

WILLWAY ELEMENTARY

NEWSLETTER

MONDAY
OCT. 27/25

REMINDERS FROM THE OFFICE:

- All parents/guardians/visitors need to check in at the office upon entering the school. Please do not go directly to a classroom with your child. Office staff are available to walk your child to their classroom. Thanks for your help with this.
- A friendly reminder that during school hours (8-4:30pm) dogs are not permitted on School District property

UPCOMING DATES:

- Thurs. Oct. 30th - PAC Halloween Dance 5:15-7:30pm
- Fri. Oct. 31st - Halloween! Wear your costume or Orange/black
- Mon. Nov. 3rd - Garden work party
- Tues. Nov. 4th - Fire Drill and PAC Meeting @ 6pm
- Wed Nov. 5th - PAC Hot Lunch (Booster Juice and Hot Dogs),
- Mon. Nov. 10th - Flourish Garden Workshops, Remembrance Day Assembly @ 10:45am
- Tues. Nov. 11th - Remembrance Day Holiday (school closed)
- Wed. Nov. 12th - Flourish Garden Workshops
- Fri. Nov. 14th - PAC Popcorn Day
- Wed. Nov. 19th - Photo Retakes

WARM LUNCH MENU FOR November

Please contact willway@sd62.bc.ca for more information.

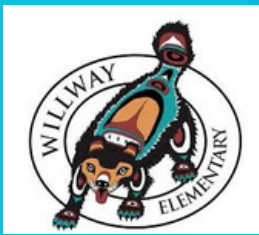
ELEMENTARY MENU- NOVEMBER 2025					
November 3-7	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	3	4	5	6	7
Lunch - Elementary	Potato & Cheese Perogies + Caesar Salad	Coconut Curry Sauce + Rice + Raw Veg & Hummus	Chickpea & Orzo Pasta Bake + Greek Salad	Pizza Quesadilla (Tomato sauce, cheese) + Caesar Salad	Braised Chicken + Rice + Green Salad
November 10-14	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	10	11	12	13	14
Lunch - Elementary	Beef Bolognese + Penne + Caesar Salad	REMEMBRANCE DAY	Roasted Chicken Drum + Rice + Raw Veg & Dip	Turkey Sausage & Roasted Potato + Green Salad	Mac & Cheese + Greek Salad
November 17-21	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	17	18	19	20	21
Lunch - Elementary	Potato & Cheese Perogies + Caesar Salad	Coconut Curry Sauce + Rice + Raw Veg & Hummus	Turkey Sausage & White Bean Stew + Green Salad	Mechado Braised Beef + Rice + Raw Veg & Dip	PRO D DAY
November 24-28	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	24	25	26	27	28
Lunch - Elementary	Beef Bolognese + Penne + Caesar Salad	Teryaki Edamame Beans & Carrots + Rice + Green Salad	Vegetarian Chili + Rice + Raw Veg & Dip	Korean Braised Chicken + Rice + Green Salad	Tomato Sauce + Pasta + Greek Salad



Volunteers needed in the garden!

We are looking for some adult help to complete the next phase of our garden on Mon. Nov. 3rd. We will be working on tidying up shrubs and tress, building 2 garden beds, planting plum trees, building a pathway and topping up soil.

If you are interested in helping, please email Georgie at gwalker@sd62.bc.ca



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Help Keep Our Schools Healthy

If you are unsure or concerned about your child's symptoms (or yours), connect with your health care provider or **8-1-1**

We ask that parents/guardians ensure their children are not experiencing symptoms of illness that would limit their ability to participate fully in regular activities before coming to school to prevent spread of communicable diseases within school settings. Your assistance in monitoring your own child(ren) for illness is crucial in maintaining the health of our school communities.

Thank you for your continued support in keeping our school community healthy and safe for students, staff and visitors.



Core Competencies @ Home

- Students develop Core Competencies at home as well as at school, making parent/guardian support for students' growing awareness, understanding, and development of the Core Competencies crucial
- Parents/guardians will likely already have some understanding of their students' development in Personal and Social
- Click [here](#) for more information and illustrations

In Action:

- I can solve problems in a peaceful way
- I can share my feelings
- I can be respectful of others
- I can keep trying even when something is hard
- I can think about other people's needs and feelings

PERSONAL & SOCIAL COMPETENCY



As we enter into cold/flu season, we would like to respectfully remind parents/guardians to please keep your child home if they are experiencing cold/flu symptoms that are not consistent with a previously diagnosed health condition. We really appreciate your assistance with this as it helps keep other students and staff healthy.



We're Hiring!

The Sooke School District is the fastest growing school district on Vancouver Island and one of the fastest growing districts in British Columbia and employs approximately 2,300 staff and has a student population of over 14,000. The District operates in five municipalities: Langford, Colwood, Metchosin, Sooke and the Highlands and acknowledges the nations on which our schools are built, including T'Sou-ke Nation, Sc'ianew Nation, Pacheedaht Nation, and all South Island Coast Salish Nations, specifically Esquimalt Nation and Songhees Nation. Our vision is to honour student voice and choice through engaging, purposeful and experiential learning in a safe and respectful community.

The following permanent, temporary and on-call positions are available starting immediately:

Noon Hour Supervision Assistants

Creating a safe and caring environment for students during their non-instructional time.

Shifts range from 1 to 5 hours per week during school days during the noon-hour. Starting wage of \$28.56 per hour.

Apply Today!

- Go to www.makeafuture.ca
- Click BC Regions and select Vancouver Island and Sunshine Coast
- Click Sooke 62 under K-12 Employers
- Click on the Job Posting and submit your application

Need any Willway wear?

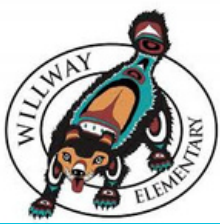
We're excited to share that Willway clothing is now available for purchase! This is a great opportunity to show your school spirit! Click [here](#) to order. Online Store closes on November 10th (Midnight).



CONTACT INFO

- Principal: Ms. Georgette Walker
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- Vice Principal: Mrs. Shannon Miller
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PAC NEWS



PAC TREAT DAYS

October 31 - Cookie

November 14 - Popcorn

November 28 - Cookie

December 12 - Popcorn

To order, please go to the PAC Hot Lunch Website [here](#).

Halloween School Dance

Children **MUST** be accompanied by an adult

Date & Time	Location	Donations
October 30, 2025 5:15pm to 7:30pm	School gym Enter front doors only	Suggested \$5 Donation for entry and a chance to participate in the Candy Jar Challenge.

Please note: Cash only.

CONCESSION MENU

- Pop / Water / Juice - \$2
- Chips - \$2
- Cupcakes - \$2
- Pizza Slice - \$6
- Glow Sticks - \$1

Pre-Order Pizza!
Only \$5.75 per slice when pre-ordered through the Hot Lunch Website.
Limited pizza available the night of.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

- Concession
- Front Door
- Decorating
- Clean Up
- Bakers
- Gym Door Supervisor

Sign up today!!

Wear your costumes, bring your spooky spirit, and come ready to dance!

Question? Email: willwayPAC@gmail.com

Winter Fundraiser 2025

Brighten your winter and make a difference. Each purchase helps our community flourish.

HILLTOP GREENHOUSES
Locally Grown and Family Owned for Over 50 Years

POINSETTIAS

\$6.50
4' POINSETTIA with all color subject to change
AVAILABLE IN Red, White and Pink

\$12.00
6.5' POINSETTIA with all color subject to change
AVAILABLE IN Red, White and Pink

\$30.00
10' POINSETTIA with all color subject to change
AVAILABLE IN Red, White and Tri Colour

PLANTS

\$6.50
4' ZYGOCactus Cactus Mixed Colours

\$6.50
4' SELAGNELLA Ready For 1 Year show not for example in show

\$6.50
4' KALANCHOE Red & White

\$6.50
4' CYCLAMEN Mixed Colours

PLANTERS & WREATH

\$32.00
NOBLE FIR WREATH Approx. 22"

\$27.00
LARGE HOLIDAY PLANTER Approx. 18"

\$24.50
GRINCH TREE IN A SACK Approx. 4'

\$25.00
MEDIUM SLEIGH PLANTER Approx. 17" X 15" (with all color)

\$20.00
SMALL HOLIDAY PLANTER Approx. 8"

\$27.50
LARGE WINTER GREENS PORCH PLANTER Approx. 18" X 18" X 18"

*The quantity and type of plants will vary.

Winter is coming, and it's the perfect time to brighten up your home with festive plants! Willway PAC is holding a Hilltop Winter Fundraiser featuring poinsettias, planters, and other seasonal plants. Orders can be placed through the Hot Lunch site ([click here](#)).

Last day to order is **November 6th**. Don't miss your chance to add some holiday cheer while supporting our school!