

Jun 4, 2025

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Principal's Message



Wow – I can't quite believe that June is already here! A lot of great things have happened around our school this year and it's been a great year overall. June looks to be pretty busy, so I know that it will continue to go fast. With the weeks filled with fun events and field trips, our last day will be here before we know it!



Our neighbourhood bear is back in action this Spring and has made a few visits to our school forest and fields. When we have a sighting, we keep everyone safe by having inside time and avoiding outside activities to give the animals lots of space. We also ensure that we are in contact with our conservation officers and district staff, and we let our parent community

and the Little Wonders Daycare know, too, as they are often here on the playground before and after school. Please keep an eye out if you are on school property and let us know of any wildlife encounters. If you see a bear, make yourself look big and make lots of noise as you back away slowly to safety. More information can be found here:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/plants-animals-ecosystems/wildlife/human-wildlife-conflict/staying-safe-around-wildlife/bears>



We have a lot of fun events and activities coming up – please read on for more information.



Staffing

Congratulations to Mrs. Burnett, our former LSS teacher, who had a baby girl named Violet last month. Mom and baby are doing well.

Yearbooks

Orders were due yesterday for our 'Out of this world!' yearbook. We've seen the proof, and it looks great! Huge thanks to our PAC mom, Anna, who did a great job of pulling it all together for us! They should be delivered later this month. Thanks also to our PAC who provide a free copy to each of our grade 5 students!

A limited number of extra yearbooks have been ordered for those who missed the deadline.

They are soft cover and cost is \$35.

For more info., please contact the school office at auguston@abbyschools.ca.

Year-end assemblies and celebrations

Our year end assembly will be held on Thursday, June 26, at 9:30 am. If your child is receiving an award, you will receive an invitation to attend. There will be limited seating as we fill the gym with our classes and parents.

Our grade 5 students will have their own leaving ceremony on Wednesday, June 25 at 9:30 am. As there will be fewer students in the gym, parents of grade 5 students are invited to attend. Students in grade 5 receiving an award will receive it at this assembly as well as being mentioned at the school wide assembly the next day.

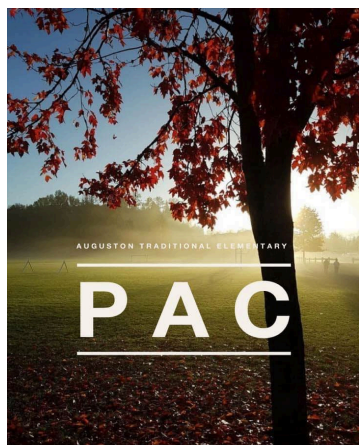
Parents of grade 5 students are also planning [grad celebration](#) on June 20th.

Will you be
leaving
Auguston
next year?



In order to begin our planning for the 2025-26 school year, we would like to know how many students will be leaving us at the end of this year.

If your current K-Gr. 4 student will **NOT BE RETURNING** to Auguston in September, please notify the school: auguston@abbyschools.ca



PAC News

The next PAC meeting will be on Wed, Sep 24, at 7pm for the 2025-26 school year!

PAC Facebook Page:

[Auguston Traditional Elementary School PAC](#)

Have questions? See the [PAC page](#) on the website or **email the PAC** at augustonpac@gmail.com.

Treat Days for June



The end of the school year is almost here, and we're wrapping things up with a couple of sweet Treat Days!

🍩 Friday, June 13 – Donut Day - *Due Friday, Jun 6, by 6pm*

🍧 Tuesday, June 17 – Kona Ice Snow Cones - *Due Tuesday, Jun 10, by 6pm*

Both are available to order now through [Munchalunch!](#)

🕒 **Deadline to order for Donut Day is Friday, June 6, at 6 PM! Or you can order for both at the same time!**

[Read more](#)



Treats for Fun Fair

The Fun Fair Committee needs your help for baked goods for the treat walk. It can be cakes, cupcakes, donuts, cookies, pies, etc. Items can be purchased, but please package them in prize portions (example 4-6 cookies in a bag). Only requirement is the treats have to be **NUT FREE**.

Please drop off baked goods on June 6 during school hours to the office. Please send a message via the [PAC Facebook page](#) or email the PAC at augustonpac@gmail.com to let the Fun Fair Committee know what you can bring. Thanks in advance for your contribution towards our school fun fair.



Fun Fair

🎉 **FUN FAIR IS BACK!** This Friday, June 6, from 4:30 to 7pm! 🎉

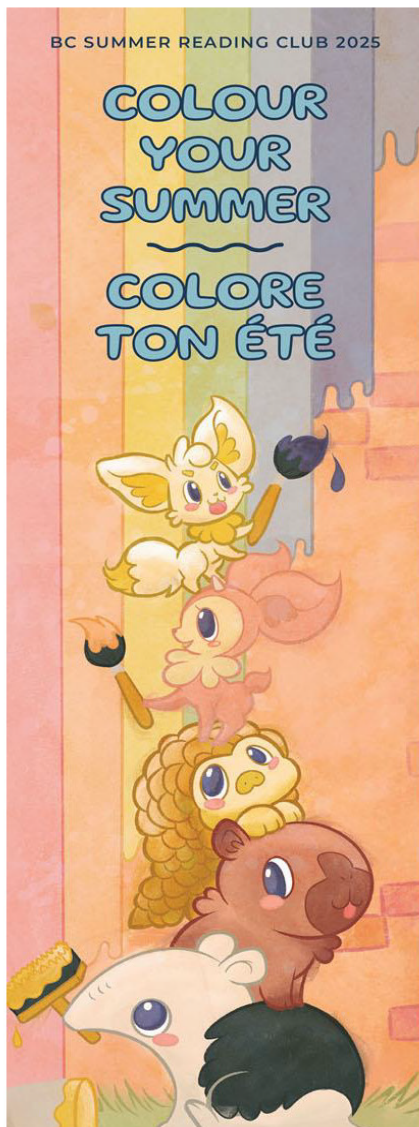
Hosted by Auguston Traditional Elementary PAC
Join us for an unforgettable night of FUN!

💰 **Admission: \$10 per student**

[Read more](#)

Summer Reading

The Fraser Valley Regional Library is holding a 'Colour Your Summer' reading program this summer. You can sign up online or at your closest FVRLibrary starting June 21, 2025. Track your reading all summer and you can be entered to win some cool prizes and reading medals!



ENCOURAGE KIDS TO JOIN SUMMER READING CLUB

Make reading fun this summer! *Colour Your Summer* by joining Summer Reading Club (SRC). SRC is a free program that encourages kids to track their reading every day. Kids who read over the summer perform better at school. You can read anything – novels, picture books, information books, graphic novels, magazines, audiobooks, ebooks, websites – it all counts!

This year's theme is *Colour Your Summer*. Registration for in-person and online SRC officially begins June 21. For information about SRC and how to register, visit www.fvrl.ca.

Here are the exciting activities your children can enjoy when they participate in SRC:

- Enter contests to win prizes.
- See amazing performers.
- Participate in fun activities online.
- Earn a medal!

There's so much to discover when you *Colour Your Summer* with Summer Reading Club!

It's not just for kids! Did you know that SRC is open for teens and adults too? Families can participate together to support each other's reading and set a positive example. The library has something for everyone this summer – and it's absolutely free!

Abbotsford Community Library - 33355 Bevan Ave
604-853-1753

Clearbrook Library - 32320 George Ferguson Way
604-859-7814

Mount Lehman Library - 5875 Mt. Lehman Rd
604-856-4988

Upcoming June Events

Jun 3-5	IEP review meetings
Thurs, Jun 5	Support Staff Day – we celebrate our EA's and support staff
Fri, Jun 6	Freezie Friday after school, Class Requests due 3pm, PAC Fun Fair 4:30-7pm, Donut Day orders due 6pm
Mon, Jun 9	Grade 4/5's to Centennial Pool
Tues, Jun 10	Orders due for Kona Ice 6pm
Thurs, Jun 12	Sports Day
Fri, Jun 13	Donut Day , Last Freezie Friday
Sun, Jun 15	Happy Father's Day to all our dads out there!
Mon, Jun 16	Div. 13-15 to the Zoo , Stuffed Animal Sale for Grade 5 fundraising at lunch & after school
Jun 17-19	PAC brings in the Mobile Planetarium
Tues, Jun 17	Kona Ice food truck here
Thur, Jun 19	Recorder Recital for Grade 3's
Fri, Jun 20	Grade 5 Celebration – theme is GLOW
Sat, Jun 21	National Indigenous Peoples Day
Mon, Jun 23	Pajama Day
Wed, Jun 25	Grade 5 Awards Assembly at 9:30am
Thurs, Jun 26	Year End Awards Assembly at 9:30am, Foam Party , Learning Updates home , Last day of school!
	
Jun 27-Jul 4	School Office open

School Calendar



See the school calendar and yearly Local School Calendars on the website:

<https://auguston.abbyschools.ca/events/calendar>

- [2024-2025 Local School Calendar - Month-by-Month](#)
- [2024-2025 Local School Calendar - Chronological](#)
- [2025-2026 Local School Calendar - Month-by-Month](#)
- [2025-2026 Local School Calendar - Chronological](#)
- [2026-2027 Local School Calendar - Month-by-Month](#)
- [2026-2027 Local School Calendar - Chronological](#)



Class Requests 2025-26

Students are assigned to classes by staff, based on educational and social criteria. If a parent/guardian would like to make a placement request, here are the guidelines:

[Read more](#)





Pay for School Activities and Give Consent Online



Consent forms are **ONLINE** in [SchoolCash](#). Consent includes Request for Email Address Consent, Photograph/Video and Media, Permission off Grounds and for Field Trips.

We would like to encourage **ALL families** at our school to utilize the online option for consent & payments **EVERY** time! We are currently at **100%** who have signed up! **PLEASE USE the online option every time!**

****Centennial Pool field trip - Gr. 4/5 * Zoo field trip - Div. 13-15***

****No Uni for a Toonie *Damaged or Lost Library Books *Email Consent *Extracurricular School Sports
*Kindergarten school supplies *Off Grounds *Photo/Media *School Planners***

Thank you to parents who have set up your schoolcash account and utilize this option. You will be receiving reminders and messages about new items being added to your child's 'cart' when field trips and other items arise. A suggestion is to purchase a **prepaid credit card** to make purchases if you are concerned about online shopping. The district site is a secure site which does not hold account information.

SchoolCashOnline limits the amount of cash/cheques handled in schools, reduces paperwork, and results in more focused instructional time in the classroom. The Abbotsford School District now uses SchoolCashOnline for all schools. With SchoolCashOnline, parents have the convenient and secure option of paying for school items using their credit card online, 24/7. You can pay for school items such as trips, club/athletic fees, and spirit wear. It will save you time too! **Register for Schoolcashonline in 4 simple steps! If you haven't yet done so, please click on the link below to sign up TODAY!**

Pay School Fees Online

Secure credit card payment
24/7 convenience
Easy registration

[**Click Here!**](#)

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