 AM and 2:45–3:15 PM), please remember that only right turns are allowed when exiting the school at both the south and west exits onto Granville.
- **No Roadside Drop-offs:** For the safety of all, please avoid dropping off children at the side of the road or on the median on Granville and McCallan.
- **Pick Up in the Parking Lot:** Please pick up your children in the parking lot instead of the drop-off lane to keep the flow of traffic moving.
- **Avoid Double Parking**
- **Encourage Walking or Biking:** If possible, encourage your children to walk or bike to school. It's a great way to promote independence and stay active.
- **Drop Off a Few Blocks Away:** Consider dropping your children off a short distance from the school to help ease parking lot congestion.
- **Leave a Few Minutes Early:** Giving yourself a little extra time can help you avoid the rush and make the drop-off process smoother.

We appreciate your support in helping us create a safe and efficient environment for all our students and families. Thank you for your cooperation!



SCHOOL COUNSELLING SERVICES

YOU TALK, WE LISTEN AND GUIDE YOU.

WHAT WE OFFER:

- EMOTIONAL SUPPORT
- ACADEMIC SUPPORT
- PSYCOEDUCATION
- PROGRAM PLANNING
- SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION



MAKE AN APPOINTMENT TODAY!

[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/JNBCOUNSELLING](https://tinyurl.com/jnbcounselling)



June is National Indigenous History Month

June is National Indigenous History Month in Canada, an opportunity to learn about the unique cultures, traditions and experiences of First Nations, Inuit and Métis. It's a time to honour the stories, achievements and resilience of Indigenous Peoples, who have lived on this land since time immemorial and whose presence continues to impact the evolving Canada.



National Indigenous History Month

#NIHM2025



All library books
are due by
Friday, June 13th



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DEADLINE ALERT



STILL ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS
FOR FALL 2025!

APPLICATION DEADLINE- JULY 1ST

Need help or want more information?

- Book a Virtual/Phone Appointment
- Come to a Drop-In Session

» study@kpu.ca
» 604 599 3030



