

CVRD Update

Weekly News & Information

September 24, 2025



National Day for Truth and Reconciliation September 30

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. The Comox Valley Regional District (CVRD) and other local governments will be closing their facilities to support the community.

Support can look like 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. Together, we can make a lasting difference, one that ripples far beyond today.

Permission for the CVRD to use the Every Child Matters design has been given by K'ómoks First Nation artist Andy Everson when promoting awareness about National Truth & Reconciliation Day. At the artist's request of adding the component of "giving back", the CVRD has made a donation to the Indian Residential School Survivors Society in lieu of payment.



Upcoming Meetings

Black Creek-Oyster Bay Services Committee

Monday, October 6 | 9 am

Electoral Area Services Committee

Monday, October 6 | 10 am

Comox Valley Sewage Commission

Tuesday, October 7 | 2 pm

Comox Valley Water Committee

Tuesday, October 7 | 3 pm

Comox Valley Regional District Board

Tuesday, October 7 | 4 pm

Comox Strathcona Regional Hospital District Board

Thursday, October 9 | 9:30 am

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



Upcoming Events

Hockey Skills Challenge (all ages)

Comox Valley Sports Centre
Wednesday, September 24 | 3 - 4:45 pm
Cost: regular admission



Community Highlights



September 30 Statutory Holiday Closure

- CVRD Main Office
- Sports & Aquatic Centres
- Comox Valley & Campbell River Waste Management Centres



Electoral Area Meet & Greet

Drop by our annual Fall Meet and Greet with Electoral Area Directors on Thursday, October 2, from 5 to 7 pm at the CVRD Office at 770 Harmston Ave.

engagecomoxvalley.ca/electoralareas



Weigh In On Waste

Have your say on waste reduction strategies and be eligible to win a \$100 grocery gift card. Your feedback on the shortlisted strategies and actions will help us understand your priorities and improve waste services where you live.

Visit our website and find out how to find an open house near you or fill out the survey online until October 16 for a chance to win prizes!

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