



Div 6

Important Dates:

Dec 19 Last Day Before Winter Break / Learning Updates available 3 pm

Dec 20 - Jan 4 Winter Break

Jan 5 Welcome Back !

Jan 6 PAC Meeting 6:45 pm

Jan 12 - 16 Early French Imm Kindergarten and Grade 1 Registration

Jan 26 Pro D Day School not in session

Jan 26 - Jan 30 Kindergarten Registration and Kindergarten Transfer

Feb 6 PAC Bingo Night

Feb 9 - 12 K - 12 Transfer Request Week

Feb 12 PAC Movie Night

Feb 13 Pro D Day School not in session

Feb 16 Family Day School not in session

Mar 3 PAC Meeting 6:45 pm

Mar 13 Last Day Before Spring Break / Learning Updates available 3 pm

Mar 30 Welcome Back

April 3 Good Friday School not in session

April 6 Easter Monday School not in session

**Thank you to all the
Volunteers who
sponsor or Clubs**

**Grade 5 Basketball
Tuesday**

- Grade 5 Girls
- 2:45- 3:30



Thursday

- Grade 5 Boys
- 2:45- 3:30

Knitting Club

- Tuesday and Friday
- Lunch Recess



Chess Club

- Fridays
- Lunch Recess



Swiftie Club

- Mondays
- Lunch recess



Rainbow Club

- Thursday
- Lunch Recess





A fond Farewell to Mme. Kines and wishing her much success at her new position at Campus View.

And welcome back to Mm. Alisha Ward who will be returning as the teacher of Div 10!

Congratulations Doncaster Community

We collected 978 lbs of donated food for The Mustard Seed

Thank you for your support!



Please come *shopping* at our Lost and Found



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Important Dates:

French Immersion: Jan 12-16

English: Jan 26-30

If your child was born in 2021, we are eager to welcome them to Kindergarten!

[Register Online: www.sd61.bc.ca](http://www.sd61.bc.ca)

Grade 4 Doncaster student, Oskar Williams selected as Holiday Card contest winner

December 16, 2025

Saanich, BC – The results are in – the District of Saanich is pleased to announce Oskar Williams, a grade 4 student in Saanich, has won the annual Mayor and Council Holiday Card contest. Congratulations, Oskar!

After sorting through dozens of creative and thoughtful submissions at Municipal Hall, Mayor Murdock was impressed with Oskar’s attention to detail and incorporation of Saanich’s official bird, the Great Horned Owl.

“Oskar did a marvelous job drawing the Great Horned Owl and adding a holiday twist. I love the Santa Hat, all the bright colours, and the owl’s recognizable large yellow eyes! Each young artist should be very proud of what they created this year. The thoughtfulness and creativity that went into each submission shines brightly! I look forward to seeing what next year brings.”

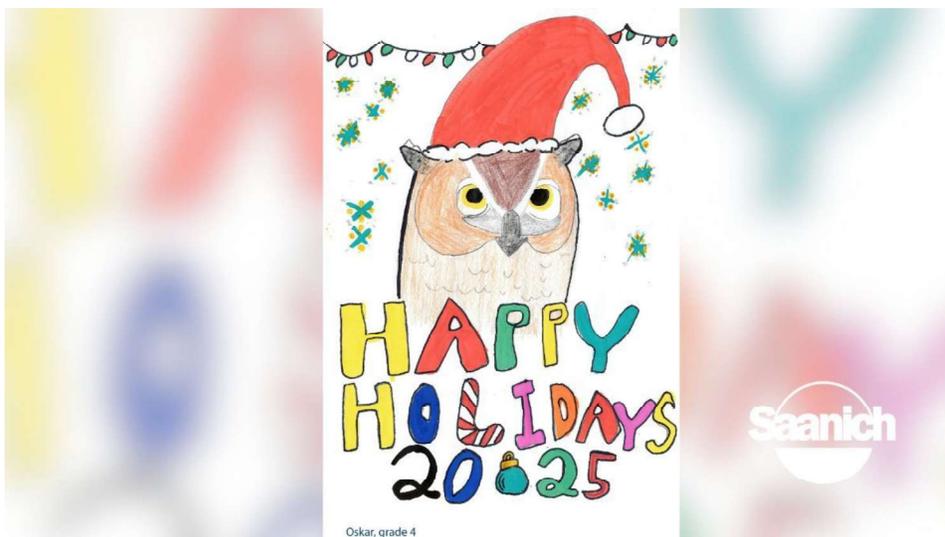
Each of the submissions showcased what children in Saanich love most about the holidays including penguins, presents, ice skating, snow angels and Santa Claus.

The District thanks everyone who participated including students, teachers, educators, parents and caregivers for supporting this fun annual tradition.

The winning design will be featured on Mayor and Council’s holiday card and shared on District social media channels.

We look forward to welcoming Oskar to the Hall in the new year to join Mayor Murdock as “Mayor for the Morning!” on Friday, February 13, 2026.

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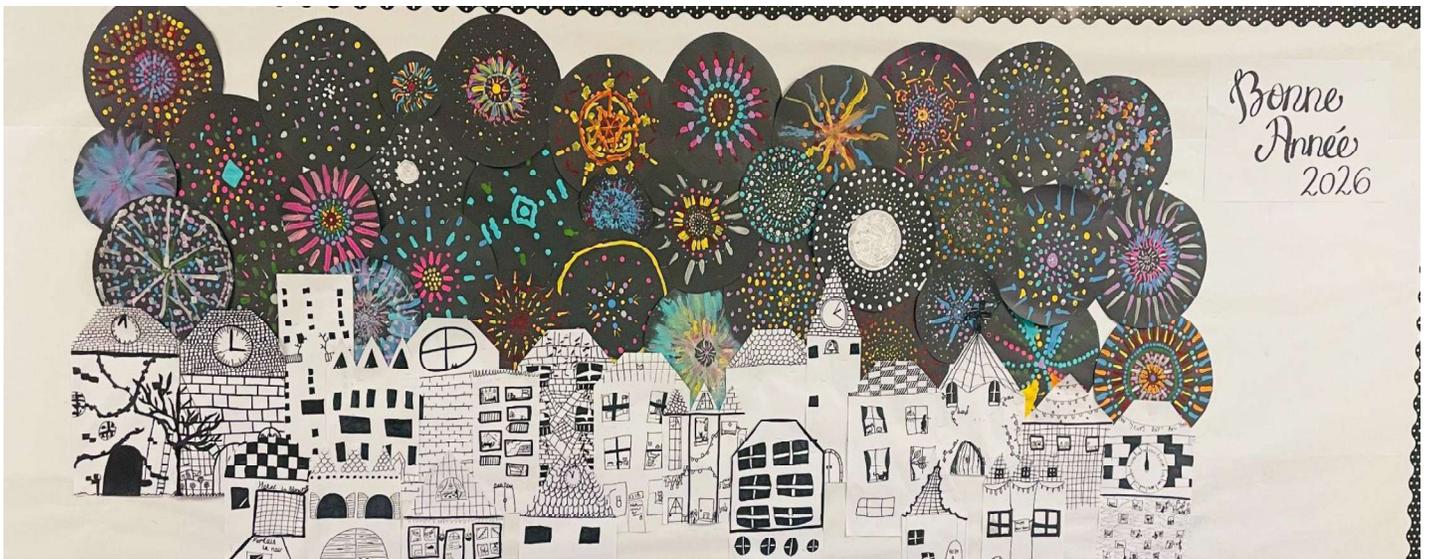
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Div 3



Div 10



Div 1



Div 20



Div 19



Div 16



Div 15



Youth Softball in Gordon Head

Ages 5 - 17

Learn to play softball at Majestic Park in Saanich. Watch your child build physical, mental, and social skills in a fun-filled team environment!

**REGISTRATION
COMING SOON!**
for the April - June 2026 spring softball season



More information and online registration at:
www.gordonheadfastball.ca



As we head into the holiday season and bring the year to a close, we want to extend a heartfelt thank you to our students, staff, and families. This past year has been filled with learning, growth, and many meaningful moments. What stands out most is the care, dedication, and strong sense of community that you bring to our school each day. We hope the holidays offer time to rest, reconnect, and celebrate, and we wish everyone a happy, healthy New Year.

Rose Lugo & Stephanie Fredette

Jennifer Cox, Vice Principal & Ingrid Fawcett, Principal