

Fri. Oct. 16

WILLWAY ELEMENTARY NEWSLETTER

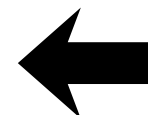


SD62 Reminder:

If your child is experiencing symptoms of illness, such as respiratory or gastrointestinal illnesses, they should stay home until they are well enough to participate in regular activities or otherwise advised by a healthcare provider.
More info [here](#).

UPCOMING DATES:

- **Mon. Oct. 19th** – Photo Day
- **Wed. Oct. 21st** – PAC Hot Lunch,
- **Thurs. Oct. 22nd** – Halloween Safety Assembly (gr. 3-5), Willway Wear orders due
- **Fri. Oct. 23rd** – Pro-D Day - school closed for students
- **Mon. Oct. 26th** – Hold and Secure Drill, Peer Helper Applications due
- **Thurs. Oct. 29th** – Orange Shirt Day, PAC Halloween Dance 5:30 – 7:30pm
- **Fri. Oct. 30th** – Orange and Black or Costume Day, PAC Popcorn Day, Halloween Parade @ 9am
- **Wed. Nov. 4th** – PAC Hot Lunch
- **Thurs. Nov. 5th** – Fire Drill #3
- **Fri. Nov. 6th** and **Mon Nov. 9th** – Flourish Apple Pressing Workshops

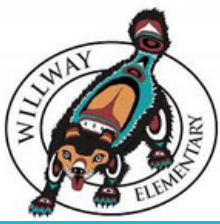


The **Lost and Found** is filling up! Please check the rack outside of Strong Start/Before and After School Care (or have your child check) if they are missing clothing.

Outside Play

As we enter the rainy fall and winter seasons, please be aware that students are outside in all types of weather for both recess and lunch each day so please send students in appropriate clothing (raincoats/boots).

Supervision outside prior to school begins at **8:15am**. Unless your child is at before/after school care please plan accordingly with drop-offs.



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Construction Update:

We are happy to report that construction is getting closer to completion. There have been a couple of delays, but we are estimating a completion date within the next couple of weeks. Fencing in the field should also be removed at some point in November (we hope).

Thank you very much for your continued patience as we work through these school improvements. We appreciate you!



WILLWAY Spirit Wear



Order your Willway Spirit wear before Midnight October 22nd.

Pickup: Orders will be available Early December for pick up from the school

Any questions please email Mrs. Miller at smmiller@sd62.bc.ca

We can't wait to see our students and families showing their Willway gear!

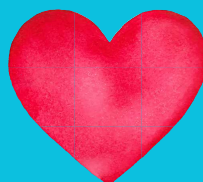


Youth and Adult sizes available



CONTACT INFO

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Want to donate to the school to support school-based initiatives such as our garden, or collaborative art installation? Click [here](#).



October 29th | SUGGESTED ENTRY
At 5:30PM-7:30PM DONATION \$5.00

Cash Only

GET READY FOR A SPOOKTACULAR EVENING OF MUSIC, DANCING, AND HALLOWEEN FUN!

ALL FAMILY MEMBERS ARE WELCOME BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY AND ENJOY
A FUN-FILLED EVENING TOGETHER!



PRICE LIST

	PIZZA	\$6
	POP	\$2
	JUICE	\$2
	WATER	\$2
	CHIPS	\$2
	CUPCAKES	\$2
	GLOW STICKS	\$1

A FEW IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

ALL CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED
BY A PARENT OR GUARDIAN
FOR THE ENTIRE EVENT.

Want to volunteer
scan the code below



THE DANCE ENDS PROMPTLY AT 7:30 PM, SO
PLEASE PLAN TO HAVE EVERYONE
READY TO LEAVE BY 7:30



**PRE ORDER PIZZA
ON THE HOT LUNCH
SITE ORDERS ARE DUE**

OCT 20TH

Scan to order pizza



Reminder: no masks, weapons or scary clown costumes
Read more here.

HALLOWEEN DANCE CUPCAKES

CALLING ALL CUPCAKE BAKERS 🍁

WE'RE LOOKING FOR CUPCAKE DONATIONS FOR OUR UPCOMING
WILLWAY HALLOWEEN SCHOOL DANCE! 🧛❤️

IF YOU'RE ABLE TO BAKE OR PICK UP A BATCH OF CUPCAKES
TO HELP MAKE OUR DANCE EXTRA SWEET, WE WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE IT!

CUPCAKE DROP-OFF: THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29TH

PLEASE LEAVE CUPCAKES ON THE CART AT THE SCHOOL'S FRONT ENTRANCE
AT EITHER OF THESE TIMES:

🍁 8:45 AM

🍁 2:35 PM

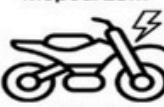
THANK YOU FOR HELPING WILLWAY PAC MAKE THIS A FUN AND
MEMORABLE HALLOWEEN DANCE FOR OUR STUDENTS! 🦋🍁





MICROMOBILITY: KNOW THE RULES BEFORE YOU RIDE

Not all small or electric vehicles are treated the same under the Motor Vehicle Act

	Where Can I Ride?	How old do I need to be?	How fast can I go?	License and Insurance?	What Else Should I Know?
 E-Bike	Anywhere where bicycles can ride!	14+ for light e-bikes; 16+ for standard e-bikes	Light e-bikes: 25 km/h Standard e-bikes: 32 km/h	No Drivers License or Insurance required	Must have fully operable pedals
 E-Scooter	Only in communities participating in the pilot project	16+	25 km/h	No Drivers License or Insurance required	Illegal outside of pilot communities
 Moped/LSM	On public roadways only	16+	70 km/h	Drivers License and Insurance required	CMVSS compliance label required
 E-Dirt Bike	Not on roads, sidewalks or bike lanes	Not legal at any age on public roads	Not permitted on public roads	Cannot be registered or insured	Not legal e-bikes or LSMs

****To be considered a Bicycle or E bike a bike must have pedals and those pedals must be operable, and capable of powering/moving the bike****

****If an E-Bike's motor exceeds 500w or does not meet/comply with any of the other requirements, it is illegal****

Micromobility – BC Motor Vehicle Act Violations & Fines

Type	Where can I ride?	Age	Speed	Licence / Insurance	Primary MVA / Regulation Violation(s)	Typical Ticket (BC)
E-Bike (Compliant)	Anywhere bicycles permitted (no sidewalk)	14+ light Ebike	25 / 32 km/h	None	E-Bikes must have pedals and be capable of being operated with pedal	-Cycle w/out required helmet Sec 184(1) \$29
		16+ standard				-Ride cycle on sidewalk Sec 183(2)(a) \$109
						-Carry more persons than designed and equipped for Sec 183(2)(g) \$109
E-Scooter (Pilot) (Pilot communities)	Anywhere bicycles permitted (no sidewalk)	16+	25 km/h	None	Electric Kick Scooter Pilot Project Regs	Under Age 16 Operating Sec 7(1) \$109
Moped / LSM	Roadways only	16+	~70 km/h	Required	Limited Speed Motorcycles meant for use on roadways as such must be registered, licensed, insured and operated by a licensed driver(CI 5 or 7N)	-No vehicle license Sec 13(1)(a) \$109 - No insurance Sec 24(3)(b) \$598 -No driver's license Sec 24(1) \$276 Seize, Tow & Impound
E-Bike (>500W / Non-Compliant)	Not legal as bicycle	Must be licensed	N/A	Required	If an E-Bike is over powered(500W+) or does not meet fit E-Bike Criteria it is a Motor Vehicle and must be registered, licensed, insured and operated by a licensed driver (CI 5 or 7N)	Same typical tickets as E-Bike (>500W / Non-Compliant) Seize, Tow & Impound -Carry Passenger unlawfully on motorcycle Sec (2) 194(2)(a) \$109
E-Dirt Bike	Not permitted on roads	Not legal	N/A	Cannot insure	-Not properly equipped for use on roadway	Same typical tickets as E-Bike (>500W / Non-Compliant) Seize, Tow & Impound

PUMPKIN SMASH

WILLWAY FAMILIES, LET'S SMASH IT FOR
A CAUSE!

WESTSHORE TOWN CENTRE PARKING LOT NEAR
CINEPLEX ODEON @ 2945 JACKLIN ROAD

WILLWAY FAMILIES, IT'S TIME TO RALLY TOGETHER,
COLLECT THOSE PUMPKINS AND HELP WILLWAY ELEMENTARY
TAKE HOME THE TITLE OF PUMPKIN SMASH CHAMPIONS

THE LANGFORD FIREFIGHTERS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION
IS INVITING ALL LANGFORD SCHOOLS TO PARTICIPATE
IN ITS ANNUAL PUMPKIN SMASH FUNDRAISER ON
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST! THIS YEAR, SCHOOLS WILL
COMPETE TO COLLECT THE MOST PUMPKINS
WHILE SUPPORTING FLOURISH SCHOOL FOOD SOCIETY,
WHICH HELPS PROVIDE HEALTHY MEALS
AND SNACKS TO OVER 3,000 STUDENTS ACROSS
34 SCHOOLS EVERY SCHOOL DAY.

HOW CAN YOU HELP WILLWAY?

INSTEAD OF SENDING YOUR HALLOWEEN PUMPKINS TO
THE COMPOST, SAVE THEM FOR THE PUMPKIN SMASH!
BRING YOUR PUMPKINS TO THE EVENT AND LET THE
FIREFIGHTERS KNOW YOU'RE SUPPORTING WILLWAY
ELEMENTARY. EVERY PUMPKIN COUNTS TOWARD OUR
SCHOOL'S TOTAL!

HERE ARE A FEW WAYS TO HELP US COLLECT:

- 🎃 SAVE YOUR OWN PUMPKINS AFTER HALLOWEEN.
- 🎃 ASK FRIENDS, FAMILY AND NEIGHBOURS TO DONATE THEIRS.
- 🎃 SPREAD THE WORD AND ENCOURAGE OTHERS TO SUPPORT WILLWAY!

WHAT'S IN IT FOR THE WINNING SCHOOL?

THE SCHOOL THAT BRINGS THE MOST PUMPKINS WILL BE
CROWNED PUMPKIN SMASH CHAMPIONS AND WIN A SPECIAL
VISIT FROM LANGFORD FIRE RESCUE! THE WINNING SCHOOL
CAN CHOOSE FROM A FIREFIGHTER MEET-AND-GREET, FIRE
SAFETY PRESENTATION, STUDENT APPRECIATION EVENT OR
ANOTHER SPECIAL SCHOOL ACTIVITY.

LANGFORD FIREFIGHTERS ANNUAL PUMPKIN SMASH

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2026
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

BRING: YOUR PUMPKINS AND DONATIONS!

NOT ONLY WILL YOU GET TO WATCH PUMPKINS DROPPED
FROM THE TOP OF A 107-FOOT LADDER TRUCK,
BUT YOU'LL ALSO BE HELPING PROVIDE FOOD
TO LOCAL STUDENTS WHO NEED IT.

LET'S SHOW OUR WILLWAY SPIRIT, GET OUR COMMUNITY
INVOLVED AND SEE HOW MANY PUMPKINS WE CAN SMASH FOR
A GREAT CAUSE! EVERY PUMPKIN MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

