

École Salish Secondary



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Principal's Message

February 14th, 2020

Valentine's Day is a special time to remember those whom we hold dear in our lives. This year with Valentines being on the Friday of a long weekend, it is a nice start to the Family Day. The months between Winter Break and Spring Break are always hectic and so busy. We hope everyone is able to take time this weekend to pause from the busyness of the school year and be with those important people.

This week was particularly full of activities around the school. Wednesday morning, we had a group of skiers arrive at the school very early to catch a bus to Whistler to ski for the day. Not only were the skiers rewarded with great snow, but the village was bustling with the 10 year anniversary of the Olympics.

Thursday started with the Grade 7 class from Clayton Elementary walking up to our school to participate in a robotics activity with Mr. Lo. The Grade 7s were so enthralled with the activity that at one point, all that could heard was the sound of the robotics moving. The Grade 7 teacher remarked that it was the quietest and most focused that she had ever seen her class.

Thursday afternoon we celebrated learning with the Grade 12 Capstone Projects. Students displayed their learning throughout the upper floor. Thank you to Ms. Andersen and Ms. McGowan for all your work in organizing the day.

We have several Salish Art students who have their work displayed at the Surrey Museum in Cloverdale. The show runs from Thursday, February 6 to Tuesday, February 18th. The Surrey Museum is located at 17710 56A Ave. The Salish students participating are: Kenzy Cooper, Kaira Cowasjee, Jessica McDonald, Shaylin Prentice, Evan McLean, Candice Chen, Rianna Richards, Daniela Ursulesku, Nikolas George, Angelica Billows and Brittney Johnson.

Next week is a short one but packed with many events. We have our Grade 7 students visiting throughout the week to see the school and complete course selection. Wednesday during Community Block, we will hold a Grad Assembly. We also have our dancers heading off with Ms. Jensen to Disneyland for a series of workshops. We end the week with a Pro-D Day.

Ms. Hammond, Mr. Mahli and Mr. Tait

DARENT CORDER

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS – COMING SOON

We are looking forward to meeting you on Thursday, March 12th for Parent/Teacher Interviews. Most sessions are by appointment unless otherwise indicated (some sessions will follow a student-led conference format/Open House). Sessions will run from 2:10pm-4:00pm and 4:40pm-6:30pm. Please review the links, below, for signing up and creating an account for your student(s). Session times will run 10 minutes - feel free to set up a contact time with the teacher if you feel that you will need more time.

The website will be open to make appointments on February 20th at 9:00am and will close on March 5th at 10:00pm.

Salish School Appointments Website Parent Instructions

STUDENTS SIGNING IN AND OUT

We would like to thank the parents for their diligence in emailing the school to report excused absences. At this time, we would like to remind students to ALWAYS come to the office and check out when leaving the school and check in upon return or if late. Student safety is our main concern and we must be able to account for every student for the duration of the school day.

SAFETY CONCERNS

We continue to be concerned about the un-safe actions that we are seeing by drivers in and around our parking lot. Our highest concern is the purposeful blocking of our school bus that prevents the driver from parking in his designated area. The blocked access to our school bus directly affects our most vulnerable students. Please refrain from parking in non-designated parking areas while waiting for your student. We are also concerned about the speed in which people are driving up to drop off or pick up students. A reminder that the speed limit in the parking lot is 5 km/hr.

WHISTLER SKI/SNOWBOARD TRIP



CAREERS CORNER

1) If you know of any students in Grade 10 -12 that would be a good fit for one of our District Programs please send them to the Career Centre for more information. These programs are tuition free and give students a start on their apprenticeship while still in high school.

Here is a listing of the current programs being offered:

DISTRICT PROGRAMS

Automotive

-Collision

-Refinishing

-Service Technician

Baking & Pastry Arts

Carpentry

Culinary Arts

Drafting/CADD

Education Assistant

Electrical

Explorations in Aviation Careers

Hairstylist

Headstart in Art

Heavy Mechanical Trades Foundation Horticulture

Metal Fabrication

Millwright

Painter

Piping

Tah-tul-ut Indigenous Education Pathway

Trades Sampler

Welding

DUAL CREDIT COURSES

Introduction to Practice for Child & Youth Care

Counsellors

Introduction to Health

Sciences

The Canadian Criminal Justice System



Well 2020 is here and Grad Night is just around the corner. Most plans have been finalized and it is time to give out some details. Grad Night will be a combined event this year. Meaning that Grads will purchase one ticket and it will give them access to both the Dinner/Dance at Newlands and the Dry Grad at the Metro Hall in New Westminster. Grads will arrive at Newlands in Langley for the Dinner/Dance, be given an opportunity to change clothes for the Dry Grad and then will be bussed to the Metro Hall for the Dry Grad. They will then be bussed back to Salish Secondary to be picked up at around 5:30-6am.

A presentation will be given to the Grads on **February 19th at 9:30am in the Theater**, where there will be additional details provided and the Grads will have an opportunity to choose the theme for the Dry Grad at the Metro. We encourage all Grad 12 students to attend, as it is their opportunity to give input into the event and ask any questions they may have...

- Tickets are \$200 each and include both the Dinner/Dance and the Dry Grad.
- Tickets on Sale April 6th to May 8th and payment will be made through this <u>SchoolCashOnline</u> link.
- Guests will be allowed to this event. The application process will be the same as for the Winter Formal.
- Ticket pick up is TBD.

Dry Grad is still fundraising for this event with multiple campaigns still underway.

Surrey Eagles February 21st.



THE SURREY EAGLES vs THE LANGLEY RIVERMEN

\$10/TICKET FRIDAY FEBRUARY 21ST @ 7PM SOUTH SURREY ARENA - 2199 148 ST.

Contact Karri Wallsten at dkwallsten@shaw.ca

Bottle Recycling

We currently have an account open for bottles at Willowbrook Recycling at 19641 60th Avenue. If you wish to donate your bottle returns to the cause, please let them know it is for *École Salish Secondary Dry Grad*.

Our next meeting will be held on **Monday March 2nd at 6pm** in the Learning Commons at the school.

Salish Secondary Dry Grad 2020 Fundraiser

Sheet Sale - And pillows and mattress covers

Sheets <u>any size</u> are \$46, a profit of \$10/set sold Pillows \$41 standard/\$46 king Mattress covers \$41 full or twin/\$46 queen or king We make a profit of \$8 per pillow or mattress cover



Clara Clark Supreme 1500TC Sheets \$46.00 per set (all sizes)

At 1500 Thread Count (TC) per square inch of fabric, we deliver a delectable sleeping experience to those who long for an upgrade in the standards of comfort and design. Our sheets are impeccably soft and smooth! With twelve colours to choose from, this chic collection suits a variety of interiors. The fitted sheet measures 16" deep and can accommodate up to a 20" pillow top mattress.

- ✓ Set includes Flat Sheet, Fitted Sheet, and 2 Pillow Cases (1 case with twin)
- ✓ Easy to care for fade, shrink and pill resistant
- ✓ Ultra-soft and wrinkle free

ORGANIC BAMBOO MEMORY FOAM PILLOW

Bamboo Pillows are available in the following sizes: Standard \$41.00 or King \$46.00

- ✓ Zippered removable cover 100% bamboo, inside fill 100% shredded Memory Foam with *Stay Cool" gel beads
- ✓ Breathable design, natural supportive alignment, may reduce snoring, migraine, back and neck pain
- ✓ Easy care, durable, machine washable on cold, dryer safe on low heat
- √ Hypoallergenic, antibacterial and dust mite resistant





MATTRESS PROTECTOR

Full Coverage Protection

King & Queen \$46.00 Full & Twin \$41.00

Made from a highly breathable and cooling material with particles too small for liquid to penetrate, yet large enough for air to pass through. Protects and secures your mattress against dust mites, bed bugs, fluids, urine, perspiration, allergens, mold, fungus and bacteria. Many health experts advise this silicone material to ease asthma, eczema and other respiratory conditions. This mattress cover is fully enclosed using a zipper. This protector is also fire retardant.

ALL PRODUCTS 100% MANUFACTURER GUARANTEED!

An order will be placed on Friday February 14th and again on Friday March 13th

Orders will arrive in 4-6 weeks. Pick-up TBA at the school (or arrangements can be made).

Email your order to <u>salishsheetsale@gmail.com</u>. After receiving a confirmation, you can e-transfer to the same email.

Email Julie Pender or Lisa Ursulesku, at above, with any questions

ATTENTION PARENTS & STUDENTS:



Final Team Registration Ends March 13th!

Sun Run 2020!

If you're interested in running with the Salish team, please see Mr. Lo & Ms. Baumgartner.

#gowolves

The Vancouver Sun Run is Canada's largest 10K road race. Run/walk through a beautiful scenic course that highlights Vancouver's downtown core at Burrard Street and Georgia Street, the world famous Stanley Park, and Cambie Street Bridge for the final stretch across the bridge to the finish line. Come walk/run with Salish April 19th, 2020!

Details here: http://bit.ly/salishruns or ask Vincent Lo and Angie Baumgartner!



A friendly reminder to purchase your yearbook now, the final order deadline is March 13th, 2020.

SchoolCashOnline



Bell and Rotation Schedule 2019-2020

Salish Website - Calendar

Salish Online Counsellor Appts.

Salish Careers Website

Salish Volunteer Directory 2019-2020



NEXT WEEK

Mon., Feb. 17th Tues., Feb. 18th Wed., Feb. 19th

9:25am

Thurs., Feb. 20th Fri., Feb. 21st

Family Day - School Closed

Disneyland Dance Trip (19th-23rd) Grad Assembly Samosa Sale at lunch Non-Instructional Day, no classes



LOOKING AHEAD

Mon., Feb. 24th Tues., Feb. 25th Wed., Feb. 26th Thurs., Feb. 27th Fri., Feb. 28th

Pink Shirt Day

