

# PROVOST PUBLIC SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

June 2025



Dear Families,

As we bring the 2024–2025 school year to a close and look ahead to the year ahead, we are proud to reflect on the many meaningful events and learning opportunities that have taken place across our K–12 community. This final stretch of the year offers a time to celebrate successes, strengthen connections, and prepare for what's next—all while staying grounded in our divisional priorities.

### Priority One: Supporting Learning Success for All Students

In support of student learning and future readiness, we were pleased to welcome Mr. Vince Saretsky to PPS to speak with our high school students about career pathways and post-secondary opportunities. He worked with classes, met one-on-one with students and parents, and provided valuable insight into planning for the future.

Track and Field season has also showcased our students' dedication and perseverance. Many of our junior high and high school athletes moved on to higher levels of competition, and our K–3 students will take part in their Track and Field day on June 13th.

On June 3rd, our high school diploma teachers gathered to analyze recent diploma results and plan targeted instructional strategies to address areas of need—an excellent opportunity to use data to drive student achievement.

Elementary teachers also participated in professional learning sessions on May 26 and 27, deepening their understanding of the new Social Studies curriculum that will be implemented this fall.

### Priority Two: Fostering Safe and Caring Learning Environments

Graduation ceremonies on May 24th were a true highlight of the year. We were proud to celebrate our Grade 12 students as they marked this important milestone. On May 26th, our grads shared in a cherished tradition—the Grad Walk—where they showcased their gowns and attire as they walked the halls of their school. They also spent time with residents at long-term care and Hillcrest Lodge, making intergenerational connections.

We're looking forward to a very special celebration on June 9th, beginning with a pancake breakfast in honour of our graduates. A heartwarming presentation will follow, bringing together our youngest learners in Kindergarten with our Grade 12 students—symbolically connecting the beginning and end of the K–12 journey.

The school-wide Colour Run later that day will be a joyful event for all students, organized by our Student Leadership Advisory Council (SLAC).

As we approach final exams, please note that our Nutrition Program will wrap up on June 20th, but SLAC will continue to support our students by stocking the Snack Attack boxes throughout exam week.

### Priority Three: Building Strong Collaborations

Throughout May and June, we have seen the power of collaboration in action. From Mr. Saretsky's meetings with students and families, to our teachers' shared curriculum and assessment planning sessions, to the partnerships between students and staff in organizing school-wide events, PPS continues to grow as a connected and supportive learning community. These collaborative efforts ensure that we are meeting the diverse needs of our learners and building a culture of shared responsibility for success.

As we prepare for summer and the year ahead, we extend our gratitude to all students, families, and staff for your ongoing support and partnership. We wish you a safe, restful, and joyful summer break.

Mrs. Brouwer and Ms. Heim

## June

- 3 School Council 7:00 p.m.
- JR High Track & Field Finals Wainwright
- 4 Spirit Day – Hawaiian Day
- 9 Grad Pancake Breakfast and school assembly
- 11 Grade 2 Field Trip
- 12 Subway Sale
- 13 K to 2 Track and Field – Afternoon
- 18 Spirit Day – Hat day
- 19 Safety Patrol – Bowling
- 20 Grade 3/4 Field Trip
- Grade 4/5 Field Trip
- 24–25 Grade 6 Field Trip
- 26 Last day of classes



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## Track & Field



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### TWIN DAY



