

**BROOKS GRAD 2026**

# **GRADUATION NEWSLETTER**

**FOURTH EDITION**

**June 6, 2026**

**Hap Parker Arena**

**Doors open 4:00pm**

**Graduation Ceremony**

**Starts 6pm**

**QUESTIONS EMAIL:**

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# GRAD MEETING



**TUESDAY JUNE 2<sup>ND</sup>**  
**10:06AM**



**Max Cameron**  
**Theatre**

All Graduates are required to attend a meeting Tuesday June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10:06am in the Max Cameron Theatre. Graduates will be given more information about the Graduation Ceremony and Dry Grad event. See you there!

Questions: See Mrs. Ellis or Mrs. Doyle

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# *Graduation Ceremony Schedule*

4:00PM DOORS OPEN

4:30PM GROUP PHOTOS START

**5:20-5:40PM GRADUATES GO TO  
ELM ROOM TO LINE UP**

6PM GRADUATION CEREMONY BEGINS  
PROCESSION OF GRADUATES

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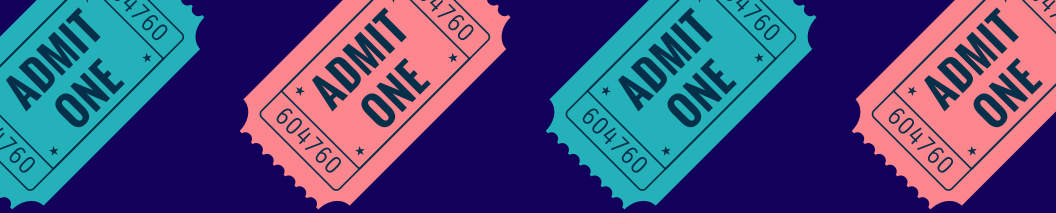
COAST SALISH ANTHEM

SPEECHES AND MUSIC

PRESENTATION OF GRADUATES

THROWING OF CAPS

Before the ceremony families are invited to take pictures at the various photo spots in the Hap Parker Arena and Warm Room.



# Grad 2026

Everyone attending  
the Graduation  
ceremony must have  
a ticket.

**Grads if you have not paid your grad  
fees please contact the office.**

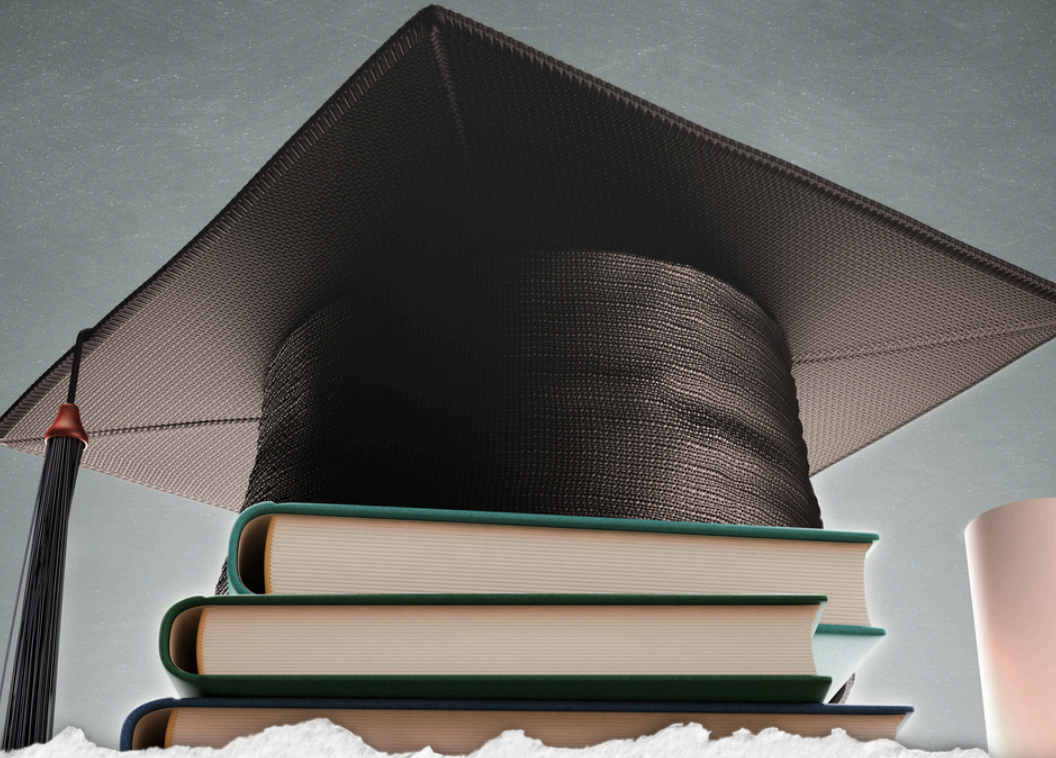
**Extra tickets are \$10 each.**

**Graduates make sure all your  
guests have tickets!**

Tickets are available at the Brooks office and can be purchased  
with cash or cheque.

There will be no ticket sales at the door.

Financial assistance is available see Mrs. Marshman, Mrs. Doyle,  
Mrs. Ellis or a school counsellor.



# LIVE STREAM

The 2026 graduation celebration will be live streamed.

Find the video under the Live tab on the [gathet School District Youtube page.](#)



# GRADUATION DAY!!!

## DOORS OPEN 4:00PM

Be sure to check out the decorations and photo spots,  
Bring your camera!

## GROUP PHOTOS BEGIN 4:30PM

Graduates ensure you arrive with enough time to  
make your way to the stage for your assigned  
group photo times.

Bring your camera and someone to take your  
photo.

## PROCESSION LINE UP 5:20 - 5:40PM

Graduates only move to the **Elm Room** at the Powell  
River Recreation Complex.

Pizza, drink and mirrors will be available.

**Do not bring anything with you.**

Graduates are not to have anything in their hands as  
they process into the arena or cross the stage.

**DO NOT BE LATE!**

Ceremony begins at 6pm sharp!



## ***Grad Group Photo Times***

***4:30 pm Assumption School***

***4:35 pm Powell River Christian School***

***4:40 pm Ecole Cote-du-Soleil***

***4:45 pm Edgemoor Elementary School***

***4:50 pm Henderson Elementary School***

***4:55 pm James Thomson Elementary School***

***5:00 pm Kelly Creek Community School***

***5:05 pm Texada Elementary School***

***5:10 pm Westview Elementary School***

***5:15 pm Westview Learning Center (WLC)***

***5:20 pm International Students***

***5:25 pm Partners in Education (PIE)***

***Group photos are on the stage. Graduates make sure you arrive with enough time to reach the stage. Bring your camera and someone to take your picture.***

# ***Mobility Concerns***

**Graduates if any of your guests have mobility concerns please make sure you have let the Brooks office know call (604-483-3171) or email ([pam.ellis@sd47.bc.ca](mailto:pam.ellis@sd47.bc.ca)) to ensure we have enough appropriate seating.**

**Guests with mobility concerns will enter the Hap Parker Arena through the warm room. Don't forget your tickets!**





# BUY A BROOKS YEARBOOK



**\$50**

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**FOREVER!**



**ORDER IN THE OFFICE**

BY JUNE 19TH

# *PHOTOS OF GRAD 2026*

There will be two opportunities to get photos of students at grad this year. There will be links sent out after grad to access these photos.

1) Professional photographer Justin Sparks (See [Justin Sparks Photography](#)) will be at the graduation ceremony taking photos of:

- grads as they enter the arena floor and parade up the center to their seat
- a photo of each student as they cross the stage
- special elementary school group photos before the ceremony begins

2) Brooks Media and Photography teacher Mr. Bennett has kindly volunteered to take photos as well. Please note that there is no guarantee that Mr. Bennett will get photos of all grads. He will:

- take snapshots of students between 4pm and 6pm.
- informally take random photos of students and friend groups





# ENTRANCE

Graduates and  
Guests with tickets  
may enter the Hap  
Parker Arena  
through the main  
entrance of the  
Arena and the  
Warm Room for  
the Arena.

Don't forget your  
tickets!!!

# GRADS WANT TO HELP WITH SET UP?

Grad Committee will need  
help on  
**June 3, 4 and 5.**

Contact Mrs. Ellis  
([pam.ellis@sd47.bc.ca](mailto:pam.ellis@sd47.bc.ca)) with  
availability and contact  
information.

**GRADS CANNOT MISS CLASS TO HELP WITH SET-UP**



Happy Graduation



Congratulations  
Class of 2026