

#### **Lansdowne Middle School**

## This Week @ Lansdowne

Week of May 13 to 17, 2024

### GRADE 8 TRANSITION AFTERNOON

Thursday, May 16 is district transition afternoon. All current grade 8 students will be going to their high school for an orientation assembly and tour of the school. Students will attend presentations, be led on a tour and have an opportunity to learn more about the school and its programs.

Grade 8 students will be dismissed early (at 11:40) to allow students time to travel to their 2024-25 high school. All grade 8's are expected to visit their intended 2024-25 high school for the afternoon. Most schools are asking that students arrive by 12:45. (An email will be sent by secondary schools.) At the end of the afternoon, students will be dismissed directly from the high school they are visiting around 2:45pm and they are not expected to return to Lansdowne.

Students are responsible for making their own way to their respective high schools after our 11:40pm dismissal as well as making their own way home from the high school after they are dismissed—please discuss with your child how they will return home (i.e. Parent pick up, bus, walk, etc.).

We hope they have a great afternoon.

#### UPCOMING DATES

#### May 16

· District Transition Afternoon

#### May 17

Pro D Day (No School)

#### May 20

· Victoria Day (No School)

#### May 22

· PAC Meeting 6pm (North Campus)

#### May 30

· Grade 6 Immunization Session (South Campus)

#### June 3

· LMPA Meeting 7pm

#### June 7

- · CC Afternoon starting at 11:40am. Both campuses
- · All Library Books Due Back

#### June 10 to 14

· Last Week of Hot Lunches

## GRADE 6 & 7 TRANSITION AFTERNOON

While our grade 8s head off to their respective high schools, our grade 6 and 7 students will have an opportunity to experience a little transition time themselves. Grade 7 students will be spending the afternoon with our grade 8 staff, and our grade 6s will have some time to head up to the North campus and spend some time with our grade 7 staff. For our grade 6 students in particular, this will be a great time to tour the building, make some new connections with staff and students, and enjoy some fun activities. During this time, our grade 6 staff will be busy welcoming our grade 5 students to our South campus who will get their first little taste of middle school life. It will be an exciting day for everyone!

Grade 6 students will be dismissed from the South campus at tend end of the day as per usual.

Greetings Lansdowne Families,

As some of you may have already heard Alissa Moore and I will be leaving Lansdowne at the end of the year and transferring to Shoreline Middle School and Gordon Head Middle School respectively. It has been an honor and a pleasure for us to have worked with you and your children at Lansdowne Middle School.

Thank you for all of your support over the years and please know we will hold Lansdowne and all of you fondly in our memories.

Sincerely,

Carter Giesbrecht and Alissa Moore



WHAT: Spring Blossom's Craft Fair

WHO: Lansdowne Student Crafters will be selling a variety of items (jewellery, house plants, macrame and more)

WHEN: Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> from 10am-1pm

WHERE: 3495 Upper Terrace Road

#### Dear Lansdowne Families

As many of you are aware next week, Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup> to Thursday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, is Rainbow Week. Each day staff and students throughout the district will be engaging in different activities in support of inclusivity and human rights for all students in our district including our children and staff who identify as 2SLGBTQ+ community. Each day at Lansdowne students are invited to wear different colors according to the schedule below. As part of our show of support throughout the district we will also be flying the Rainbow Flag for the entire week.

Monday, May 13	Tuesday, May 14	Wednesday, May 15	Thursday, May 16
Red—Life	Yellow—Sunlight	Blue—Serenity	Rainbow
Orange—Healing	Green—Nature	Purple—Spirit	



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## Get cozy with us at **Fort Tectoria**



## Sunday May 26th

12:00pm - 3:30pm

Good Food



**Even Better** Conversation



**Real Community** Connections









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