



Simply Fun Childcare News

Labour Day - Monday, September 6, 2021. All centers will be closed.

Parents Appreciation Day

Thursday Sept 16,
2021 5pm-7pm @
Willows Beach
(Further information and
invite to follow)

This month, with a heavy heart we are saying farewell to 3 amazing staff members; Miss Suree, Miss Gwen and Miss May. These three have been integral to the growth of Simply Fun and will be terribly missed.

However, with great excitement we will be welcoming Mr. Evan at our Gordon Head location and Miss Hannah as our new Office Administrator!

Message from Miss Brenda:

"It is with mixed emotions that we say goodbye to the little ones who are leaving Simply Fun and going into Kindergarten. We are very excited to welcome new children and families into Simply Fun for the 2021/2022 school year! We truly appreciate your love, compassion, and understanding during these trying times – we are stronger together!

As many businesses and industries are struggling with staffing, to protect our teachers from burnout, we have chosen to change our centres' hours from 8am-4:30pm starting Tuesday Sept 7, 2021 (except for our Shelbourne location) until we can acquire more Teachers. We apologize for the possible inconvenience this may cause but appreciate your cooperation.!!

• Some September Festivals & Events

- (Adapted from <https://victoriasbestplaces.com/events-calendar/>)

- [Saanich Fair](#) – a fair in Saanich that features many events and rides (September 4 to 6, 2021).
- **Labour Day (Stat Holiday)** – September 6, 2021.
- [Rifflandia Music Festival](#) – a music festival featuring local and international artists in mid-September. (TBC)
- [Beach Food Fridays & Saturdays](#) – food trucks on Fridays and Saturdays from early May until the beginning of September from noon until 7 pm at Ocean Boulevard in Colwood. (TBC)



Public Markets

- [Moss Street Market](#) – a weekly outdoor farmers and artisan market from 10 am until 2 pm every Saturday at the corner of Moss Street and Fairfield Road between May and October. (TBC)
- [Bastion Square Public Market](#) – downtown on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from the end of April until the beginning of October between 11 am and 5:30. Also a larger version on Sundays between 11 am and 4 pm. (CANCELLED for 2021 due to COVID-19.)
- [James Bay Market](#) – at the corner of Superior and Menzies Street from early May until the end of September between 9 am and 3 pm. (TBC)
- [Oak Bay Night Market](#) – a large night market in Oak Bay Village on the second Wednesday of the month between 4 and 8 pm. (TBC)
- [Sidney Street Market](#) – a night market on Thursday evenings from May to October. (TBC)