

Brighthouse Newsletter

**Brighthouse
Elementary**

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School Schedule:

8:40 - Welcome Bell
8:45 – Classes Begin
10:10 -10:25 - Recess
11:50 - 12:42 - Lunch
2:45 - Dismissal

May 4th - 8th 2026 Week at a Glance

Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	PAC Treat Day! Frozen Yogurt
Thursday	Grades 4 - 7 at the Track Meet!
Friday	Spirit Day - Wear Bobcats Spirit Wear! Hot Lunch - Edo

Dear Brighthouse Families,

On Thursday, May 7, students in Grades 4–7 will participate in our Annual Track and Field Meet. The primary goal of this event is to provide all students with the opportunity to take part in running, throwing, and jumping events alongside students from other schools.

The Physical and Health Education curriculum emphasizes regular physical activity, exploring which activities students enjoy, and developing fundamental movement skills. This Track and Field experience closely aligns with these key learning goals.

If, after participating on May 7, your child expresses an interest in competing in track and field events at a higher level, families may choose to sign their child up for the BC Elementary Championships. This annual event is hosted at Minoru Stadium. Please see the information below for further details.

Wishing you all a good weekend!

Leah Scharf and Kathy Pantaleo

Important Dates!

May 6	PAC Treat Day - Frozen Yogurt
May 7	Track Meet
May 8	Spirit Day - Wear Bobcats Spirit Wear!
May 8	Hot Lunch - Edo
May 12	Universal Hot Lunch
May 14	Welcome to Kindergarten!
May 14	Hot Lunch - Gmen
May 15	ProD - No School
May 18	Victoria Day - No School
May 19	PAC Treat Day - Booster Juice

Universal Hot Lunch Dates

May 12	Taco/Quesadilla
May 26	Butter Chicken / Falafel
June 2	Meatballs / Pasta
June 16	Spaghetti

Track Meet on May 7th!

What to bring:

- Backpack with bagged lunch and water bottle
- A watch (if you have, highly recommended)
- Sunscreen
- NO VALUABLES (ex. electronics etc.)
- NO PHONES (if you have a phone, it must stay in your bag)
- LABEL all your belongings (name and school)
- No more than \$10 if you plan on using the concession stand

Brighthouse Bobcat Day

Who: We encourage everybody to participate :)

What: Wear your school spirit wear, Grad Hoodies, or school colors (green & blue)

When: Friday May 8, 2026

Where: Brighthouse Elementary School

Why: To show school spirit :)

Science Rendezvous
A FREE FAMILY SCIENCE FESTIVAL

May 9, 2026
 ☉ 11am - 2pm
 📍 KPU Langley
 20901 Langley Bypass

Join us for hands-on experiments, magic shows, interactive science labs, arts and crafts, games, campus tours, and many more exciting STEAM activities!

Register at kpu.ca/SR

While you're here, check out Community Day — two events, one amazing day!

56TH BCEC
BC ELEMENTARY track&field CHAMPIONSHIPS

OPEN TO ALL GRADES 3 TO 7 STUDENTS

MAY 22-24, 2026
MINORU PARK, RICHMOND, BC

<https://www.kajaks.ca/bcec>

RICHMOND SPORT HOSTING