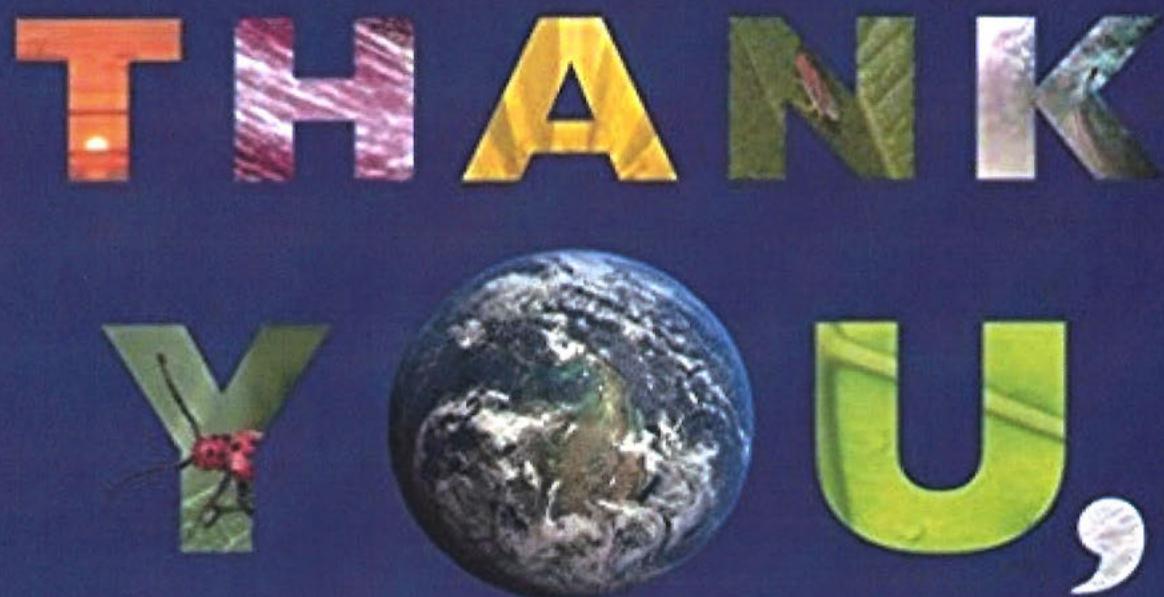


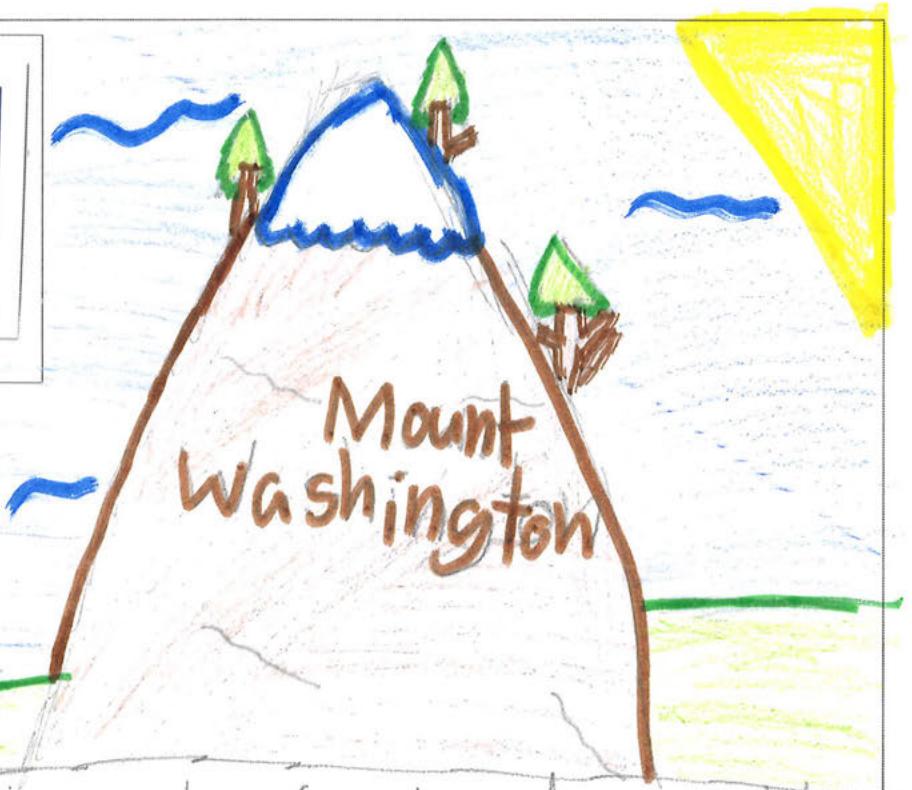
A LOVE LETTER TO OUR PLANET



Comox Valley

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Based on the Book: "Thank you, Earth"
by April Pulley Sayre



Thankyou Mount washington for the deep sparkly snow that always glimmers. Thankyou for your cedar smell. Thankyou for your windy sound. Thankyou for your fluffy feel. Thankyou for the skiers and snow boarders that always zip past your turns. Thankyou for your mountainous hills that grow and grow when winter's here. Thankyou for your white and green colors that I seek. Thankyou for your tweeting birds that flap and flap all around. Thankyou for your freezing winds that always freshens me up. Thankyou mount washington for being the best mountain you can be.



Thank you Kye bay for the Sand. Thank you for being the place for me and my family to visit. Thank you for all of the memories that I have there. Thank you for all of the sand for the sand castles that I built with my family. Thank you for the rocks that are always slippery there. Thank you for all the good times that I have when I go there. I like Kye bay because the water is cold when you walk in it. Thank you for the park, thank you for the sparkling water and thank you for the slippery sea weed. Thank you Kye bay for everything.



Thank you Miracle Beach for
the crabs and clams I see
under the rocks. Thank you for
the giant tree that fell down
and how I climb on it. Thank
you for the ooey gooey seaweed
I touch. When I'm there I
feel free. I hear birds chirping
It Smells like the salty ocean
Thank you for your blue SKY
and your logs I sit on. Thank
you for your interesting ocean
but I don't go swimming there because
it's freezing cold thank you for
being here I love you, miracle Beach.

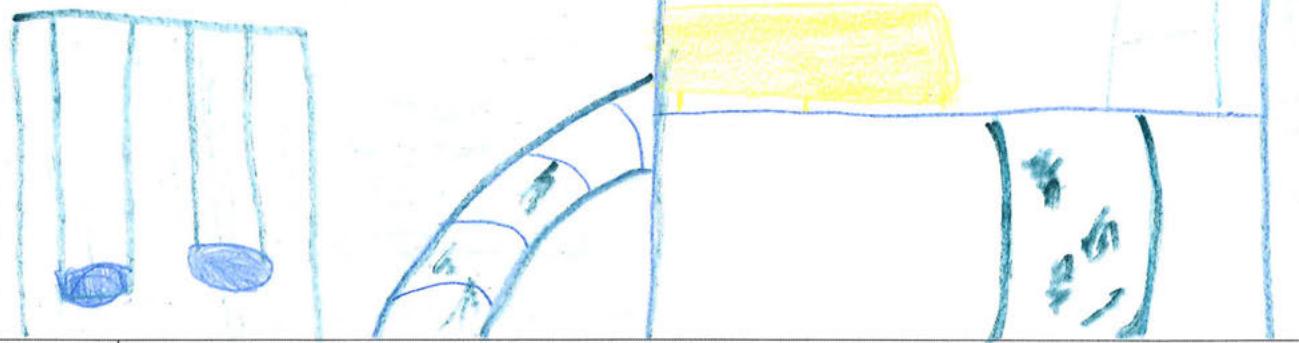


Thank you maple Lake for the
Big Big green trees. Thank you
maple Lake for the shimmering
water and the jumping fish that
squeezes through the rocks that have
algae on them (it is hard to get it off

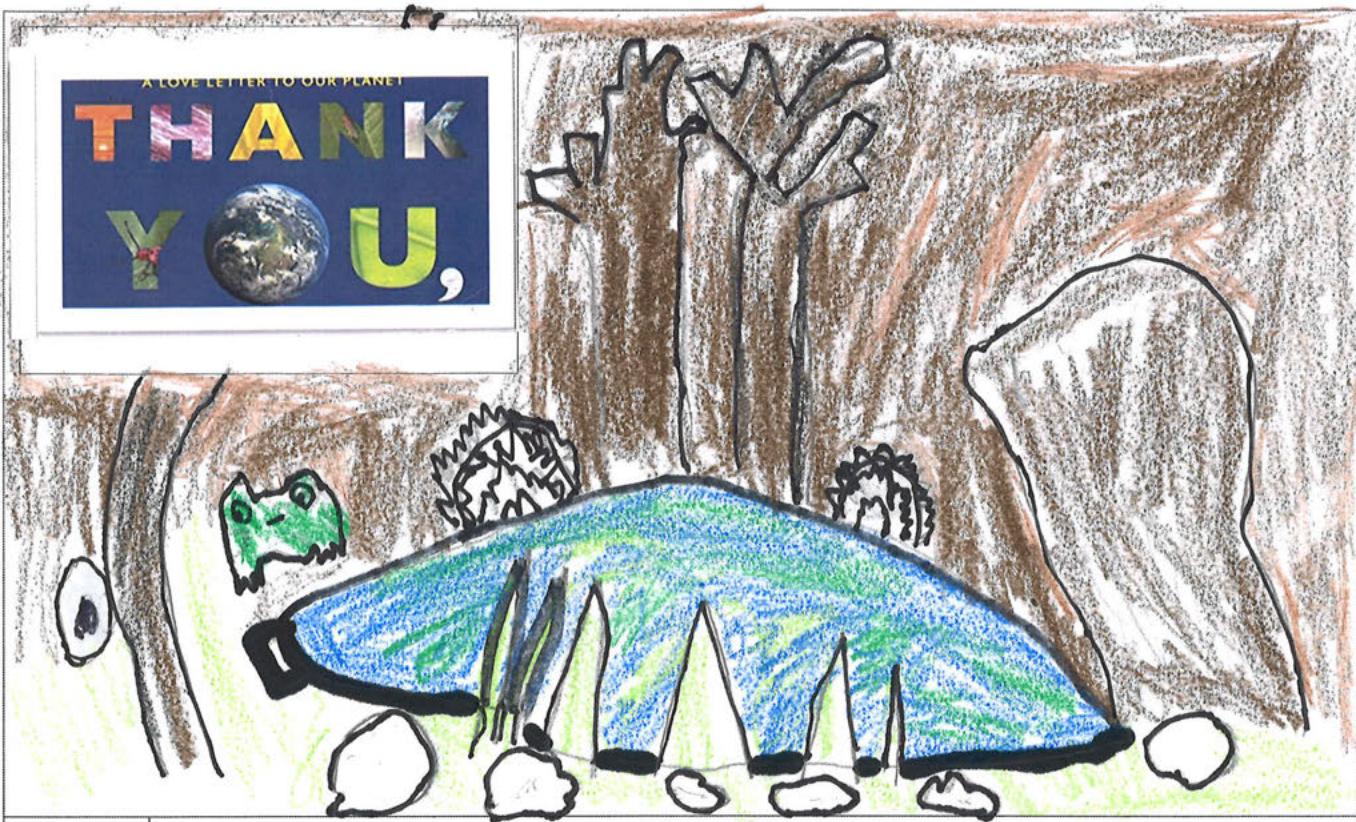
Thank you for your slippery snakes
and trails, you are so, so amazing. I
love to fish at you. I am so happy
that you stand for every one. You
are everything to Comox Valley and
especially me, maple Lake.
Thank you.



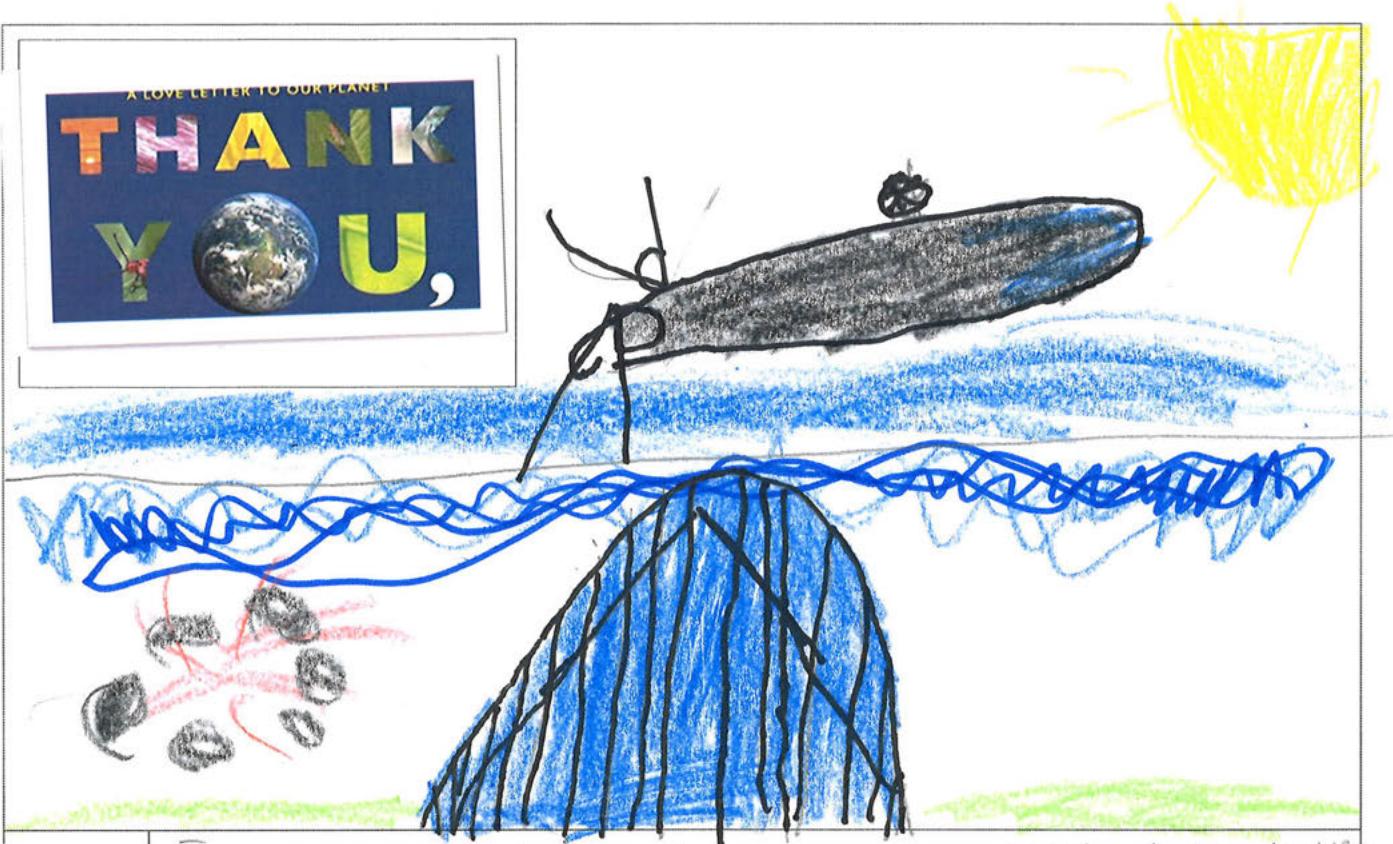
Thank you Kye bay for being my favorite place because of the comforting sand beneath my toes. Thank you for your warm blue water that smells like salt. Thank you for your trees that grow taller than I've ever seen before. Thank you for being there when I feel blue or am I feeling pumped and ready to come. Thank you for being there when I need you. And for being there the next day ready to go and have some fun. Thank you for the slippery sea weed that glides beneath my feet. Thank you for the picnics that make me happy. Thank you for the wonderful



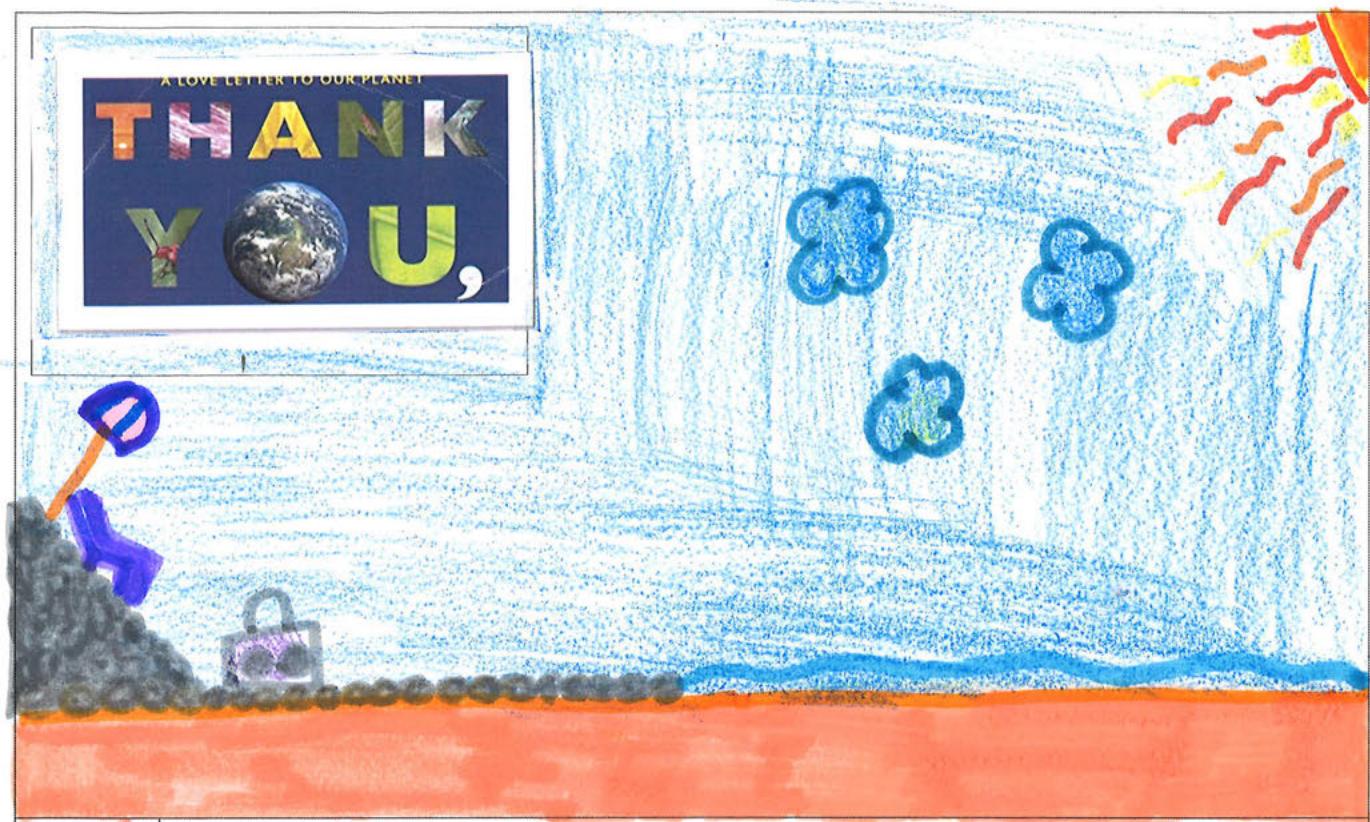
park where children can play all day they really do love the slide and swings. Kyle bay thank you for being the best and the best for me. I'm so glad that your my special place and you will always be there for me.



Thank you frog pond For your peaceful water that helps me calm down when I'm having a rough day. Thank you for the frogs croaking that helps me sleep. Thank you for the tall grass tickles me and makes me giggle. Thank you for the large white rocks that I step on. Thank you for the fresh air that smells like well, fresh air. thank you for all the animals that live in you. Thank you for all the wood I used to climb and play on. Thank you for the trail I walk and get some clay from. Thank you for all the tall trees who's bark feels all bumpy. Thank you for all the tadpoles I see that wiggle around and the awesome prickly bushes that poke me. Thank you frog pond for being my friend.



Thank you kitty coleman for giving
me a place to fish because
catching fish is fun Thank you
kitty coleman for biking with
new friends thank you kitty coleman
for giving me a fire to sit by and
eating smores. thank you kitty
coleman and my dad for letting
me set up the down rigger
and fishing rods. thank you kitty
coleman for being so close to all
here (it takes us 15 minutes
to drive to kitty coleman). Thank you
for the sound of birds chirping in
the morning when I wake up.



Thank you Airforce Beach for your wondefful sounds of baby birds chirping away. Thank you for the lovely view of the SPARKling ocean shining on my face. Thank you for being the place I go with family and friends. Thank you for the sent of fresh sea salt with a hint of sugar. Thank you for the taste of sticky smores. Thank you for the shells and seaweed and the rocks that have rainbow colours. Thank you for the park I can play on. Thank you for your awesome forest you are the best. Thank you for your awesome campsite and nature spot to look for leaves and rocks and other stuff. Thank you for your drift wood floating away to other places. You are the best.



Thank you Goose Spit for the beautiful blue.

^{ocean}
Thank you Goose Spit for the gray.

Thank you Goose spit for the nice
sea shells. Thank you Goose spit for the brown
sand.

Thank you Goose spit for the crabs and
the sand castles.

Thank you ~~Goose~~ spit for the drift wood
and the forts.

Thank you Goose spit for the salmon

Thank you Goose spit for the long staircase
and the green sea weed.

Thank you Goose spit for the green grass
and daisy flowers.

Thank you goose spit for

being my family's

Favorite spot.



Thank you Kye Bay for the cool shining waters and the sand that twinkles and glimmers under my toes. Thank you Kye Bay for the beautiful park you give us, with a really slippery slide. Thank you for the sand you give us so that I can make sand castles out of it and put sand in my sisters shoes. Thank you for the cool walks you give us. Thank you for the picnic park benches so we can have picnics. Thank you Kye Bay for everything you have given us.



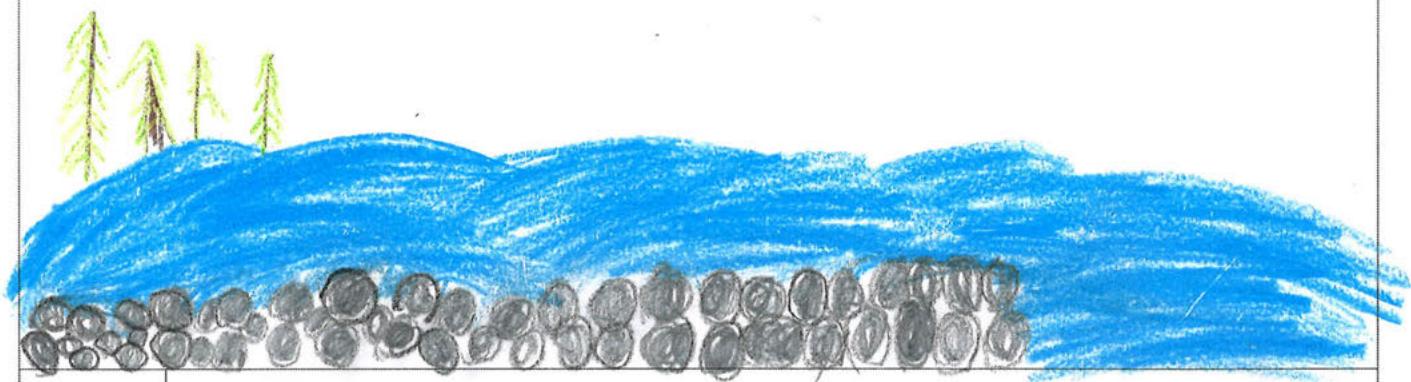
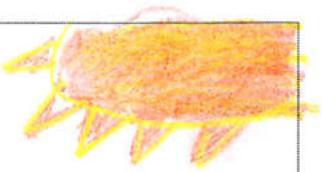
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**THANK
YOU,**

Thank you neighbourhood pond
for the croaking frogs, the
blooming cattails and the slimy
swamp water. Thank you for
tad poles and lily pads. Thank
you for the dewy grass by
the pond and a trail to
walk on with enormous trees
that reach for the clouds.
Thank you for wild life
and for being my
happy place.

April



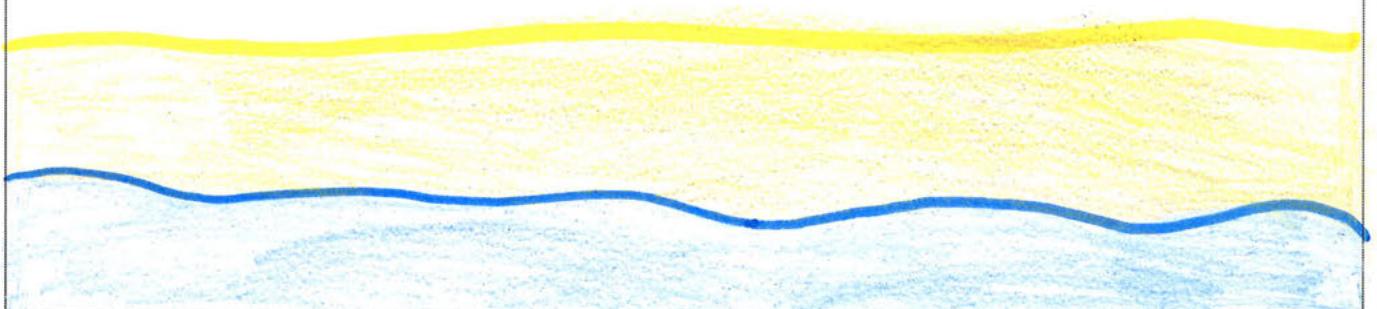
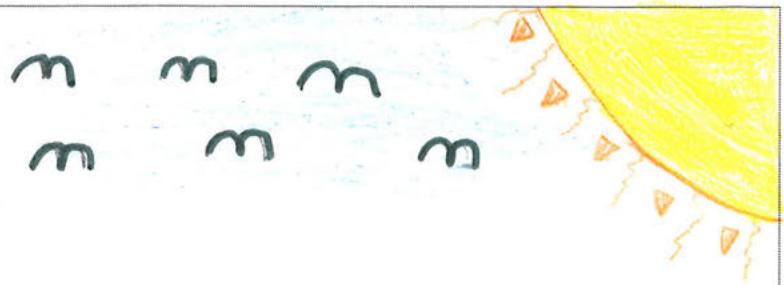
Thank you Puntledge River
for your towering trees and
the refreshing river breeze.
Thank you for being able to
see Salmon jump and swim.
Thank you for being my place
to gather with friends and my
favorite picnic spot. Thank you,
for being a place for finding
dinosaur bones. Thank you, for
all my adventures I've had there.
Thank you for your wet slippery
rough rocks and soft squishy sand.
When I'm there I feel free. Thank you
the sound of the birds chirping. Thank you



Thank you Palm Lake for flat rocks so I can skip rocks. Thank you for amazing trees and beautiful trails that I can bike ride in. Thank you for twisty vibes. Thank you for when I walk through the trails with sunshine in my eyes. Thank you for rocks that have designs on them. Thank you for waves that splash and splash. Thank you Palm Lake for being in the Comox Valley.



Thank you Browns River Falls
for your nice refreshing water.
Thank you for the animals that you
give to us and the trees and the
Bees. Thank you for the long fun
walk that we have to do to walk
to you so we can swim. Thank you for
your air that smells like cedar. Thank you
for being an adventurous place, Browns
River Falls,



Thank you KeyBay you are such a nice beach thank you for being there and being to have picnics thank you for the ocean because I love swimming with my family and friends thank you for being a place to play games it is so much fun thank you for being home to animals that I get to play with and explore it is awesome there thank you KeyBay.



Thank you Airforce Beach for all
of the shells I can collect. Thank you
for the feel of the hard sand and the
soft sand + sometimes sink.
Thank you for the drift wood
+ that you have to build a fort with
and thank you for the sand castles I
can build. Thank you for the waves
because I lay on top of the
water and the waves push me onto
the beach. Thank you Airforce
Beach for being my special place.



Thank you mountin for your beautiful
trees and for you shining water.
Thank you for your nice view of.
the water. Thank you for nice rocks.
and for your smooth bark. Thank you
a nice place to relax. Thank you
for the animals and for the green grass.
Thank you for a nice to hang out
with friends and siblings. Thank
you for your trails. Thank you
for smooth rocks. you are my
Happy place.

Jacob

Thank you for reading our book!

We love the Comox Valley and we hope you do too.