

École Salish Secondary







March 13th, 2020

We are not even sure how to describe the past week. Ever changing, intense and uncertain may be words that help define the mood around the world. At Salish however, the focus remained on learning. I truly appreciated the sense of calm that was felt around the school despite the constant updates and news on COVID19 that overwhelmed our email, newsfeeds and social media. It was great to see the rugby and flag football teams practicing, hearing the band rehearsing and watching students participate in learning. It was business as usual.

Despite these extraordinary times, we had the opportunity to participate in the Home Economics Department's 'Soup off'. The event was so popular that there was a waitlist for judges. Meanwhile, the Grade 9 Social Studies classes participated in a Heritage Fair in the Library. The entire Learning Commons was full of student work. Thank you to teachers for sharing your students learning with our Salish community.

Thursday was Parent/Teacher interviews. There was a steady stream of parents for both sessions. Parents were thankful for the opportunity to meet with teachers. The library was full during the second session as students showed parents their Heritage Fair projects.

We say farewell to Tammie, our day custodian. We thank Tammie for all her hard work and wish her all the best in her new position. We also wish Mr. Barrun all the best, as he will not be returning after the break. We thank him for his work with our students this year!

We wish everyone in our Salish Community a restful Spring Break

Ms. Hammond, Mr. Mahli and Mr. Tait

PARENT CORNER

Donated food waste - Apples

So many good things are happening here at Salish. We are proud of how our students represent us in Theatre, Music, Dance, Sports and so many other ways.

It is with such disappointment that I need to address the issue of food waste with the entire school. Every month we receive free fruit and vegetables from BC Agriculture. However, the food is being thrown around in stairwells and used to cause vandalism in the washrooms. Last week, we were given apples which were taken and used to be so destructive in bathrooms, classrooms and hallways that we need to address this behaviour with our entire school community.

We need to ask ourselves why would we feel so privileged that we would destroy food when other students in Surrey schools go without food at home.

We will be reflecting on this issue with our students when we return after the Break.

Summer Day Camp Work Experience

West Coast Kids Cancer Foundation

Summer Camp for children with cancer and their siblings

Earn 4 course credit for Work Experience 12 Complete 30 hours of Work Experience Gain valuable experience to add to your resume

Visit the Career Centre (221) for an application package Open to mature 16+ students Deadline to apply: April 13th

- 2) WorkBC's Career Trek videos bring career exploration to life by connecting students with British Columbians working in a wide range of careers. These videos are a great resource to help guide students toward a career well suited to them. You can find the videos here: <u>careertrekbc.ca/resources</u>
- 3) Do you have a student that intends to pursue French language learning opportunities and/or attend a post-secondary institution after graduation? There are a total of 10 awards of \$300.00 each for students graduating in the Surrey School District. The ten awards will be distributed among French Immersion and Core/Intensive French students.
 Deadline: Monday, April 6, 2020. Please submit your document by email to cpfsurreyawards@gmail.com (copy your Français Langue / French 12 teacher) The application can be found on the Career Centre Website:

salishcareercentre.weebly.com/scholarships.html

4) KPU Updates:

Application Deadlines

KPU has extended the deadline for select Limited Intake programs; an up-to-date list of extended application deadlines can be found at: kpu.ca/admission/deadlines-extended

Open Intake program applications will be open until **August 1, 2020**. Offer letters have already gone out to students who applied before the March 1 early application deadline, so we encourage all prospective students to apply as soon as possible in order to receive priority registration.

Scholarship Deadline

The deadline to apply for Entrance Scholarships for Fall 2020 is **April 6, 2020**. Scholarship applications are now available for students intending to begin their studies in January 2021. <u>kpu.ca/awards/entrance-scholarship</u>



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.

- Tickets are **\$175 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.

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*.

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

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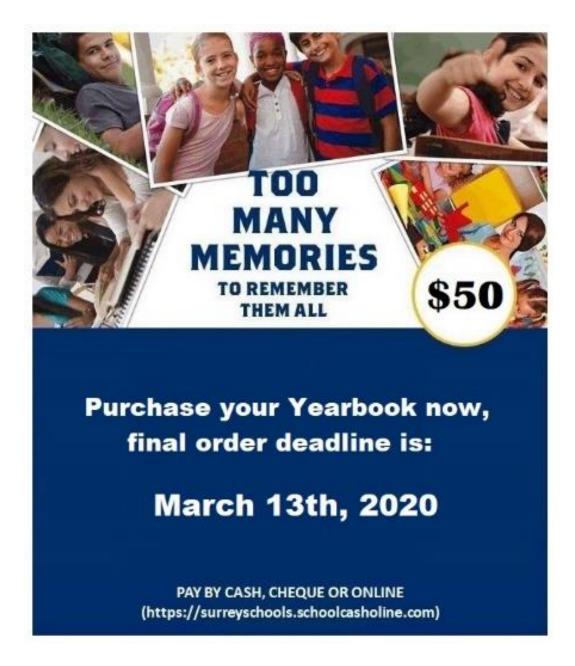
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<u>An order will be placed on Friday February 14th</u> and again on Friday March 13th

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



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

CALENDAR



LOOKING AHEAD

Mon., Mar.30th Tues., Mar. 31st Wed., Apr. 1st Thurs., Apr. 2nd Fri., Apr. 3rd School is Open