

FKSS WEEK AT A GLANCE – June 9-13, 2025



Mon, June 9 ABCD Day 2	Tues, June 10 BADC Day 1	Wed, June 11 CQDAB Day 2	Thurs, June 12 DCBA Day 1	Fri, June 13 AFBCD Day 2
-Regular classes.	-Regular classes.	-Public Nurse in. -Awards assembly today. -Clubs fair in the dome. -Scholarship and bursary evening at 7pm.	-CWAVS workshop. - Rock band shows. 3 sets available to attend.	-Freezie Friday (every Friday). - Red carpet event 3:30pm.

As a reminder- there will be no food service in our school cafeteria or pizza sales during the week of June 13-20.

PARENTS:

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are writing to inform you of an important change regarding our school bus pass process, starting with the 2025/2026 academic year. Students must retain their bus pass from the 24/25 school year as the Cowichan Valley School District will provide only one bus pass the first time a student is enrolled in the transportation service.

What's Changing? Beginning in the 2025/2026 academic school year, bus passes will no longer be reissued annually. Instead, your student will be expected to keep their current pass from 2024/2025 academic year and reuse the same bus pass from year to year.

How to Keep the Bus Pass in Good Condition- To help protect the pass and ensure its longevity, we strongly recommend placing it in a plastic protective cover.

Lost or Damaged Passes- The replacement fee for lost and altered passes is \$10.00. Payment can be made for replacement passes via e-transfer to buspasspayments@sd79.bc.ca or by credit card at 250-748-1066 ext 276. Replacement passes will be sent with your students afternoon bus driver. Thank you for your understanding and support as we implement this new process.

GRADS:

Once you graduate, you no longer have access to your Office 365 account, which includes your Outlook email using your student number. The account is deleted sometime in the first two weeks of July. If you have resumes, cover letters, any assignments you want to keep for post-secondary reference, etc., you need to transfer them to a personal account. As well, ensure if you have given your school email as a contact to anyone or used it for sign in to other accounts, that you reset to a personal one as you will not be able to access it to reset passwords.

Last chance- Grads please have your write-up handed in by the end of this week. The write-up is read when you walk across stage at walk up on June 20th. There is a link on teams or paper copies in the main office.

Scholarship and bursary night is on Wednesday, June 11th at 7pm. If students are to attend because they are receiving either, an email would have been sent home and to the student.

Automotive Retailers Foundation (ARFI) Scholarship application is coming due June 15th. Please visit scholarship & Bursary channel for details.

STUDENTS:

A reminder to students that the river and area on the other side of the fence is off limits during school hours.

The awards ceremony is on June 11th at 10:00 a.m. If a student is receiving an award, an email has been sent home.

The Rock Band class is putting on their final show next Thursday, June 12th, in the FKSS theatre. Our “triple crown” finale will include three sets of music starting at 5pm, 6:30pm and 8pm. Tickets are by donation (suggested \$5 per set) and available from

Mr. Ludwig or at lunch in the dome.



Leadership Course Credit NEXT YEAR - Do you have leadership potential or want to build those skills? Students involved in any leadership roles throughout the school including club leaders, grad council, athletics council, and Interact Club are eligible to get credit for Leadership 10/11/12 next school year. Students **must complete a course add form** and return it to Norma in counseling. Younger students are also eligible with parent permission as it requires time outside of school hours.

The Leadership course will meet at lunch one day a week with smaller committees, clubs, and focus group meetings at other times. Sign up now to assure this opportunity continues to be available.

Freezie Friday!! Be sure to grab your jumbo freezie at Munchies for a toonie and help support student activities at FKSS.

SPORTS:

Maple Bay Rowing Club's upcoming Youth Learn to Row programs over the summer, as well as National Come Try Rowing Day activities for the students at your school. The National Come Try Rowing Day is next **Saturday, June 7th from 11:30 - 1:30**. We are also hosting two **5-day Learn-to-Row Programs** for youth on **July 14-18**, and **August 11-15**. www.maplebayrowingclub.ca

CAREERS:

VIU – Dual Credits – Cowichan Site – seats available for the following

Culinary – Sept 2025 to June 2026

Hairdressing - Sept 2025 to June 2026

RACM – January to June 2026

Please make an appointment in the Career Center if interested in applying.

Camosun Scholarship Opportunity for Grade 12's

If you are signing up for a Trade at Camosun next year, please see us in the Career Centre as there are scholarship funds available.

Cobble Hill Fun Fair Aug 2, 2025 – Volunteers needed. A 2 hr shift earns a day pass for the fair and of course points in the Karma Bank. Please sign up in the Career Center.



Interested in a career in Agriculture?

8 paid training seats available for a limited time only!

Get:

- 22 weeks of skills training
- 14 weeks of work experience
- First Aid, FoodSafe, WHMIS, VIU Agriculture Micro-Credential Certificate + more!
- Living supports, laptop, work gear + more included!

*Subject to eligibility requirements.

Contact WorkBC Centre Duncan today for more information:
250-748-9880



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Training offered at
Cowichan Green Community
Cultivating food, community, and resilience
360 Duncan St, Duncan

STAFF:

BUS/ GYM Supervision- MONDAY

AM BUS: Grant, McKinley

GYM: Groicher, A.Johnston, Launder

PM BUS: Janes, Kaye, Robinson

PM BACK BUS: de Graaf, Kelly, Welwood