



# William Cook Elementary School

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## Cook Community

*The Week Ahead: February 23 – 27, 2026*

<b>Monday</b>	Grab & Go Breakfast
<b>Tuesday</b>	Girls 6/7 Basketball – Lunch Boys 6/7 Basketball – 3:00 vs. Talmey (at Cook) Girls 6/7 Basketball – 3:00 vs. Whiteside (at Whiteside) Universal Hot Lunch orders due (see #4 below)
<b>Wednesday</b>	Grab & Go Breakfast
<b>Thursday</b>	Early Dismissal Day – Students dismissed at 12:00 <del>EDC Club – Lunch</del> <del>Chess Club</del> – cancelled due to early dismissal
<b>Friday</b>	Grab & Go Breakfast

### **Important Information:**

1. **Free Virtual Workshop: Navigating Big Emotions: Kind Minds for Parents and Caregivers:** Did you miss the *Navigating Big Emotions: Kind Minds for Parents and Caregivers* workshop during Kind Mind Month, or would you like to join a second time? The Kelty Foundation is excited to offer four additional virtual workshop dates:

**Who:** All caregivers and educators who participated in **Kind Mind Month** during the 2025-26 school year.

**What:** The same engaging workshop offered during Kind Mind Month in a virtual format led by Sheldon Franken.

**Register Here:** <https://www.zeffy.com/en-CA/ticketing/navigating-big-emotions-kind-minds-for-parents-and-caregivers-workshop>

**Questions?** The team at **The Kelty Foundation** is here to help! Please email [contact@thekeltyfoundation.org](mailto:contact@thekeltyfoundation.org).

2. If your child is sick or at an appointment, please call our Early Warning Line at 604-668-6461.
3. We are thrilled to announce that Cook Spirit Wear is back on sale! Since we place orders every other school year, we know many of you are excited to purchase new Cook Cougar merchandise. Sales close on School Cash Online on **March 4th**.



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**SCHOOL CASH ONLINE:** <https://richmondsd38.schoolcashionline.com/>

Sample sizes will be available near the front office for families to try on.

Tuesday, February 24th	2:45 - 3:45pm
Wednesday, February 25th	2:45 - 3:45pm
Thursday, February 26th	12:00 - 3:45pm

- Beginning March 3, Cook will be offering a Universal Hot Lunch program at our school. This lunch will be offered at no cost to all students at Cook Elementary School ONCE or TWICE each month for interested families. We will be using the MunchaLunch ordering platform for this hot lunch opportunity. An email with signup instructions has been sent to Cook families Friday, February 20<sup>th</sup>.

**Please note:** if you already use MunchaLunch, follow the instructions, then select "Same School - Already Have Account".

Our first hot lunch will be March 3, 2026, so please **order your first meal choice by Tuesday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

There are two meal options for the March 3rd lunch:

**Cheeseburger Pasta or Veggie Fried Rice.**

**Both have dairy free, gluten free and halal options.**

- Our wonderful **PAC has a Boba Tea Fundraiser:** There are three flavours to pick from: ORIGINAL MILK TEA, MANGO, and TARO  
**ORDER BY MARCH 1 (Sunday)** on MunchaLunch  
DELIVERED ON MARCH 6 (Friday) at end of school day to learners.

## Important Dates

February 24 <sup>th</sup>	Universal Hot Lunch orders due for March 3 hot lunch
February 25 <sup>th</sup>	PAC Meeting
February 26 <sup>th</sup>	Learning Conferences – Dismissal for students at 12:00
March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Universal Hot Lunch
March 5 <sup>th</sup>	PAC Hot Lunch – Briteminds
March 6 <sup>th</sup>	Boba Tea Fundraiser – delivered after school
March 12 <sup>th</sup>	PAC Hot Lunch – Fresh Slice
March 16 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Break
March 30 <sup>th</sup>	First day of school after Spring Break
April 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Good Friday – No school for students
April 6 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Monday – No school for students
April 7 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 7 Camp Jubilee



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April 14<sup>th</sup>  
April 23<sup>rd</sup>  
April 28<sup>th</sup>

Universal Hot Lunch  
Learning Updates  
Universal Hot Lunch