

Celebrating National Day for Truth & Reconciliation

September 30 is the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation and a time for us to reflect on the history and traumatic legacy of residential schools in Canada, including seven schools that were located on Vancouver Island. Public commemoration of the painful history and ongoing impacts of residential schools is a vital component of the reconciliation process and the CVRD and other local governments will be closing their facilities to support the community in acknowledging this day together. Whether it be through attending a local event, wearing orange, accessing learning resources or joining the conversation with family and friends about how to be an ally. We can all commit to doing our part to move forward in a good way, acknowledging residential school survivors, and the lives of those children who did not come home.



Will Cole-Hamilton | Board Chair



Upcoming Meetings

Board of Variance (Cancelled) Wednesday, September 25 | 1 pm

Comox Strathcona Waste Management Board Thursday, September 26 | 9:30 am

Elected Officials Forum Thursday, October 3 | 2 pm

Start times can vary, visit website on Friday to review agendas. All events and meetings are subject to change. Please consult the events calendar at: **www.comoxvalleyrd.ca**

Upcoming Events

Minion Mayhem Pool Party (7-12 yrs) Comox Valley Aquatic Centre Friday, October 4 | 6- 8 pm Cost:\$10

Parent & Tot Pool Party (all ages) Comox Valley Aquatic Centre Sunday, October 6 |1 - 2:30 pm Cost: Regular Admission



Community Highlights

Statutory Holiday Closure Monday, September 30

- Comox Valley Sports and Aquatic Centre's
- CVRD Main Office
- Comox Valley and Campbell River Waste Management Facilities

Draft Comox Valley Agricultural Plan Open for Feedback

Feedback will be collected online until September 30.

comoxvalleyrd.ca/agplan

- Water Conservation Tip 9: Keep Grass 5-6 cm High
- Mow grass to a height of 5-6 cm to keep roots shaded and better able to retain water. Leave grass clippings on the lawn as mulch to reduce evaporation. **comoxvalleyrd.ca/conservation**

Regional Parks & Trails Strategic

Plan Open For Review Provide comments by October 15 at engagecomoxvalley.ca/ RegionalParksPlan



Sewer Conveyance Project Construction

For schedule, map of construction zones with road closures & detours visit engagecomoxvalley.ca/ conveyanceproject



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