



January 28, 2026

Sinkut View Elementary

Phone: (250) 567-5133

We are grateful to live, work, and play on the unceded, ancestral territories of fourteen First Nations representing the Dakelh, Nedut'en and Wet'suwet'en peoples.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Hadih Sinkut View Community,

As we are wrapping up January and celebrating our learning community with an assembly on Friday afternoon (as we do at the end of each month), we are noticing the change in daylight. Mornings and afternoons are lighter and for that we are very grateful! It feels energizing.

This week, we went to NVSS to see Sinkut View students perform in "Aladdin JR"! Wow! What a show! We are so proud of all of you putting in such effort to make the production work. Thank you PAC for supporting us attending the performance! I am going to see the play again next week, this time with the other cast. I can't wait! In the past little while, I've also enjoyed watching some of our students play hockey (will go again on Sunday) and I've met a few students when I was out cross-country skiing. I love learning about your extra-curricular activities and see you thrive in different areas!

We are looking forward to February, a month filled with heart strengthening learning and activities. We will be Jump roping for Heart (kick off this Friday, ending with a celebration in our February assembly), have another themed day and K-6 school dance on the 13th, Pink Shirt Day and Share the Love days. This is among other activities (please see the upcoming events).

Every day is a new day of learning and thank you for all you do! Thank you also for ensuring your children are getting enough sleep and are well nourished. It makes such a difference in their everyday learning.

Take care,
Principal Mia Moutray



Upcoming Events



- January 29 - Grade 3's Ski S'kool
- January 29 – Grade 6 Band
- February 2 – Kindergarten Registration opens for in-Catchment
- February 2 – Hockey Academy
- February 2 – Grade 5 Band
- February 3 – Hockey Academy
- February 3 – Grade 5 Band
- February 4 – Grade 6 Band
- February 5 – Grade 6 Band
- February 6 – ProD Day – No School**
- February 9 – Hockey Academy
- February 9 – Grade 5 Band
- February 10 – Hockey Academy
- February 10 – Grade 5 Band
- February 11 – Grade 6 Band
- February 12 – Indoor Soccer Play Day – Gr. 2s and 3s
- February 13 – LEADS – Red, White and Pink Theme Day
- February 13 – All School Valentine's Dance at 2pm
- February 16 – Family Day – No School**
- February 20 – Science Fair at SKV
- February 25 – Pink Shirt Day
- February 26 & 27 – Share the Love Days



NECHAKO LAKES SCHOOL DISTRICT

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

SEPT 2026

SCHOOL DISTRICT 91
NECHAKO LAKES

****NEW DATE for 2026****
Registration Opens:
February 2nd

Registrations accepted for
for children born in 2021

Parents/Caregivers can register at
their local catchment school office

QUESTIONS:
CONTACT YOUR LOCAL
SCHOOL OFFICE

**Out of catchment registration
opens on March 9**

Y YMCA BC
Shine On

Featuring our **Playing to Learn** curriculum,
YMCA Preschool programs help your
child **get ready for Kindergarten!**

Tues/Thurs • \$56.00/ Month
Mon/Wed/Fri • \$84.00/ Month

Sign up today at
nbc.ymca.ca/child-care

Hot Lunch Orders

Going forward hot lunch ordering will be offered online unless a paper order form is requested. Thanks for helping us keep paper costs down. Please let Mrs. Swanson know if you need assistance setting up your account. Hot lunch can be ordered monthly or weekly. Hot lunch will be available everyday.

Y YMCA BC
Shine On

Sign up for School Age Care at Evelyn Dickson Elementary!

Care options include **before and after school care!**

YMCA School Age Care includes:

- quiet and active play
- exciting physical activities
- valuable time outside
- time with staff who truly care about your child

Register at nbc.ymca.ca/child-care

NEWSLETTERS: Newsletters will go home on Wednesdays. If you wish to receive a copy by e-mail, please send a request to sswanson@sd91.bc.ca

SCHOOL DISTRICT 91
NECHAKO LAKES

Proposed Policy Update

The following draft policy is currently open for public feedback
until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, February 13, 2026.

[Policy 101.1.1 – Trustee Elections – Bylaw](#)

Members of the public are welcome to review all the information, including how to provide feedback, on the [SD91 Policies and Regulations webpage](#).

SAIK'UZ FIRST NATION

EDUCATION DEPT PRESENTS

CULTURAL DAY

Jan 21
Feb 18, March 11 & March 25
3 pm - 7 pm | The Gathering Place
Saik'uz Band Office

Feb 6-7 (Snow Days) will be both an indoor and outdoor event based at the Band Office
10 am - 3 pm

*Cultural Activities
Light Meals
Everyone Welcome*

Have Questions? Contact:
education@saikuz.com | 250-567-9293



Visitors/Parents/Caregivers Code of Conduct

Working together, we create a safe and supportive learning environment for students and a safe work environment for staff. Parents, caregivers and any other visitors to our schools support a safe environment by communicating and conducting themselves at the school and school activities respectfully.

Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use our process for addressing concerns – talk to the teacher first then, if follow up is required, contact school administration. Use respectful language whether in person, on the telephone, or through email. Respect staff time by accepting that they will respond to appropriate communication within 2-3 days outside of holidays, evenings and weekends. Clarify your child's version of events with school staff to fully understand and have perspective. Seek a peaceful and reasonable solution to all issues. Social media should not be used to voice complaints against the school, a staff member, parent/caregiver, or student. This is not a productive way to resolve an issue.
Partnership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Try to ensure your child attends school and reaches out for support if needed. Work together with staff to resolve issues or concerns. Read and discuss the Student Code of Conduct with your child to help them understand and follow it.
Conduct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When coming to school please be calm and do not swear, use inappropriate language, be threatening in your behaviour, and/or be verbally abusive.
School Culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize that EVERY student is important to us. Treat all members of our school community with dignity regardless of "Indigenous identity, race, colour, ancestry, place of origin, political belief, religion, marital status, family status, physical or mental disability, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, or age" as protected by the BC Human Rights Code.

SAIK'UZ FIRST NATION

FEBRUARY

Cultural Days

Najaz Dzen-Snow Days

February 6 & 7, 2025

10AM-3PM

The Gathering Place
(Saik'uz Band Office)

135 Joseph Street

Everyone Welcome!

Indoor & Outdoor Activities!

Lunch Provided

Competitions & Prizes!

Have Questions? Contact:
education@saikuz.com
250-567-9293

UPCOMING DATES:

JANUARY 16

JANUARY 30

FEBRUARY 27

MARCH 13

APRIL 17

MAY 15

MAY 29

JUNE 12

JUNE 26

SELECT FRIDAYS
AFTER SCHOOL

CHILL ZONE

@the Library

3:20 - 4:45

ON SELECT FRIDAYS

FOR AGES 8+
WHO ARE CONFIDENT PLAYING
TOGETHER ON THEIR OWN.

YOU CHOOSE

DROP IN : VIDEO GAMES : CRAFTS : MUSIC : BOARDGAMES

Vandetahof Children's Theatre proudly presents

Disney

Aladdin Jr.

January 28, 29, 30, 31

February 4, 5, 6, 7

Showtimes at 7:00pm, doors open at 6:30

With two special matinees on

Jan 31 & Feb 7 at 1:00pm doors open at 12:30

Integris Community Theatre

Tickets available at California Dreamin'
Students/Senior \$10 in advance, \$12 at door
Adults \$12 in advance, \$15 at door

Disney's Aladdin Jr. is presented through special arrangement with and all authorized materials supplied by, Music Theatre International, New York, NY 212-541-4684 mtisshows.com
Music by Alan Menken, lyrics by Howard Ashman, Tim Rice and Chad Beguelin, Book by Chad Beguelin

Sponsored by

RioTinto

YRB

Suncor

PJ Collision

Night Owl Maintenance Ltd.



Recreation Schedule

February 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
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Little Learners: 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Y Theatre 1pm-2pm 3-5 Yrs Winter Create! 3:30PM-4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	2 Little Artists 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Dino Crafts 1pm - 2pm 3-5 Yrs Science Day 3:30PM -4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	3 Little Movers 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Story Time 11:30am-12:30pm 0-3 Winter Crafts 3:30PM -4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	4 Tiny Tumblers 10am-11am 0-3 Yrs Winter Art 1pm-2pm 3-5 Yrs Winter Exploration 3:30PM-4:30PM 6-12 Yr	5 Pro-D Day - Tie Dye 9:30am - 3:30pm 6-12 yrs	6	7	8
Little Learners: 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Y Theatre 1pm-2pm 3-5 Yrs Winter Create! 3:30PM-4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	9 Little Artists 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Dino Crafts 1pm - 2pm 3-5 Yrs Science Day 3:30PM -4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	10 Little Movers 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Story Time 11:30am-12:30pm 0-3 Winter Crafts 3:30PM -4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	11 Tiny Tumblers 10am-11am 0-3 Yrs Winter Art-Valentine's 1pm-2pm 3-5 Yrs Winter Exploration 3:30PM-4:30PM 6-12	12	13	14	15
FAMILY DAY (VCC CLOSED)	16 Little Artists 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Dino Crafts 1pm - 2pm 3-5 Yrs Science Day 3:30PM -4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	17 Little Movers 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Story Time 11:30am-12:30pm 0-3 Winter Crafts 3:30PM -4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	18 Tiny Tumblers 10am-11am 0-3 Yrs Winter Art 1pm-2pm 3-5 Yrs Winter Exploration 3:30PM-4:30PM 6-12	19	20	21	22
Little Learners: 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Y Theatre 1pm-2pm 3-5 Yrs Winter Create! 3:30PM-4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	23 Little Artists 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Dino Crafts 1pm - 2pm 3-5 Yrs Science Day 3:30PM -4:30PM 6-12 Yrs	24 Little Movers 10am-11am 3-5 Yrs Story Time 11:30am-12:30pm 0-3 Winter Crafts-Pink Shirt 3:30PM-4:30PM 6-12 Yr	25 Tiny Tumblers 10am-11am 0-3 Yrs Winter Art 1pm-2pm 3-5 Yrs Winter Exploration 3:30PM-4:30PM 6-12	26	27	28	



Facility Hours
Monday-Friday • 8:00am-5:30pm
186 Columbia Street, Vanderhoof

Contact: vcc@bc.ymca.ca
(250) 570-9505
Register online: mynbc.ca

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SCHOOL DISTRICT 91 NECHAKO LAKES

School Board Meeting
Monday, February 23, 2026
6:30 pm

School Board Office
Vanderhoof, BC

Important Public Attendance Notice:
Members of the public are invited to attend Regular Meetings of the Board of Education.
Due to limited space and seating availability, please request your seat in advance if you wish to attend in person.
Alternatively, members of the public may attend this meeting virtually through Microsoft Teams. To take advantage of this online attendance option, please visit www.sd91.bc.ca/meeting-information for the Teams link.
To view the meeting agenda, please visit www.sd91.bc.ca/board-agendas-and-minutes.
Contact:
Heather Silver
Executive Assistant to the Superintendent
250-567-2284 ext. 9003
hsilver@sd91.bc.ca



Superintendent's Report to the Board

Superintendent Anita McClinton presented her [Monthly Report](#) at the Regular School Board Meeting on Monday, January 19, 2026.

You may find it under the Latest News heading at www.sd91.bc.ca or on our [Board of Education Updates](#) page.

We're Hiring!

SCHOOL DISTRICT 91 NECHAKO LAKES

**BURNS LAKE, FORT ST. JAMES, FRANCOIS LAKE,
FRASER LAKE, GRANISLE, GRASSY PLAINS, VANDERHOOF**



Positions Include:

- Administrative Assistants
- Before & After School Care Workers
- Bus Drivers/Bus Monitors/Bus Washers
- Custodians
- Indigenous Education Advocates
- Learning Support Workers
- Meal Program Workers
- Morning/Noon/Bus/Playground Supervisors
- Personal Attendant - Autism
- Personal Care Worker
- Trades/Maintenance
- Youth Care Workers

SCAN THE QR CODE, OR VISIT WWW.SD91.BC.CA/SUPPORTSTAFFPOSTINGS TO VIEW OUR CURRENT VACANCIES, INCLUDING OUR CASUAL LISTS!



February/March 2026 MENU

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Pancakes and Sausage 	3 Beef Stew 	4 Chicken and Rice Casserole 	5 Pizza Bagel 	6 Pro-D Day
9 Eggs and Sausage 	10 Chicken Chow Mein 	11 Taco Salad 	12 Mac and Cheese 	13 Filipino Pork Steak 
16 Family Day	17 Spaghetti 	18 French Toast 	19 Salmon Salad Wrap 	20 BBQ Chicken 
23 Chili 	24 Tuscan Chicken 	25 Quesadilla  Pink Shirt Day	26 Hot Dogs 	27 Chicken Caesar Wrap 

MARCH

MARCH 2 Corn Chowder 	3 Taco Casserole 	4 Shake & Bake-Style Chicken Legs 	5 Turkey and Cheese Sandwich 	6 Asian-Style Beef and Potato Stir-Fry 
9 Fish Sticks 	10 Half Day	11 Snack Plate 	12 Beef Broccoli 	13 Chicken Noodle Soup 

* Please note: Our kitchen is not fully vegetarian or Gluten free*

(V) indicates vegetarian option is available if pre-requested

Kid's Corner

- MITTEN MAZE -

VALENTINE'S DAY WORD SEARCH

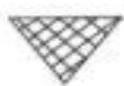


Help the child find his mitten



SEARCH AND FIND AT THE PLAYGROUND

Search and find all of the images below. Circle or color them in as you find each image.



ICE CREAM CONE



GLASSES



PIZZA



RAINBOW



STAR



PENCIL

