

# Year End Newsletter

## September Start-Up

The first day back to school for Grade 1– 5 will be Tuesday, Sept 2nd  
8:25-10:00

Registered Kindergartens will attend Tuesday, Sept 2 between 11-12pm

Check the SD72 website and/or the local newspapers for news about school openings and bussing. *Please note times may change dependent on bussing.*

## SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Ocean Grove's office will be open Wednesday, August 27, 2025 through Friday, August 29, 2025 for new registrations and information.

You may leave a message via voicemail or email to [oceangrove@sd72.bc.ca](mailto:oceangrove@sd72.bc.ca) prior to that date if necessary.

## Next Year Student School Supplies

We will once again be purchasing bulk student school supplies for September, and asking that families pay **\$45.00** (all grades) per student to cover the cost.

The bulk order of supplies is purchased from a local company and ensures that consistent quality of exact items is provided for classroom use.

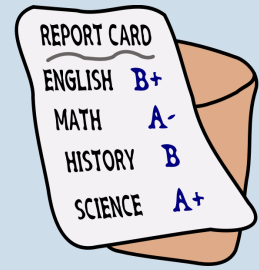


Please note, **we will not be requesting payment from students until the end of August.**

An email will be sent to all Ocean Grove families just before September start-up, requesting payment and providing full details on the payment options.

## Final report cards

final term report cards will be sent home with students on the last day of school. If they are not picked up, they will be held in a marked box in the main foyer (they will not be mailed). Any other belongings left behind will be placed in a labelled bag under the foyer



### Not returning?

Current grade K-4 students – if you know your child will not be attending our school in the Fall, please inform the school via email: [oceangrove@sd72.bc.ca](mailto:oceangrove@sd72.bc.ca)

Please Send a backpack/bag with your child the last day of school to take home their belongings, and ensure that you check the lost & found.

### Library News

Thanks to everyone who returned their library books – if you notice any around your home please send back before the last day of school.

### Grade 5's

If your grade 5 student is not transitioning to Southgate (automatic), but instead is attending Ecole Phoenix or another school, and you have not yet informed the office please email: [oceangrove@sd72.bc.ca](mailto:oceangrove@sd72.bc.ca)

## Student Medications

All student medications provided to the school this year **MUST** be **PICKED UP on or before June 26th**.

We are not permitted to keep medications at the school over the summer. New medical information forms will be required again in September.

we have noticed an increase in early student pick-ups. If possible, please email your child's teacher the night before to ensure that your child is ready for pick-up. Lots of classes are out-and-about with year end activities and it can be challenging and disruptive to located students last minute.

Thank you for your understanding.

It is a continual challenge trying to return **Lost & Found** items to students. Most items are not labelled with students' names/initials.

Lost & Found items are on display in the main foyer.



*Any items not claimed from our Lost & Found by noon on **Thursday, June 26th** will be collected and donated to a local charity.*

## 2024 - 2025 Student Bus Passes

Bus pass applications for the Fall have been opened on the district website using this link:  
[Student Transportation \(sd72.bc.ca\)](https://sd72.bc.ca)

The **application deadline** to ensure approved ridership bus passes are available at school start-up is **June 27th**. Ensure that you are selecting the correct year in the drop-down menu.

Please do not duplicate applications. One application per child is sufficient. If you feel that you have made an error, please call the Transportation Dept.

The Transportation Dept. has noted that there have been an extraordinary amount of lost bus passes this year, so students are reminded to keep care of their passes to ensure seamless ridership throughout the school year.

The policy of **MUST HAVE** a bus pass to ride the school bus will be strictly enforced in the Fall, and will likely be in full effect by the end of September.

**Bus Pass replacements will cost \$10.**



Some classes will be participating in a **water fight** the last day of school at 10:30 am.

Your child's teacher will advise if they are participating.



ENJOY  
YOUR  
SUMMER  
BREAK!

