



École Élémentaire Casorso Elementary School

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250-870-5135

School Website

<https://cas.sd23.bc.ca/>



March 6, 2026

Monday 9th **Gymnastics Season Begins**

- 10:54 am – GR 6 Battle of the Books Practice – Library
- 11:30 am – GR 6 Girls Basketball Tournament at OKM



Tuesday 10th

- 10:54 am – GR 5 Battle of the Books Practice in the Library



Wednesday 11th

- 9:00 am – Field Study – Berg to Save on Foods
- 10:54 am – GR 3 / 4 Battle of the Books Practice in the Library
- 1:45 pm – Roots of Empathy visits Casorso



Thursday – 12th

- 9:00 am – Field Study – Anderson to Save on Foods
- 11:15 am – Field Study – Marino and Keber to H2O Swimming
- **REPORT CARDS coming home today at 2:30 pm**

Friday – 13th

- Coyote “SWAG” Friday
- Casorso Spirit Day “ PJ Day all day ! “
- 11:15 am - Field Study – Grade 5 & 6 to H2O Swimming



LAST DAY OF SCHOOL BEFORE SPRING BREAK – Back to school on March 30th

**Safe Drop Off &
Pick up Times**

**Supervision Begins 8:10 am
Supervision Ends 2:45 pm**



March 13th

Last Day for HOT Lunch Orders



Please ensure that your child arrives on time each day.

Students should be here at 8:25 am

Teaching starts at 8:30 am
Late students disrupts class

LATE ARRIVALS & EARLY DISMISSAL PROCEDURES

If students arrive late to school, they must enter through the front entrance and sign in at the designated table.

Sign-in sheets are provided and must be completed.

If a student is leaving early for the day, they must also sign out before leaving.

It is very important that we know whether students are in or out of the building at all times in case of an emergency.

Dropping Off Items

If you are a parent or guardian dropping off items for your child, please leave them at the office. We will call your child down to collect the item. Going directly to the classroom disrupts instruction for the entire class. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



The Students that will be representing Casorso In the District Battle of the books on Thursday April 23rd, 2026 are :



Grade 6:
Quintessence M.
Aryll D.
Holland W.

Grade 5:
Emma B.
Grace F.
Abby H.
Lua G.

Grade 3/4:
Siya T.
Maya T.
Ellie C.
Spencer P.

Congratulations to all the Battle of the Books students for being amazing readers !

GRADE 6 LEADERSHIP EVENT

Movie Night

THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND
IN THE GYM
2:45PM-4:30PM

PROCEEDS GO TO
GRADE 6 CAMP

SCHOOL CASH ONLINE
TICKETS \$5

3\$ KERNELS POCORN
3\$ CANDY BAGS



NEEDED AT Casorso Elementary

THIS SUMMER The BC Summer Games are coming to Kelowna this July 22 - 26.

Casorso Elementary is an accommodation site for young athletes and we need reliable volunteers to help us create a memorable experience.

If you are interested in helping out please [CLICK HERE FOR VOLUNTEER](#)

Volunteers Make the Games Possible

The BC Games is a very large event, one of the largest of its kind in North America. As many as 3,000 volunteers come together for each Games to ensure participants have an unforgettable experience.

Each volunteer plays a vital role in putting on a celebration of pride and ensuring that participants have an unforgettable experience. From meal preparation, to transportation, to hospitality, and sport competitions, the enthusiasm and expertise of volunteers is what makes it all happen.





Coyote Highlights



Grade 5 and 6's Big White Tubing Day !



Grade 6 Girls Basketball



Ms Elliott took her class to The Kelowna Heritage Museum



Runs February 20th to March 13th

Proceeds from this fundraiser will be used to fund multiple programs and events happening this year at KLO Middle School as well as the grade 6 trip at Casorso Elementary! **Please read below carefully so your fundraising dollars can be directed appropriately.**

First, it will help replenish consumables items in our farm such as seeds, growing medium, nutrients which helps us grow more food and feed more kids! Find out more about our KLO Modular Farm here! <https://sites.google.com/learn.sd23.bc.ca/klofarm/home>

Our modular farm produces over 300+ heads lettuce per week and helps to feed over 700 students in our school!

Second, our grade 9 French Immersion Students are fundraising for a trip to Quebec! If you would like to support this trip, please make sure to identify the student going on this trip at check out and Mme Gagne as their teacher.

Third, one of our feeder elementary schools, **Casorso Elementary**, is fundraising for their grade 6 year end trip! If you are purchasing seeds in support of this initiative indicate the student's name at check out and Vandervoort-Casorso in the teacher box(the organization remains KLO Middle School).

We appreciate all your support!



Order Here!

[KLO Middle School / CASORSO – WCS Fundraising](#)



Website: <https://casorsofamilies.weebly.com/> Email: cas.pacpresident@sd23.bc.ca

The Casorso PAC is hosting the next general meeting on **Monday, April 13th, from 6:30 to 8:00 pm**, in the Casorso Library. All parents/guardians are welcome and encouraged to attend. Childcare and snacks will be provided. The PAC is made up of all parents and guardians of Casorso students. Get involved by joining our meetings, volunteering, or simply donating. Together, we can help Casorso Elementary thrive. Let's make our school the best it can be! Watch this 1-minute video to learn how you can support our children's education at Casorso by supporting the PAC: <https://vimeo.com/1072237238/386ea62f43>

Columbia Bottle Depot. Bring your returnable items in a transparent plastic bag. Print a label using the phone number 250-870-5135 to raise money for our school.

Nature's Fare (Cooper Road) gives Casorso 3% back when you make a purchase.
Collect your receipts and drop them off at the school office.

We are excited to announce that registration for our Heat [Spring Break Sports Camps](#) is now open!!! [Heat Spring Break Sports Camps](#): Join the excitement at UBCO Heat Spring Break Sports Camps—where skill development meets fun and friendship! Led by current Heat athletes, alumni, and experienced coaches, our camps offer a positive, high-energy environment that helps players of all levels grow their game. With hands-on instruction, plenty of contacts, and age-appropriate tactical training, participants will build confidence, sharpen their skills, and leave inspired to play their best [basketball](#), [soccer](#), or [volleyball](#). Register soon as spaces are limited and camps fill quickly!

Please take a few minutes to complete the SD23 budget survey before the **March 4** deadline. Your input is important and

There is a public opportunity to provide input on the **Long Range Facilities Plan**. Deadline for input is Friday March 13. Find the link here: <https://www.sd23.bc.ca/news/long-range-facility-plan-survey-20260218211826>

Opportunity to provide input to the **SD23 Strategic Plan** (after 5 successful in-person engagement opportunities for community members, the district is providing an online opportunity for those who were unable to attend the in person sessions). <https://my.thoughtexchange.com/scroll/821040678/welcome>

We encourage everyone to explore the BC Government **erase = expect respect & a safe education** website. There are areas for students and parents and so many valuable resources and videos. This is also where you can find the "report it" tool available to students to seek help or submit reports if they see or hear something that concerns them at school: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/erase>

At February's Health Promoting Schools Meeting we learned about <https://www.outsideplay.org/> and the book "Embracing Risky Play at School". <https://outdoorlearning.com/product/embracing-risky-play-at-school/>

**Casorso PAC invites you to our
Annual School Dance
Welcome to the Jungle!**

**Food trucks will be on site!
Concession open- CASH only**

**Friday April 10th
5-730PM**

Casorso Elementary School Gym

\$8/Family (only children that attend Casorso can attend)

Purchase your wristbands at casorso.hotlunches.net

All children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian

JUNIOR COYOTES SPRING PROGRAMS

SPRING 3ON3 Sundays March 29 - June 21 @ KCS High School Boys & Girls Grades 1-12	SPRING MICROBALLERS Sundays March 29 - June 21 @ KCS High School 1:00-2:15pm Boys & Girls Ages 3-5	SPRING 5ON5 LEAGUE April 6 - June 19 Boys & Girls Grades 1-8 1 Weekday Practice & 1 Friday Game per Week	MARCH BREAK CAMPS March 16-17 March 23-24 Boys & Girls Grades 1-12
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WWW.GOCOYOTES.CA
 250-575-7731 jessica@ocbasketball.ca



UBC Geering Up
Engineering Outreach

Summer STEM Camps at UBCO

Geering Up's mission is to make STEM exciting and accessible for ALL students. We offer summer camps for participants entering grades 1-12. Camps take place at our UBC Okanagan campus in Kelowna and feature 4 and 5 day programs packed with hands-on experiments, creative building challenges, and engaging STEM activities.

Our camps for students entering Grade 1 are designed to build confidence and curiosity through playful exploration of science and engineering. Older students can dive into topics like coding, robotics, and video game design, while developing problem-solving and teamwork skills. High school participants have opportunities to explore advanced STEM topics and post-secondary pathways.

Join us this summer to imagine, invent, and engineer a better world!

Please reach out directly with any questions; kelowna.geeringup@ubc.ca

Regional District of Central Okanagan

Nature Detectives: After-School Club

Tuesdays From April 7 to 28

Kids ages 8-11 will explore the early signs of spring through hands-on field activities in Mission Creek Regional Park. Over four after-school sessions in April, participants will learn to identify local plants and animals and discover how living things respond to seasonal change. Led by our Park Interpreters, kids will play games, connect with nature, and have fun!

Cost: \$40 for the 4-week series	Location: Mission Creek Regional Park	Time: 3:30-5:00 p.m.
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Register online at rdco.com/parkprograms

Kelowna EcoCooks club

**April 8 - May 27
Wednesdays
3:30 - 5:45 PM**

604 Cawston Ave,
Kelowna BC

Come join us for 8 weeks of fun games and cooking!

Spring 2026 Registration Open
www.ecocooks.org/registrationkelowna

**GREAT CAMPS* PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION
CLASSES FILL EARLY-SIGN UP TODAY**

NEW VINTAGE THEATRE

RETRO SUMMER THEATRE CAMPS

-FOR YOUTH & TEENS-

YOUTH CAMPS 8-12 4-5 30-MINUTE CAMPS COMIC BOOK SUPERHEROES MURDER & MYSTERY A 1970'S CHAIRWHEEL MURDER & MURDER TALES CREATIVE THEATRE 8:15-9:15 9:15-10:00	LOCATIONS: STUDIO 100, RICA & BLACK BOX THEATRE TEEN CAMPS (12-18) THE WATCHER IN THE WOODS PLAY TEEN MUSICAL THEATRE
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THEATRE FOR ALL

STUDIO 100, ROTARY CENTRE FOR THE ARTS
WWW.NEWVINTAGE.CA

