

Dear Queen Mary Families;

May 29, 2026

We just can't believe we are heading into June already!! What a wonderful year it has been!! We look forward to all the year-end celebratory events taking place in the weeks ahead!

We are working through the process of planning for the next school year. The following have now been posted to our school website for your reference (click on the title to link):

[Bell Schedule and Instructional Hours](#)

[School Fees](#)

[Calendar of Statutory Holidays, Professional Days and Early Dismissals](#)

Next week is **Bike To School Week**! With the emphasis on active travel to and from school, we encourage students to bike, roll, or walk to school each day to contribute to health and wellness in addition to having positive environmental, social, and safety benefits!

**Events for the week:**

- Bike, roll, or walk to school each day! Earn class points for doing this!
- FREE bike service/maintenance by [OBSESSION:BIKES](#)! Visit the service area set up on the blacktop by the gym between 8:15 and 8:45 on Wednesday and Friday mornings!
- BIKE RODEO – Friday morning 8:15 – 8:45 a.m. on the basketball court students can test their riding skills and on a course

\*Students can lock their bikes up on the bike racks located at the front of the school and on the Basketball court. If these fill up, then locking to the fence along the gravel field is fine too! Sorry, no bikes allowed in the school for storage.

[Bike to School Week | HUB Cycling: Bike Events, Education, Action in Metro Vancouver](#)

**Edge Imaging** (our school photographer) has now uploaded group photos online and digital downloads are now available for purchase. Access your digital download by visiting:

<https://geosnapshot.com/e/qyi-queen-mary-elementary-school-grad-group-50324/50324?source=event-eo-share>

Use this PASSWORD: **QYIV12026**

**Week Three of the KIND MIND program**

[The Kelty Foundation](#)

Thank you for making best effort to complete the weekly challenges in the booklets with your child/children.

Last reminder to take advantage of the related resources for parents on the Kelty Foundation Website

[Parent Resources | Empower & Support Parents — The Kelty Foundation](#)

## **Next week at Queen Mary: Bike, Scoot or Walk to School!**

### **Monday, June 1**

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

### **Tuesday, June 2**

- NVSD Track and Field Finals at Swangard Stadium for qualifying students

### **Wednesday, June 3 – RED SHIRT DAY - wear red to school to show support for Canadians living with disabilities.**

- 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 – final session)
- **JUST PLAY After School Sports (JUST PASS)** program for registered Kindergarten to Grade 5 students (Friday session will now take place on Wednesdays) [Registration still open: LINK HERE](#) and more info below

### **Thursday, June 4**

- Grade 1 field trip
- Safer Space workshops for students in Grades 4-7
- **FUN LUNCH** Day!
  - Use [Munchalunch \(online\)](#) to place orders. Order by Saturday (by 11:59 p.m.) for the following week. Questions? Contact: [queenmarypac@gmail.com](mailto:queenmarypac@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>

**QM PAC Contact Information:** [QM PAC Facebook Page](#) email: [queenmarypac@gmail.com](mailto:queenmarypac@gmail.com)

- **Red Fox** after-school program (for registered students)

### **Friday, June 5**

- Mr. Ching's Grade 6 class – Sailing field trip
- **Farsi Program for Kids** 3:00-5:00 p.m. in the ART ROOM. After school program for registered students.

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

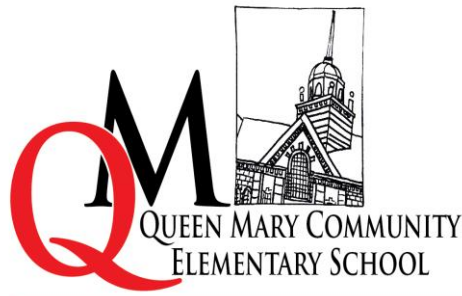
## **Community Information:**

**World Bicycle Day Family Bike Ride** – all families welcomed!

[REGISTER HERE](#)

Monday June 3<sup>rd</sup> starting at 5:30 p.m.

Starts at the QM Playground and ends at Mahon Water Park



## NSNH Community Newsletter

The [North Shore Neighbourhood House Newsletter](#) for May-June, includes current programs for all ages, and upcoming opportunities for family fun in our local community!

**SWIS workshops** for newcomer and immigrant families in your school community.

[Summer Activities for Children and Youth in North and West Vancouver](#) - June 3, 12:00 - 2:30pm. An in-person information session introducing summer camps, recreational programs, festivals, libraries, and local attractions available on the North Shore. Sessions will be offered in Mandarin and in English with Farsi interpretation.

[Funds & Grants for children's recreation and sport](#) - June 9, 10 - 11:30am. A workshop for parents and guardians to learn about funding opportunities and grants available for children's sports programs on the North Shore. This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

[Transition to Secondary School](#) - June 11, 4-5pm. A workshop for students, parents and guardians to gain general information about the secondary school system. This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

Have a fun weekend!

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