

# Oaklands West

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# Oaklands East

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## Oaklands Track Success!

What an incredible track season we've had at Oaklands! Over 80 students from Grades 3 to 5 proudly represented our school at both the Zone Meet and the City Finals. Our athletes should be extremely proud of their **hard work, determination, and sportsmanship** throughout the season—they truly embodied the Oaklands spirit!

A huge shout-out goes to our **amazing staff** who spent weeks preparing students, running practices, and organizing teams. These events are a true team effort, and we couldn't have done it without you!

We'd also like to thank the **dedicated parent volunteers** who helped chaperone and took on important roles at the meets—your support made all the difference.

It was heartwarming to see students encouraging one another and celebrating each other's accomplishments. **Go Oaklands!**



## Important Dates

Friday, May 30  
5:30 PM

Oaklands Family Dance

Wednesday, June 4  
6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Grade 5 Family Night  
Lansdowne Middle School

Friday, June 6  
Hot Lunch - Pizza

Tuesday, June 17

Parent Appreciation Morning  
Join us for coffee and muffins  
8:15-8:45 AM

Thursday, June 19  
Fun Day

Saturday, June 21  
National Indigenous People's Day

Tuesday, June 24  
Grade 5 Recognition Ceremony  
12:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Thursday, June 26  
Last Day for Students

Lansdowne Middle School

GRADE 5  
FAMILY NIGHT



Connect with other incoming families, meet the Administration and tour the building!  
LMS Band Students will be hosting open practice for you to enjoy.


- ✓ Meet other parents
- ✓ Meet some staff
- ✓ Tour the building


Hope to see you there!



WEDNESDAY  
4  
JUNE

6:30-7:30pm













🎉 **Congratulations to our incredible athletes!** 🎉

A huge shoutout to ***all*** our runners who proudly represented Oaklands school at the City Finals at UVic last night!

🏅 **Special applause to Ben**, who smashed the competition and set a **new city record** with the time of 2:42.7, claiming **1st place** in the Grade 3 **800m run** — an outstanding achievement!

🏃🔥 And hats off to our **Grade 5 Girls Flight A relay team** — **Mila, Vida, Blair, and Sham** — who blazed down the track and took **1st place** in the **100m relay**! What a fantastic team effort!

We're so proud of ***all*** of you — well done and keep soaring! 🚀👏





## Greetings from the PAC!

### EVENT UPDATES:

#### **TONIGHT - Neon Nights Family Dance** (tickets are still available at the door)

Join us for a rockin' school dance party! All ages are welcome and an adult must accompany your child.

- Cost: \$5 tickets include a jumbo LED glow stick
- Doors open at 5:15 PM
- Food: Country Crepes, Empire Donuts, and drinks for purchase (juice, bubble water)
- Where: Oaklands West gym

#### **CANCELLED - Oaklands PAC GM - Monday, June 16th**

### DID YOU KNOW? ?

#### **HOT LUNCH | Kernals order deadline is June 3rd for delivery on June 17th**

- Order on the hot lunch website [oaklandspac.hotlunches.net](http://oaklandspac.hotlunches.net)

#### **FREEZIE FRIDAYS**

- Where: Oaklands West Elementary
- When: every Friday in June *from 2:30-3:30 PM*
- What: \$2 cash for an afternoon snack
- **Volunteers for 1 hour are needed** - please sign up here [volunteersignup.org/9BRY9](http://volunteersignup.org/9BRY9)

#### **Support Group for Parents of Neurodiverse Children - Wednesday, June 4th (7:00-8:30 PM)**

Oaklands *peer support* group for parents and caregivers of neurodivergent kids. Neurodivergence can mean autism, ADHD, anxiety, depression, and many other things.

- This group takes a neurodivergent-affirming lens and welcomes all perspectives.
- Ask questions, get support, share knowledge.
- Where: Oaklands Library (West Campus)
- Questions? Email [e.mitchell.cleave@gmail.com](mailto:e.mitchell.cleave@gmail.com) to connect :)

### MAKE AN IM-PAC-T:

*Volunteer Hour:* If you have an hour to spare, we welcome one-off volunteers to deliver meals (mid-week mornings or Friday over lunch hour) [volunteersignup.org/9WAPY](http://volunteersignup.org/9WAPY)

*Join our Facebook page:* Get updates on what is happening in and around the school (request to join the [Oaklands Elementary PAC](#) private group)

With gratitude,

Your Oaklands PAC







OAKLANDS  
ELEMENTARY PAC  
PRESENTS

**NEON NIGHTS  
FAMILY DANCE**

FEATURING DANCE HOST  
AMANDA ZINK FROM RAINO  
DANCE

CHAPERONE  
REQUIRED

**MAY 30TH 5:30-7PM OAKLANDS WEST  
GYM**

ON SITE: COUNTRY CREPES FOOD TRUCK  
PLUS EMPIRE DONUTS, TREATS AND DRINKS  
SOLD BY THE PAC

SEND SONG REQUESTS TO:  
OAKLANDSFAMILYDANCE@OUTLOOK.COM

ORDER BY MAY 25TH TO GUARANTEE AVAILABILITY  
[HTTPS://OAKLANDSPAC.HOTLUNCHES.NET/ADMIN/](https://oaklandspac.hotlunches.net/admin/)

**\$5 PER PERSON  
INCLUDES JUMBO LED  
GLOW STICK**

