

Dear Queen Mary Families;

April 24, 2026

We are LOVING this warm spring weather! What a wonderful week for Earth Week!

A few reminders:

TODAY, April 24th is the deadline for the QM PAC Hanging Flower Basket Sale

- Fundraiser organized by QM PAC - Funds raised go towards programs and resources for students.
- Select from 10 beautiful varieties from Grootendorst's Flowerland Nursery. Orders will arrive just in time for Mother's Day!
- Order online and pay in [MunchaLunch](#)
- **PICK-UP baskets on Thursday, May 7th between 3:00 and 4:00 p.m.** (on the south lawn at West Keith Road).

Thank you for your support!

Family Photo Fundraiser!

When was the last time you wrangled the fam jam for a family photo? Here's your chance! Grab a *15-minute mini session* with Queen Mary parent and photographer Nirmal, on May 23, 24, 30 or 31 for *\$70 + tax*. Plus 2 digitals & 2 x 6/8 prints. You will get an updated family photos AND \$10 goes straight to the Grade 7 grads for their year-end celebration. Win-win!

LINK HERE to book your photo appointment! [Queen Mary Grad 7 Family Portrait Fundraiser](#)



QM PAC Contact Information: [QM PAC Facebook Page](#)

Join in on the QM PAC meeting this coming Monday, April 27th 7:00 p.m. Contact QM PAC for the ZOOM link.

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS! Monday May 4th is a District-wide Professional Day. Schools are not in session for students on this day.

Next week at Queen Mary:

Monday, April 27

- High Jump practice during the noon hour (Track & Field)
- Volleyball club after school for registered students

Tuesday, April 28 * Field Events Mini-meets for participating students 3:30 –5:00 p.m. Grade 6 & 7 at Capilano Elementary and Grade 4 & 5 at Westview

- Track and Field - running events practice at the Mahon Track 8:00 – 8:30 a.m.
- Div 11 – Champion's Martial Arts 9:00 - 11:30am

Wednesday, April 29

- Early Bird Choir Practice – 8:20-8:40am
- Long and Triple Jump practice during the noon hour (Track & Field)
- **Lights Up Theatre** after school program (for registered students)
- **JUST PLAY After School Sports (JUST PASS)** program for registered Kindergarten to Grade 2 students. Registration is still open: LINK HERE [Queen Mary After School Basketball Program 2026](#)

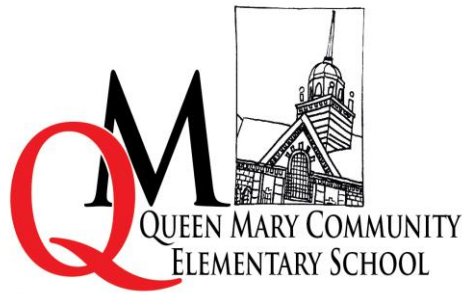
Thursday, April 30

- Track and Field: Running events practice at the Mahon Track 8:00 – 8:30 a.m.
- **FUN LUNCH** Day!
 - Use [Munchalunch \(online\)](#) to place orders. Order by Saturday (by 11:59 p.m.) for the following week. Questions? Contact: queemnarypac@gmail.com
 - *Fun Lunch donations welcomed* - select the option to donate at the bottom of the order form.
 - Interested in volunteering to help distribute these lunches? Sign up using this link: <https://signup.com/go/LdqeYMJ>
- **Red Fox** after-school program (for registered students)

Friday, May 1st

- Enjoy our month-end QM NEWSLETTER (emailed to families and posted to our QM Website)
- Shotput practice during the morning recess (Track & Field)
- **JUST PLAY After School Sports (JUST PASS)** program for **Grade 3-5 students**. Registration is still open: LINK HERE [Queen Mary After School Basketball Program 2026](#)
- **Farsi Program for Kids 3:00-5:00 p.m. in the ART ROOM**. After school program for registered students - Registration is still open – LINK HERE to register <https://bit.ly/FarsiAfterSchoolQueenMary262>

All upcoming school events can be found on our LIVE CALENDAR on the main page of our website.



NVSD INFO:

Cheakamus Open House May 3

Cheakamus Centre's Open House is scheduled for Sunday, May 3rd. Families with children currently in Grade 2 and 3 are encouraged to attend to learn more about the longhouse and Outdoor School programs. This is an excellent opportunity for parents and their children to the Cheakamus Centre! There will be organized program-orientation tours available through the day. This is a free community event and no registration is required.

LINK for more details : [Open House | Cheakamus Centre](#)

COMMUNITY INFO:

NSNH Community Newsletter

[LINK HERE](#) to access the North Shore Neighbourhood House Newsletter for April-May, highlighting current programs for all ages, and upcoming opportunities for family fun in our local community!

Have a fabulous weekend!

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