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Special Dates

June 26 Gr. 7 Year End Assembly

June 27 Year End Recognition Assembly

June 27 Last Day of School Early Dismissal 1:37 pm

June 27
Report Cards
Issued
Please provide a selfaddressed 8x12
envelope with
appropriate postage if
you are leaving before
June 27th and would like
report card mailed.

September 3
First Day Back
Students attend from
10:00 – 11:00 am

Academics Athletics Attitude Arts

Building a Community of Learners – Together

Ray Shepherd Elementary School



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Year End Events:

Please join us for our year end assemblies. The Grade 7 Farewell Assembly will be on Wednesday June 26 at 10:10 am. Doors open at 9:45 am. This assembly includes a presentation of awards to students.



On the last day of school, June 27th, we have our Year End Assembly and Slide Show. The event begins at 10:30 and doors open at 10:00. We look forward to a wonderful slideshow prepared by Linda Stanley Wilson and the yearbook team! We also will be saying goodbye to staff who are not returning in September. We hope to see you there!

Lost and Found:

Items will be on display in the Garden Room this week and next. Unclaimed items will be collected and given to charity on June 28th.



Used School Supplies:

We will be collecting any used school supplies in boxes on the second floor by the notice board. On June 28th any donations will be given to the charity, Canadian Food for Children who ship all over the world! Regrets, but binders and felts cannot be accepted. Thank you for your generosity!

Crossing Guard:

We are collecting any contributions for Mr. Carracher, our crossing guard for a year end thank you gift. He has been wonderfully supportive assisting our students across 16th Avenue safely. Please drop any contributions to the office.



Moving?

Please let us know as soon as possible if your children will not be attending Ray Shepherd in the fall. This assists us a great deal in planning for September!



Thank You Parents:

Thank you to our dedicated parents for your ongoing support of our school. We feel so fortunate to have such a generous, supportive and enthusiastic group of parents! A special thank you to Michelle Bate our PAC Chair and the executive for coordinating the many events throughout the year. We wish you all a restful summer holiday!

"Sticks in a bundle are unbreakable" \sim Kenyan Proverb \square

Farewell:

We have been so fortunate to have such a hard working and dedicated staff here at Ray Shepherd. Unfortunately many teachers are moving on to new and exciting adventures this year. We would like to wish Mrs. Bratus and Mrs. Avery the best as they embrace retirement and enjoy time with their families. We will miss Mrs. Stanger, Mrs. Ashley and Mrs. McCue as they move on to Ocean Cliff Elementary. Ms.

Hislop will be joining the new staff at Katzi Elementary in it's opening year. They will be wonderful additions to their schools! We will also miss Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Odabasigil, Ms. Townsend, Ms. Sidhu, Ms. Gill, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Roblero, Mrs. Wilson and Ms. Loudon as they move on to new schools next year. Good luck!

We have also been blessed with wonderful support staff! We wish Mrs. China, Ms. Foss, Mrs. Harman, Ms. King, Mrs. Manz, Mrs. Seto, Mrs. Unsworth and Mrs. Zdrill good luck with their positions next year! They will be missed greatly!



First Week Back:

School begins on Tuesday, September 3^{rd} and students attend from 10:00-11:00 am only. Regular school hours begin on September 4^{th} . *Please note: Any newly registered Gr. 1-7 students will meet in the gym from 9:30-10:00 and then will join other students from 10:00-11:00 on the first day.

Thank you for making the Ray Shepherd school and community such a wonderful place! We wish you all a restful break and hope that you have some wonderful adventures over the holidays!

