



# Wellington School

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## NEWSLETTER

## JUNE 2025

To Parents/Guardians of Wellington School,

It seems like just yesterday we were welcoming students and families for the start of the school year. Here we are in June, completing projects, preparing for the end of the year and reflecting on the school year while celebrating student learning, individual and collective achievements. Your children have worked so hard this year and we have witnessed huge gains both academically, and socially. Over the summer please encourage them to continue to read, write and do math games to help prevent summer learning loss.

June is a busy and exciting month. Students will be going on field trips to the divisional Pow Wow, Lower Fort Gary, Assiniboine Park, and Nature's Playground. This is an amazing way to experience learning outside of the classroom and connect to the in-school learning here at Wellington School. Just as a reminder to please ensure your child dresses appropriately as we will be spending a lot of time outside this last month. If you wish to attend a field trip please call the school and our Community Support Worker Livia can help you.

June is a busy time for farewells. Our food coordinator extraordinaire Ms. Calanza and with the help of Ms. Norie will be putting on a Grade 6 Farewell Lunch on June 18th. Our Grade 6 farewell event will be in the school and will take place on June 20th. Information has been sent out, but if you need further information, please contact the school. The N/K farewell is taking place June 24th. The AM class will be 9:30 and the PM is at 1:30. Further information will be sent out by the classroom teachers.

Please make sure to mark down important dates for families and community to come celebrate the end of the school year. One being the Indigenous Showcase and Family Gathering night. More information is available in the newsletter.

Before we officially close the doors for the summer, we hope that everyone has an amazing end to the school year, remembering to stay safe, stay hydrated and finish strong.

Sincerely,

**Emil Contreras** Principal

**Kari Bergmuller** Vice - Principal



## • Important Dates to Remember •

TUE	<b>June 3</b>	Non-instructional—Dismissal @ 12:00PM ***Wellington School only***
WED	<b>June 4</b>	Traditional Teaching Celebration (Last day)
THU	<b>June 5</b>	Morning Sound Farm (Nursery & Kindergarten)
THU	<b>June 12</b>	Lower Fort Garry (Gr. 3 & 4 )
THU	<b>June 12</b>	Ultimate Football Tournament @Tec Voc (Gr. 5 & 6 ) AM only
THU	<b>June 12</b>	Community Gathering (5:00 PM—7:00 PM)
TUE	<b>June 17</b>	Assiniboine Park (Gr. 5 & 6)
THU	<b>June 19</b>	Summer Field Day
FRI	<b>June 20</b>	Assiniboine Park Nature Playground
FRI	<b>June 20</b>	Grade 6 Farewell
TUE	<b>June 24</b>	Kindergarten Celebration
FRI	<b>June 27</b>	Last day of school—Dismissal @ 11:30



**WELLINGTON SCHOOL**

# Breakfast Program

**Hot breakfast is available for all Wellington students every morning between 8:30 AM—9:00 AM**

\*\*\* No sign up necessary \*\*\*

**Enter through the playground doors**

# School Year 2025-2026 NURSERY / KINDERGARTEN GRADES 1-6 REGISTRATION



Registration opened **February 10** for the 2025-2026 School Year. If you know of families who do not receive our Newsletter, please pass this information to them. We require proof of age such as Birth Certificate for all Nursery and Kindergarten registrations. Early registration facilitates our planning process for September 2025.

## Nursery

Children born in 2021 must be 4 years old by December 31, 2025.

## Kindergarten

Children born in 2020 must be 5 years old by December 31, 2025.

The school office is open daily from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm until June 27th. School Office will re-open on August 25<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am.

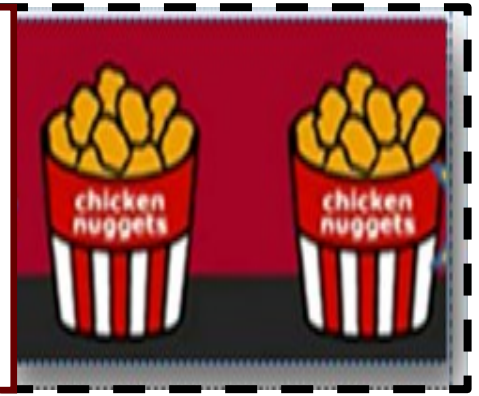
If you have any questions, please drop in or give us a call at **204-774-8085** or email us at **wellington@wsd1.org**.





# LUNCH PROGRAM

(Dixie Halladay)



We ask parents to please go over the lunchroom rules with your children on a regular basis: Our policy follows School Division guidelines. When a child misbehaves the first time, a verbal warning will be given. The second time, a written letter will be sent home. Within this letter it will state that your child will be removed from the Lunch Program. Then you will need to make alternate arrangements for your child. In the event of a serious incident - your child WILL BE REMOVED immediately without warning.

We would like to encourage you not to send soda pop. Nut and seafood allergies among children are becoming increasingly common; therefore we have a NO NUTS & SEAFOOD policy. We have many other allergies as well, children are not allowed to share or exchange their snacks or lunches.

As of right now, microwave service is unavailable. Please send a lunch that doesn't need to be reheated.



## IMPORTANT NOTICE!



We would like to inform you about some important changes to the lunch program for the **2025-2026 school year**.

To be eligible for the program, parent or guardian **MUST** be working or going to school. This requirement helps us ensure that the program supports families who need it most.

Due to limited capacity, we can only accommodate 130 students in the lunch program this year. Registration will be handled on a first-come, first-served basis. Once all available spots are filled, additional applicants will be placed on a waiting list.

We encourage all interested families to apply as soon as possible to secure a spot for your child.





# June 2025

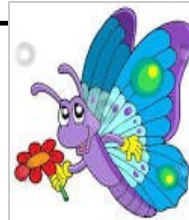
## *Family Room*



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
2 <b>Day 6</b> Moccasins Making 9:30 am—12:00 pm 1:05 pm—3:30 pm	3 <b>Day 1</b> Family room closed morning only	4 <b>Day 2</b> Food security  Traditional Teaching and Pow Wow classes celebration	5 <b>Day 3</b> Family room Closed all day  Tec -Voc High school Pow wow celebra- tions	6 <b>Day42</b> Drop in
9 <b>Day 5</b> Moccasins Making 9:30 am—12:00 pm 1:05 pm—3:30 pm	10 <b>Day 6</b> Family room closed morning only  Moccasins Making 1:05 pm—3:30 pm	11 <b>Day 1</b> Food security	12 <b>Day 2</b> <u><b>Bannock Dessert</b></u> 1:15 pm—3:15 pm  Indigenous family Gathering	13 <b>Day 3</b> <u><b>Father's Day Crafts</b></u> Stain glass pictures Father's cards 9:30 am—12:00 pm 1:05 pm—3:00 pm
16 <b>Day 4</b> Moccasins Making 9:30 am—12:00 pm 1:05 pm—3:30 pm	17 <b>Day 5</b> Family room closed  Moccasins Making 1:05 pm—3:30 pm	18 <b>Day 6</b> Food security	19 <b>Day 1</b> CSW Meeting Family room Closed am only  Moccasins Making	20 <b>Day 2</b> Drop in am  Grade 6 farewell
23 <b>Day 3</b> Year end Pot Luck Party 1:05 pm to 3:00 pm Parents Welcome!	24 <b>Day 4</b> Family room closed morning only	25 <b>Day 5</b> Food security  Family Room Clean up  Finish All Projects	26 <b>Day 6</b> Family Room Clean up	27 <b>Day 1</b> 11:30 dismissal Last of School  Have a great summer!!!
Summer Break				



# Greetings from the Family Room



June has finally arrived and summer vacation is just around the corner. In the Family Room, we will be finishing projects and celebrating events until the last day of school. We would like to wish you and your family a great summer!

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## **Crafts**

### ***Moccasin making:***

June 2nd, 9th, 10th, 16th, 17th, & 19th, 2025  
9:30 am—12:00 pm & 1:05 pm- 3:30 pm

### **Father's day gifts:**

June 13th, 2025  
9:30 am—12:00 pm & 1:05 pm—3:30 pm

## **Hands On Baking**

**Bannock Dessert:** June 12th, 2025  
@ 1:15 pm to 3:00 pm

### **Year End Pot luck:** June 23th, 2025

@ 1:05 pm to 3:00 pm.

If interested come down to the Family Room to register.

**All lost and found Items will be donated to**  
**“The Diabetes Foundation /Clothes Line”**  
**on Friday, June 28th, 2025 at 3:00 pm**

## **LOST AND FOUND**

**ALL** items will be donated to charity. On June 28th, 2025.  
Please check in the family room for your lost items.

# Wellington School Year End Family Gathering

Date: June 12th, 2025

Time: 5:00 pm — 7:00 pm

Where: Wellington School field



Traditional teaching and Pow Wow classes: student showcase

Filipino dancers, around the world food tasting.

And so much more!





# Traditional Teaching and Pow Wow Classes



**Human Rights  
Museum Field Trip**  
May 27th



**Fire Safety House**  
May 29th & 30th



**Royal Gala  
Family Dance**  
May 22nd



**Literacy Bingo**  
May 15th







By: Ms. Dahlin, Grade 3-4

In May, all grade 3-6 classes were excited to learn that they were invited to the University of Winnipeg to attend their STEM Day!

At the University of Winnipeg's STEM Day (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) students learned about science through hands-on exploration, creative activities, experiments, and theatrical spectacles! We had a wonderful time attending STEM Day and we hope we are invited back next year!

Here are a few snapshots and write-ups about our time spent at the University of Winnipeg!

## University of Winnipeg

**H**i! I'm Mielle and have you ever visited The University of Winnipeg? If you haven't, let me tell you all the AMAZING things I did there with my class!

First, we were getting ready in the class and getting our things that we were going to bring. After we packed our things, the bus came! I was sitting with Michaela on the bus. Emerald and Cail-ee were my neighbors beside me, it took so fast to arrive!

The first thing we did is we went to a field that had trees surrounding it. The instructor said that we will be learning about trees. The instructor gave some of us some pieces of wood to pass on and then secondly they gave us some different types of leaves to pass on too! We got the pieces of wood back and she told us to count the rings in the wood because the amount of rings told us how old the tree was. That's all we did in that tree lesson.

Next, we went to a big open gym and we had a different instructor. The instructor said we would be learning about rotation and movement. First, were given balloons that had a penny in it. We had to spin the balloon so the penny would rotate! After the balloons we had to do a bit of some ballet spinning. We had to take off our shoes of course and we were given these plastic mats and we had to try to rotate on them. The next thing we did in the gym was we had to go on these scooters and we had to rotate on them too! After all the rotating we were given different shapes of colorful foam and one toothpick. We had to stick the toothpick in the middle of the shape of foam and try to spin it on the ground! Since my shape was big my spinner was flying like a parachute when I spun it!

Next, it was finally lunch time! I was sitting with my friends Kahli, Layla, Michaela, and Aissy on a rock. For lunch, there were chips, hotdogs, oranges, granola bars, and juice boxes. For my lunch I had these Chinese crackers, cheese, and chocolate



cookies. My friend Aissy had a chicken burger, chips and crackers, Michaella had a whole bag of chips, a hotdog, a box of crackers, and candy. Layla had hawaiian buns, strawberries, cantaloupe, gatorade, and Takis.

After lunch, we went to a drama class and our instructor said we needed a partner and I was partnered with my best friend Michaella. We had to act like plants or animals. First, I chose to be a birch tree and Michaella was a fox, people had to walk around and ask people what they were. Then we went into a circle and sat down and we could volunteer to pick a topic in a box they will give you and when you get a topic you have to act it out with the instructor! I didn't volunteer because I was shy.

The very last workshop we went to was the Prairie Wildlife workshop. What we did when we first arrived was we had to sit down at a desk, I sat with Michaella. Then the instructor was talking about wildlife and after she talked about wildlife she took out a big metal box and when she opened it, a crow came out! She then started to talk about the crow's life story. Then, she brought out another box and when she opened it there was an owl in there! Again, she was talking about the owl's life and she even mentioned that the owl's right eye was missing. After she talked about the owl she got another box when she opened it there was a snake inside! I am very forgetful so I forgot the story about the snake, but she told us about the story of the snake.

Finally it was time to go back to school. We packed our things and we said goodbye to the instructor. We went outside and waited for the bus for like a few minutes and while I was waiting, my best friend Michaella sprayed me with water! I was having so much fun! I started to walk around these circle rocks and after like 5-6 minutes the bus finally came! Again, I was sitting with my best friend Michalla and I was playing with my keychains with her since I was bored. When we arrived at school, we had choice time for the rest of the day and then we went home!

This field trip was spectacular!!! I wish to go there again next year! Goodbye everyone, thanks for reading my writing!!

## STEM Field Trip

Hi, guys, my name is Rayden! Have you ever been to the University of Winnipeg? Because I went on a field trip with my class and some other classes and I'm going to tell you what we did.

First, I went on the bus and I was sitting with my friend named Xander. When we got there we learned about trees, like how trees grow. We also learned how to tell how old trees are by counting their rings.

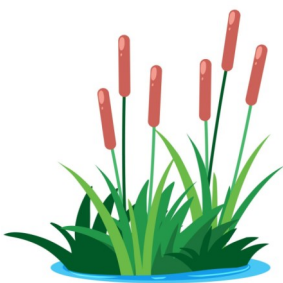
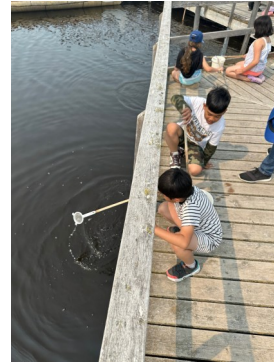
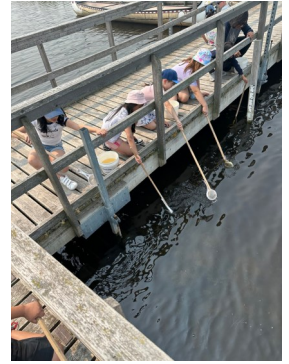
Next, we went to the gym to do some fun activities. They gave us each a balloon that had a penny inside and we had to spin the balloon so the penny can spin around in the balloon. But when I spun the balloon my balloon popped and I got so scared! Next, we played with hula hoops, but it was so hard for me that I even fell on the floor. We also played with scooters. After that, it was lunch. We ate hotdogs, chips, juices, and granola bars, and oranges.

After lunch, we went back to the building to our next workshop which was drama We were acting like animals and we learned to not litter. Lastly, we got in this place and we learned about animals and we saw real animals. We saw a crow, a owl, and a snake and we were talking about how they found them.

Finally, it was time to go so we went back on the bus and we went back to school. I had a really good day at the University of Winnipeg. I hope I get to go there again next year.







## Oak Hammock Marsh Field Trip May 30

The grade 3 class of room 110 went on a field trip to Oak Hammock March last week. The students learned about conservation, Manitoba animals, insects, and natural habitats. The highlight of the field trip was "critter dipping". Students used nets to catch small aquatic insects into buckets of water. They used an identifying sheet to see what they caught and our tour guide shared knowledge about the insects.

Have a safe and excellent summer!

All the best,  
S. Trachtenberg  
Grade 3, Room 110

Hi my name is Christabelle, and in Room 110 we are working on a few different things.

Division, Daily 3, UFLI, Novel Study, Pen Pals in ELA. We are learning about Forces in Science and we are researching ancient civilizations in Social Studies.

In Daily 3 we do UFLI, Work on writing, And read to someone or read to self.

We have pen pals. In pen pals we write letters to each other. Our pen pals are at Clifton School. We get to meet them at the end of June.

In Ancient Civilizations we are working on a project. Classmates are learning about Ancient China, Ancient Japan, Greek, Romans, Aztecs and the Mayans. My group is researching Mayans civilization.

**By Christabelle**  
Room 110 Grade 3

## FUN FACT



Mayans were the first people to harvest cacao beans, to make chocolate drinks.

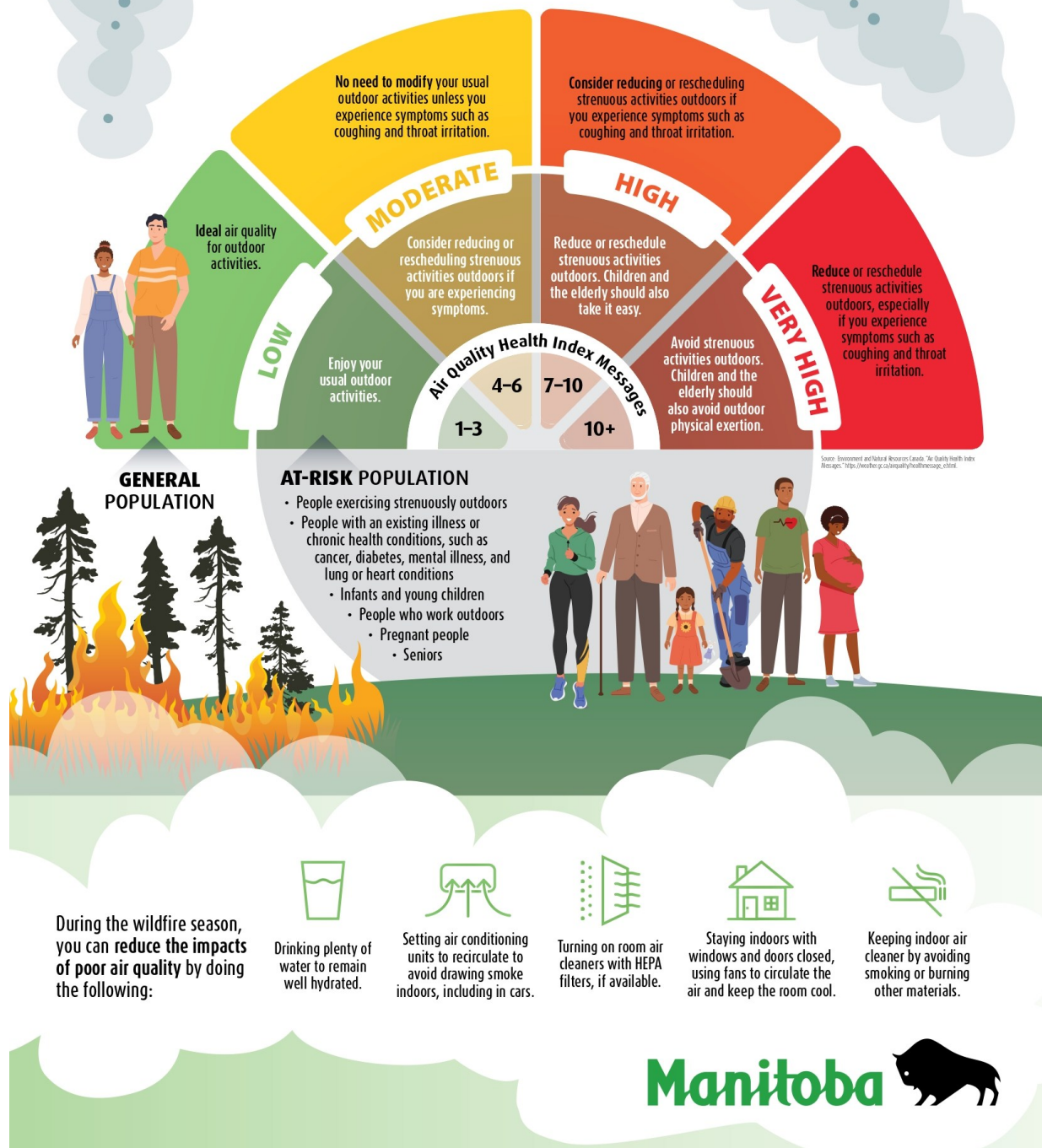


# Air Quality and You

Poor air quality, caused by pollution or wildfire smoke, can significantly affect your health.

The Government of Canada monitors the impact of air quality on people's health using an **Air Quality Health Index (AQHI)**. When the index is high or very high, an air quality statement or advisory will be issued.

This includes health messaging for general and at-risk populations.



# HELPING THE ANIMALS OF MANITOBA WILDFIRES



**Wellington School is collecting:**

- Clean and empty 4L icecream pails for water

- Pet food



**These items will be transported to Northern Communities in need. You can bring donations to school until June 27th**



**For more information or to make a monetary donation check out the Winnipeg Humane Society's webpage!**

# EVERMORE PROGRAM CALENDAR

## JUNE 2025

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY



### EVERNING DROP-IN

AGES 9 -15  
532 ELLICE AVE.

**MONDAYS &  
THURSDAYS  
6:00PM - 8:00PM**

<p>2</p> <p>JOHN M KING 3:30PM - 5:30PM BBBS</p> <p>EVERNINGDROP-IN 6:00PM - 8:00PM</p>	<p>3</p> <p>GREENWAY 3:30PM - 5:00PM</p> <p>WELLINGTON 3:30PM - 5:00PM</p>	<p>4</p> <p>GREENWAY 3:30PM - 5:00PM</p>	<p>5</p> <p>JOHN M KING 3:30PM - 5:30PM</p> <p>WELLINGTON 3:30PM - 5:00PM</p> <p>EVERNINGDROP-IN 6:00PM - 8:00PM</p>	<p>6</p>
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# EVERMORE

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# SUMMER@EVERMORE

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## LEAD

LEADERSHIP,  
EXPLORATION &  
DEVELOPMENT

July 7 - August 20



**APPLY ONLINE**  
Or See Staff for a  
Paper Copy

### 532 Ellice & in the Community

Typically within:  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
10AM-3PM

#### Why Apply to LEAD?

- SUMMER FUN
- WORK EXPERIENCE
- EARN UP TO \$300
- HELP YOUR COMMUNITY

#### Who Can Apply?

- AGES 10-14
- PREFERENCE IS GIVEN TO CURRENT EVERMORE PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS
- THOSE (10) SELECTED WILL RECEIVE A REGISTRATION FORM



## Summer Drop-In

July 8 - August 14

532 Ellice Ave

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  
10AM-3PM

#### Why Come:

- SUMMER FUN
- ACTIVE, CREATIVE AND FUN ACTIVITIES
- HANG OUT
- SNACKS & MORE

#### SIGN UP ONLINE

Or See Staff for a  
Paper Copy

