

# Belgo

## Weekly eNews



### Syilx Word of the Week

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púla?x<sup>w</sup> (pool-ow)  
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### A Reminder About Toys

**A reminder that toys should stay at home and not be brought to school.**

Toys can be distracting during learning time and may also cause safety concerns, lost items, or disagreements during recess. Thank you for your continued support in helping us maintain a safe, focused, and inclusive school environment.

### Weekly Snapshot

**Lundi, le 13 avril:**

**Mardi, le 14 avril:**

**Mercredi, le 15 avril:**

**Jeudi, le 16 avril:** PAC meeting @ 6:30pm in the library

**Vendredi, le 17 avril:** Backwards Day! (Wear your clothes backwards or inside out).

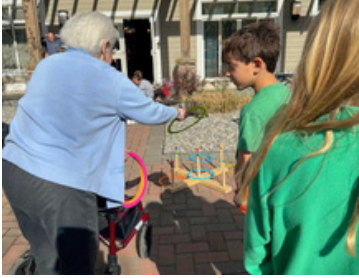


### Belgo Learning Priorities

- Students will deepen their numeracy skills by sharing their thinking and engaging in real-world, task-based problem solving, using a variety of strategies. (Year 2)
- To improve reading for all learners while fostering the joy of reading. (Year 5)

## Field Trips!

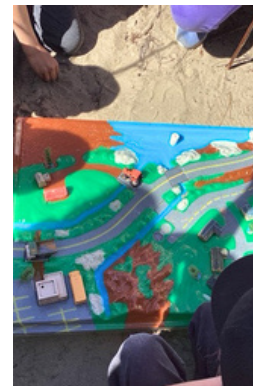
Mme Harshenin's class has been visiting the residents at Chartwell every Friday.



Mme Mackenzie's class did a water exploration with an Interpreter from the Allan Brooks Nature Centre.

## Event Calendar

- April 22:** Earth Day
- April 27:** Parent Learning Session @ 6pm
- May 18:** Victoria Day (no school)
- May 27:** Intermediate Apple Bowl
- June 25:** Last day of school and Written Learning Updates go home



## Belgo Yearbook Cover Contest

As we've done the last few years we are going to do our yearbook cover contest completely online, from home! **All images must be emailed to [yearbooks@photoexpressions.ca](mailto:yearbooks@photoexpressions.ca)**

### How to Create Your Art

Any student can enter. Get out your crayons, pencils or paints and make a winning design! Make sure you do it in full colour.

For your entry to be considered, it must follow these rules:

- ☑ Use a regular 8½x11 sheet of white paper
- ☑ Make your cover vertical (up-and-down, not side-to-side)
- ☑ Include the school name and “2025-2026” in the design
- ☑ Include your first name (no last name)

### How to Submit Your Art

1. Take a phone snap shot, or scan of your artwork
- 2. Email this image to [yearbooks@photoexpressions.ca](mailto:yearbooks@photoexpressions.ca)**
3. Include your name, your school name, and Division or Teacher name in the email

If you win, we will contact you to get hold of the original artwork if necessary!

**All entries are due by: Friday, April 24, 2026**



# EARLY LEARNING FOR FAMILIES (ELFF)



Join us for a fun afternoon of learning and activities for **3-5 year olds**.

**Wednesday April 15th at 3:30pm**

*Please note this is **not** kindergarten orientation!*



**Belgo Elementary**

125 Adventure Road



Central Okanagan  
Public Schools

Together We Learn

**RSVP:** [bge@sd23.bc.ca](mailto:bge@sd23.bc.ca)

*by: Friday April 10, 2026*



## Spring 2026 After-School Soccer Belgo Elementary - Grade 1 - Grade 5

Kelowna City FC is excited to be returning to Belgo Elementary to work with all the great kids at the school, this time in the form of an After School program for 6 weeks, running each Monday from April 27 - June 8, 2026 (no programming on May 18)!

Registration Link : <https://kelownacityfc.powerupsports.com/>

If you have any questions, please email us at [admin@kelownacityfc.com](mailto:admin@kelownacityfc.com)

See you on the pitch!

LOCATION	DATE	TIME	BIRTHYEAR / GENDER	PRICE
Belgo	April 27-June 8 Mondays <i>May 18 - Holiday</i>	2:45- 4:00PM	2015 - 2019 Female / Male	\$75

**REGISTER NOW!** [www.kelownacityfc.com](http://www.kelownacityfc.com) [f](#) [@kelownacityfc](#)

### After-School Soccer FAQ for Parents

#### Q: How does the program work?

You sign up for your child through our registration portal (<https://kelownacityfc.powerupsports.com/>).

Kids then proceed to the playing field at their school after the final bell. Coaches will then check them in and place them into groups. Sessions will start at 2.45 pm and end at 4.00 pm each day. The 15-minute gap between the final bell and the start of the session is to be used for kids to get to the field and get into their groups.

#### Q: Does a parent need to attend?

Parents do NOT need to attend the program, though they are welcome to attend to watch.

#### Q: What does my child do after the session?

After the session ends, children proceed with their usual after-school routine, whether that's heading home on their own or being picked up after the session by an approved adult.

#### Q: What skill level is the program for?

Kids of all abilities are welcome in the program. The program focuses heavily on individual skill development, so we're confident that any player who attends will improve!

#### Q: Does my child need to wear cleats?

If your player already has them, they're welcome to wear them - otherwise, regular athletic footwear (running shoes) is great.

March 6th, 2025

# Belgo Elementary



## PAC



### Got junk?

This year we are promoting Earth Day with 2 fundraisers:

On **April 11<sup>th</sup>** we will be doing a **Bottle Drive** AND a **Clothing Donation Drive** in the school parking lot from **10am - 2pm**

Value village is going to buy the donated clothing from us based on weight.

If you have any **clothes, linens or blankets** you no longer want, please set them aside along with **bottles and cans** too.

### This Week :

Pizza Tuesday and Friday Hot Lunch **ordering will open** for the next session on **Munchalunch on March 23!!**

Deadline for orders is 8 days prior to delivery date.

### Important Dates:

#### **April 11th:**

Clothing Donation Drive and Bottle Drive.

Taking donations in the school parking lot. 10am-2pm

#### **April 16th:**

**PAC** meeting @ 6:30pm in the library. Everyone welcome. We'd love to see for new parents. Free childcare in the gym.

#### **May 22th:**

Annual Belgo Fun Fair

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