



Monday Maverick

Tue. Sept. 14th– Fri. Sept. 18th

Welcome Back Families!

THIS WEEK...

Mon. Sept. 14th	○ Exploratory rotation #1 begins ○ Band program begins – student visits and info sessions for grade 6s ○ Daily recess Snack Fest in Performing Arts Studio starts ○ PAC meeting 7 pm in library
Tues. Sept. 15th	○ Hot Lunch sales begin – check your email!
Wed. Sept. 16th	○
Thurs. Sept. 17th	○
Fri. Sept. 18th	○

Mark Your Calendars...



Sept 21st – Pro-D – No school for students

Sept 22nd – Instrument Rental Night

Sept 23rd – Evening with a Pro – Band Students

Sept 24th – Welcome Back BBQ – Meet the Teacher

Community & Athletics Calendars
are on the GMS website

[Athletics Calendar Click Here](#)

[Community Calendar Click Here](#)

School Food Programs

We have a number of food programs available to support our students throughout the school day:

- **Morning Toast:** Toast is available for students each morning before school in the Performing Arts Studio.
- **Snack Fest:** At recess, students can grab a light snack, including a fruit and a protein option.
- **Weekly Hot Lunch:** Students can purchase **Subway on Wednesdays** and **Pizza on Fridays**.
- **Daily Bagged Lunch Program:** Families who would benefit from a daily bagged lunch can contact **Ms. Scott** at jescott@sd61.bc.ca to sign up. An email with more information about food support was recently sent home.

Microwave Free Lunches

All classrooms are now microwave free. We do not have facilities to warm up food for students and ask that you send warm food in a thermos or send food that does not require heating.

We also encourage a pack in-pack out lunch in an effort to reduce, reuse, recycle!

Community Coaches Needed!

We have a large athletics program at GMS that runs with the help of staff and community coaches. We are looking for coaches with some experience for the following all girls basketball age groups and grade 6 boys basketball. The season runs roughly from the beginning of October to the beginning of December.

Is this you, or someone you know? If you are interested in coaching please contact Bryden Gage – bgage@sd61.bc.ca If there is another sport you would like to coach later in the year, please let us know for our planning.

Bikes and Scooters

It is great to see so many students riding to school. Thanks to our PAC and hot lunch sales we have wonderful new bike racks at the front of the school. All students are responsible for locking their bikes & scooters. We are not responsible for unlocked bikes or scooters. Please see [this link](#) and [this link](#) for information about e-bikes & e-scooters. Note: e-bikes and e-scooters are not permitted at school. Parents will be contacted to pick them up as they are brought to school.

Finally, for safety, all students are to get off their bike or scooter on school property when arriving or leaving. Thank you for your help reviewing this with your child.

Drop Off and Pick Up, Lates and Absences

We need your help to keep GMS safe. Please only use the pull through for drop off/pick up or park along the street. Please **do not** go into the Glanford St or Judah St parking lots.

If your child is late they can sign in by the front door, or in the office. Pl



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