



Kid week at a Glance



May 25th - May 29th, 2026

Mon. May 25th

**Class/Panorama
and Group Photo
Day**

Tues. May 26th

Lockdown Drill

**Math Games
Festival after
lunch**

Wed. May 27th

Thurs. May 28th

**Division 4 and 5
Walking Field Trip
to Ironwood
Library**

Fri. May 29th

**PAC Spring Fair
5:00 - 7:30 pm**

Early Warning Line for Absences

Please report any absences, lates, early dismissals, etc. to the school early warning line at (604) 668-6671. This is a 24/7 line. Please Let give your child's name, division and if you would like please tell WHY they are away and for how long. If your child(ren) will be arriving late, please make sure to sign in so that we can adjust their attendance. Thank you.

Important Dates to Remember

Asian Heritage Month / AAPI Heritage Month: Celebrating contributions of Asian-Canadians.

Jewish Heritage Month: Commemorating Jewish history and culture.

Mental Health Awareness Month: Promoting mental health awareness.

Speech and Hearing Month & Vision Health Month: Awareness for health conditions.



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Tel: 604-668-6602

Mr. D. Cherry, Principal

Ms. C. Brautigam, Area Superintendent Mr. D. Yang School Liaison Trustee

School web page : kidd@sd38.bc.ca



THOMAS KIDD PAC'S

SPRING FAIR

FRIDAY, MAY 29th 2026

FROM 5 to 7.30 PM

→ Jungle Themed Carnival Games ←

- Jungle Ball • Snake Skee Ball • Piranha Punch • Butterfly Bullseye
- Ring Around the Rainforest • Pluck a Duck • Jungle Splash Zone • Tarzan's Axe Throw
- Parakeet Plinko • Spin the Sloth • Don't Bug Me
- Tigar Tattoos • Safari Selfie Station • Jungle Crafts • Treats & Tree Frogs and More !



Game pass \$8 pre-ordered/ \$10 day of onsite
Pizza, drinks, and snacks on Munch-a-lunch

Scan to purchase game passes and foods

We are looking for volunteers. If you are able to help,
please email kiddparents.pac@gmail.com





Lockdown Drill

As part of our on-going efforts to support student safety, we will be conducting a lockdown drill on Tuesday, May 26th. Lockdown drills are practiced once a year. We also practice evacuation (fire drills) 6 times a year, earthquake drills 3 times a year and a hold and secure. If families have questions about these drills, please connect with Mr. Cherry

Math Games Festival

To celebrate our Math learning this year, grade groups will be participating in a fun, engaging math games festival on Tuesday, May 26th. Students will work in small groups to play fun math games. A Teacher Consultant from the district will help our students and staff. It will be a fun afternoon of learning.



Julia Robinson
Mathematics Festival

Fun Day is Scheduled for Friday, June 5th (schedule of the day is below)

Schedule of Events:

8:45 - 9:00 Take Attendance in classrooms. Parents are encouraged to join other families at the Parent Appreciation Tent.

9:00 Bike Parade participants will be called to the gym. Classes will go to their spot around the soccer field.

9:30 Preschool Race on soccer field.

9:50 Classes go to their first station.

10:00 First station begins. Each station will run for about 10 minutes including transition time.

10:45 First four stations completed. Snack break.

11:00 Last five stations.

12:00 Lunch begins. Lunches will be available by division in classrooms for pick up. Students can eat outside or in the classroom if it is raining. Kidd PAC will be offering hot lunch for pre-order. It will be Subway.

12:45 Afternoon attendance in the classroom.

12:50 Field and Grounds clean up.

1:00 Grades 4 – 7 Tug of war and Grade 7 water balloon toss.

1:30 Students will be dismissed early on Fun Day



The Ministry of Education's School Calendar Regulation requires that on or before May 31, schools make the following information available to every parent of a student in the school:

SCHOOL CALENDAR INFORMATION 2026 – 2027

School Days in Session: 187

Minimum Number of Days of Instruction: 180

DAILY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

8:40 a.m. First Bell – students may enter school and go to their classrooms

8:45 a.m. Classes Begin – students are considered late

10:25 a.m. – 10:40 a.m. Recess

11:55 p.m. – 12:42 p.m. Lunch

2:45 p.m. Classes Dismissed

OFFICE HOURS

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

1:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS (School Not In Session - 7)

Friday, September 22, 2026

Friday, October 23, 2026 (Provincial)

Friday, November 27, 2026

Friday, February 12, 2027

Friday, April 23, 2027,

Friday, May 21, 2027

Wednesday, June 30, 2027 (Admin Day)

REPORTING DATES

Term 1 – Wednesday, December 16, 2026

Term 2 – Thursday, April 22, 2027

Term 3 – Friday, June 25, 2027



Upcoming Events

Class/Group and Panorama Photos - May 25th

Lockdown Drill - May 26th

Math Games Festival - May 26th

T.K. PAC Spring Fair - May 29th

Grade 7 McNair Visit - June 4th

Fun Day and Hot Lunch - June 5th

Beach Day - June 10th

Camp Jubilee - June 12th

Grade 7 Farewell - June 19th



Daily Health Check

SHOULD I GO TO SCHOOL
TODAY?

We appreciate your support in keeping your child home when they are not feeling well.

Students should not come to school when they are sick.

If your child is not feeling well please continue to keep them home until their symptoms have resolved. If you know your child will be absent for a range of days, please leave that information as well.

Staying home when sick helps keep our entire school community healthy including teachers, admin staff and students. **Please do your part and stay home when sick.**



S.P.I.C.E. of Life Child Care

Operating from Thomas Kidd Elementary School since 2002

Registration for 2026-27 OPEN

Kinder 4 Me Program (for 4 yearoldsstartingKindergarteninSeptember 2027)	
MondaytoFriday 9:00 amto2:00 pm	Spaces available \$359/month
Daycare Program	
MondaytoFriday 7:30 amto5:30 pm	Spaces available \$574/month (full-time) \$474/month (part-time)
Before and After School	
MondaytoFriday 7:30 am to8:45 am and 2:45 pmtto5:30 pm	Spaces- TBD \$398/month (Gr. 1-7) \$200/month (Kindergarten) (email to be added to our waitlist)

For more information or to register:

Pick up a Brochure (available at school office or outside our classroom 101)
Email Tahzeem at info@spicechildcare.ca
Call us at 604.272.4040

Thomas Kidd PAC



BOTTLE DRIVE FUNDRAISER



All proceeds go back to supporting Kidd students.



TWO EASY WAYS TO DONATE

RETURN-IT EXPRESS — FAST & EASY!

No sorting. No waiting. No hassle!

- Place returnable containers in a clear bag
- Visit any Return-It depot
- Enter the school phone number at the kiosk
604-668-6602 - Thomas Kidd PAC
- Select number of bags & print labels
- Attach label and drop off
- No sorting. No flattening. Just easy.

PREFER THE OLD-SCHOOL WAY

We've got you covered!

- Sort returnable containers
- Bring to cashier
- Say you're donating to:
Thomas Kidd PAC Bottle Drive
- Funds go directly to support our students



SUGGESTED DROP OFF LOCATION

 **Richmond Return-It Depot Ironwood**
Unit 110 - 11020 Horseshoe Way
Richmond, BC V7A 4V5



THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR STUDENTS, OUR SCHOOL, AND OUR COMMUNITY.

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OUR INSTAGRAM HANDLE

Stay connected and be
part of our TK
community ❤️