

# Bridge Week-at-a-Glance

June 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023



June is: **National Indigenous History Month**,  
**Italian Heritage**, **Filipino Heritage**, and **Portuguese Heritage Month**

<b>Monday</b> June 19	
<b>Tuesday</b> June 20	<b>South Arm Swimming and Picnic Day</b> <i>Please read safety information below.</i>
<b>Wednesday</b> June 21	A librarian from the <b>Richmond Public Library</b> will be visiting Bridge to promote the <b>Summer Reading Club</b> and showcase books.
<b>Thursday</b> June 22	<b>PAC Hot Lunch – Subway – Pre-orders only</b>
<b>Friday</b> June 23	<b>Grade 7 Assembly, Luncheon and Field Trip</b> <b>PAC Freezie Friday - \$2 each</b>

## Mark your calendars:

Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup>

**Year End Assembly** in the morning

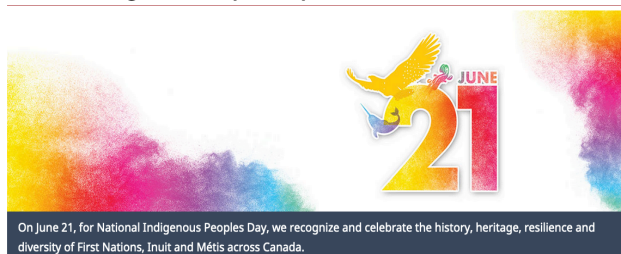
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Last day of school for students – Dismissal 2:45pm

### National Indigenous Peoples Day



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For more information, please visit:

<https://www.rcaanc-cirnac.gc.ca/eng/1100100013718/1534874583157>

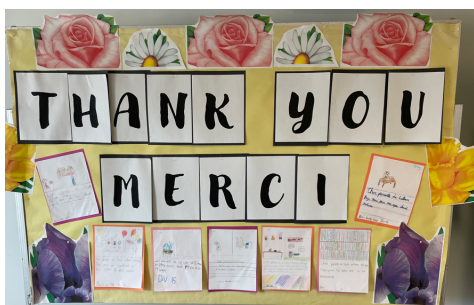
## Staff Appreciation Luncheon

Thank you so much to our amazing PAC who treated us to a wonderful luncheon on Tuesday. The food was delicious and our staff would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for organizing this for us. We felt truly spoiled by your kindness!



## Parent Appreciation Mix and Mingle

Thank you to everyone who was able to join us this morning for a quick **Mix and Mingle** in the gym to start the day. For those of you who were not able to join us, please accept our sincere appreciation for all that you do at home, for the school, and in our community to help make Bridge the best place to learn and play.



## South Arm Pool and Picnic Day – Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>



We are looking forward to our annual **pool and picnic day!** Our school has two different swim times and classes will walk over to the pool in time for a picnic, safety talk and swim. Your child's teacher may have provided you with more detailed information specific to their class regarding changing, snacks, water bottles, sunscreen and more. *Thank you for reading that information carefully or speaking directly with your child's teacher if you have any questions.*

We'd also like to provide some general information from the pool. **Students who are under 7 years old must be in the water within arms reach of (very close to) an adult/caregiver.** This will need to be the child's adult. Parents, teachers and staff will not be able to watch other children specifically as they will be supervising their own children/class. *If your child is under 7 years old, please join them in the pool or understand that they will be able to enjoy the wading pool only.*

If your child is **7 years or older**, they will be supervised by the lifeguards on duty. If they are not strong swimmers, we encourage you to be in the water with them or to have them stay in the shallow end only.

Thank you for understanding that your child's safety is very important to us and we will abide by the pool's safety rules.

## Summer Learning Programs

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June is designated as **National Indigenous History Month**, a time to honor and acknowledge the profound history, heritage, resilience, and diversity of the First Nations, Inuit, and Métis Peoples throughout Canada.

During this significant month, we are encouraged to delve deeper into the cultures, narratives, experiences, and histories of the First Nations, Inuit, and Métis communities. The Government of Canada's [National Indigenous History Month educational portal](#) serves as an invaluable resource to explore and gain a comprehensive understanding of these rich traditions and unique perspectives.



**Pride Season** refers to a series of Pride events that occur during the summer months, from June to September. These events bring together LGBTQ2 communities and their allies to highlight resilience, celebrate talents, and recognize the invaluable contributions made by LGBTQ2 communities.

Bridge School and The Richmond School District also acknowledges and stands in support of **Pride Month**, which takes place in June every year. The district believes that equity and inclusion are foundational to learning and leading, and are critical to success, well-being, and fulfillment. It is our mission to ensure that all of our students, families, and staff feel welcomed, are treated respectfully, and have a sense of belonging. We acknowledge our responsibility to support all learners so they may complete their education with dignity, purpose, and options.

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