

## May 11 – May 15, 2026

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### Marlin Strong: Every student, every day, whatever it takes!

A powerful transformation has been unfolding in our schools. While academic learning remains vital, educators are increasingly recognising that education’s true purpose lies in shaping the whole child. Beyond grades and outcomes, great schools nurture hearts as well as minds, cultivating environments where students grow intellectually, socially, and emotionally – three fundamental human needs: belonging, mattering, and becoming.

Belonging is the starting point of all growth. It is more than fitting in—it is the deep, internal knowing that “I am seen, I am accepted, and I am safe to be myself.” When students experience genuine belonging, they begin to take courageous steps forward. They dare to question, to try, to fail, and to try again. In classrooms where belonging thrives, students develop a growth mindset, believing that effort leads to improvement and that setbacks are not barriers but pathways to learning.

From belonging flows mattering—the profound understanding that what I do, say, and contribute has value. When students feel they matter, self-belief takes root. They become more resilient in the face of challenges, more willing to persevere when learning becomes difficult, and more confident in their ability to make a difference. Knowing they matter empowers students to lift their voices, take ownership of their learning, and recognise that they are never invisible or alone.

Together, belonging and mattering create the conditions for becoming. Becoming is the lifelong journey of growth, discovery, and self-actualisation—the process of shaping not only what students know, but who they are and who they aspire to be. It is about helping young people uncover their strengths, nurture their passions, and develop the confidence to step into the future with purpose and hope.

When students feel they belong, they face challenges with resilience. When they know they matter, they pursue their learning with confidence and passion. And through this, they begin the powerful journey of becoming—evolving, adapting, and growing into the best versions of themselves.

This is the heart of education. Not just preparing students for exams, but preparing them for life. **Championing Students & Their Learning**

**Athletic Banquet** On June 2<sup>nd</sup>, there will be an Athletics Banquet to recognize McNair’s student athletes. Families are encouraged to attend this special event to celebrate student athletes.

### DATES TO REMEMBER:

May 18	Victoria Day - School Closed
May 19-21	Gr. 8 Mini Galiano Spring Trip
May 20	Mini School Meeting
May 21	School Based Team Meeting
May 25	At-Risk Learning Completion Plans Due (3:00 pm) SCC Meeting
May 26	SD38 Indigenous Achievement Ceremony VCH Immunization Clinic
May 26-28	Gr. 10 Mini - Egmont
May 27	At-Risk Learning Completion Plans Emailed Home
May 27-29	Gr. 12 Mini – Squamish
May 29	Evacuation & ICS Drill (Block A - 9:00am)
Jun 1	Staff Meeting (after school)
Jun 2	Athletic Banquet Health & Safety Meeting
Jun 4	Spring Music Concert School Based Team Meeting
Jun 8-11	Senior Directing Projects
Jun 10	Ed Fac Meeting
Jun 12	Suggested Marks Cutoff Valedictory Rehearsal
Jun 15	Valedictory Ceremony (7:00 pm - UBC Chan Centre) SCC Meeting
Jun 17	Mini School Meeting Mini School Farewell
Jun 18	Locker Clean Out School Based Team Meeting
Jun 19	Last Day of Semester 2 Classes Awards Ceremony and School Carnival
Jun 22-24	Learning Completion Day
Jun 22	Learning Updates Due (8:00am - Firm Deadline)
Jun 23	Graduation Dinner Dance & Dry After Grad
Jun 25	Final Summary of Learning Published on MyEdBC
Jun 26	Administrative Day Last Day for Staff Staff Luncheon 11am Turn off/unplug all electronics before break

### Grade 12 Graduation Timeline

Selection of Valedictory Speakers	May 2026
Rehearsal and Grad BBQ	June 12 <sup>th</sup>
Valedictory Ceremony at UBC @ 7pm	June 15 <sup>th</sup>
Last Day of Classes at McNair	June 19 <sup>th</sup>
Red Carpet at McNair (Gym) all family and friends are welcome	June 23 @ 4pm
Dry Grad Celebration at McNair	June 23 @ 11pm

**Awards Ceremony** On June 19<sup>th</sup>, we will have an Awards Ceremony in the Gym during the school day for grades 8-12. Families are encouraged to attend to celebrate their student.