



BEARS FAMILY BULLETIN

June 22-July 3, 2026

With gratitude and respect, we acknowledge that we live, learn, and work on the traditional territories of the Coast Salish: T'Sou-ke Nation, SCÍÁNEW (Beecher Bay) Nation, and the Nuu-chah-nulth: Paaʔciidʔath (Pacheedaht) Nation. We also recognize that some of our schools are located on the traditional territories of the MÁLEXEL (Malahat) Nation, and the Ləkʷəŋən peoples of Songhees and Esquimalt Nations.

Monday 22	- Sushi lunch (if you ordered) - Div. 7-1 Bowling and Whitespot	Monday 29	Office staff in this week (except July 1)
Tuesday 23	- Pexsisen Grade 5's walk across bridge to middle school - Summary of Learning reports live in MyEd	Tuesday 30	
Wednesday 24	- Gr. 6's Year End trip to Island View Beach - Gr. 7's Year End trip to Shawnigan Lake - Gr. 8 Leaving Dinner & Dance 6:00-8:30	Wednesday July 1	 Happy Canada Day!
Thursday 25	- Last day of school for students - Assembly and yearbooks handed out	Thursday 2	
Friday 26	- Staff Administrative day - Have a safe and fun summer!	Friday 3	Last day of office open until August 24

Upcoming Dates:

Summer 2026:

Office will be closed as of July 6 and will re-open on August 24.

September:

Sept. 8: First day of school for Grade 6 only. 8:40-11:30. Buses are running as usual, to and from school. Go to turf field when you arrive to meet your teacher.

Sept. 9: First day of school for Grade 7 and 8 (no Gr. 6 students). Go to turf field when you arrive to meet your teacher.

- Grade 7** from 8:40-11:30 – buses running TO school only, students need to find own way home from school at 11:30.
- Grade 8** from 12:15-2:41 – buses running home FROM school at 2:41 only, students need to find own way to school for 12:15.

Sept. 10: All students 6-8 in attendance for full day, 8:40-2:41. Meet on turf field with your class in the morning for our annual drumming in to start the school year together.

Sept. 17: Meet the Teacher evening

Sept. 21: School Planning Day for staff (school not in session)

Sept. 29 and Oct. 1: Photo Days

Sept. 30: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (school not in session)

Dear Centre Mountain Lellum Families,

Here we are, our final week of school. It has been a wonderful year of learning, connection, community, and so much fun. Thank you for sharing your child(ren) with us. Each day, I feel so fortunate to be the principal of this incredible school. It is our staff, students, and their families that make our school such an engaging and supportive House of Learning.

As we say good-bye to our Grade 8's, we wish them all the best as they embark on their next adventure in Secondary School. We will miss them, and hope they come back to visit and let us know how they are doing. To our Grade 6 and 7 students, we look forward to seeing you again in September!

To our families that are moving away, we are grateful to have shared some time with you, and may your next landing be a gentle one.

The **Summary of Learning** (final reports) will be live on MyEd as of noon on **Tuesday, June 23**. You can see your child's year-end report here. Please ensure you have created a log in to the Parent Portal to be able to access your child's reports. More information here: [Parent Portal – MyED BC | Centre Mountain Lellum](#) If you have any questions about the contents of the reports, please reach out to your child's teacher.

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<https://translate.google.com>

DISTRICT OR COMMUNITY NEWS:

1. **Summer Family Markets:** Once again, Flourish is offering Family Food Markets for this Summer. They had a lot of fun hosting them last year and the turnout was great, so are ready to do it all again this year with a few location changes!

Mondays @ Sooke Elementary; July 6 - August 24 (No market August 3rd)

Tuesdays @ Spencer Middle; July 7 - August 25

Wednesdays @ Belmont Secondary; July 8 - August 26

Thursdays @ Westshore Secondary (Colwood); July 9 - August 27

Markets are, as always, **free and open to all**. They will be at the above-mentioned locations from 11-1 or until they are out of food. See attached poster.

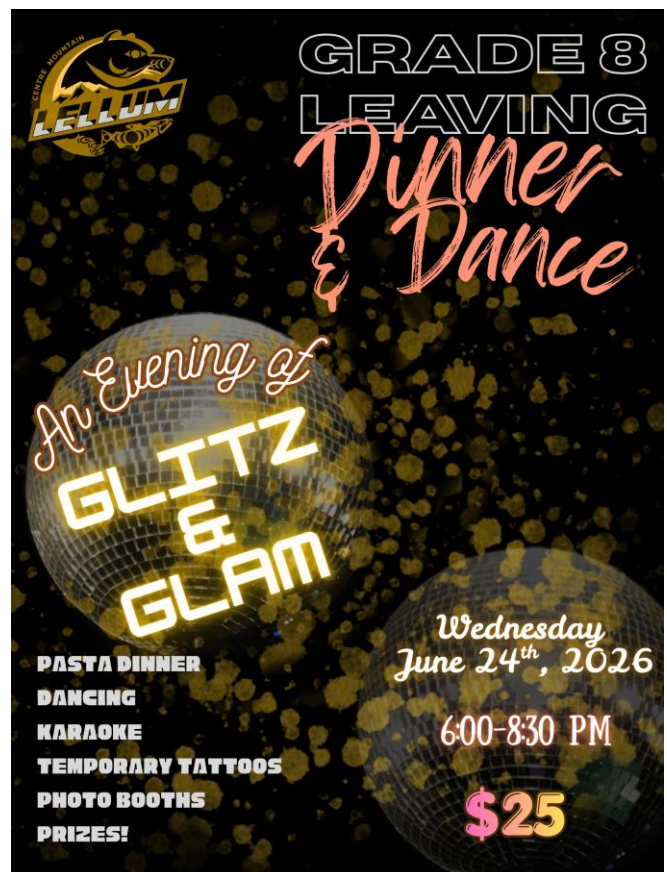
2. Backpack Buddies Summer Distribution Centres:

Backpack Buddies has set up distribution centres across Victoria so families can still access this program.

Registration is NOT required for our summer program. **Bags will be available to collect as of July 3rd.**

SCHOOL NEWS:

1. **Are you moving?** Families of Grade 6 and 7 students...if you know your family will be moving over the summer and not returning to Centre Mountain Lellum in Sept., please let our office staff know by emailing cml@sd62.bc.ca.
2. **Lost & Found:** We have many, many items in our Lost & Found (enough to open a clothing store!). Please encourage your child to take a look through all the hoodies, hats, gloves, water bottles, and more. **Any unclaimed items will be donated on the last day of school.**
3. **Centre Mountain Lellum Band Fundraisers:**
<https://www.gofevo.com/event/Centremountain2>
 - **Langford Return-It Bottle Depot:** Take your empty bottles here and tell them it's for Centre Mountain Lellum Band (#1082), and all profits will support our school Band program. 1045 Dunford Ave.



Have a safe and fabulous summer!

	See you in September!
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