

École Salish Secondary

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<u>Principal's Message</u>

November 8th. 2019



Remembrance Day is a time to reflect and remember those who have fought for our country. At times, it is difficult to fully appreciate the sacrifice our soldiers and their families have made on our behalf. Today, we held two assemblies to honour the men and women who have served in our military. Thank you to Mr. Anderson, Ms. Jensen, Ms. Beare, Mr. Clark and the students who participated in the Remembrance Day assemblies. Thank you to teachers for preparing your students so they were ready to observe this solemn event. Lest we forget.

Tuesday morning, I had the opportunity to show two members of the district's senior team around the school. It was the first time they were in the school. After spending time in classes and talking with students and teachers, they were amazed at the learning that is happening at Salish. A comment made was that 'we often talk about learning being active, but today we got to see it in action'. I wish they had stayed longer as after lunch, a beautiful rendition of 'Halleluiah' was ringing through the cafeteria. Curious to know who was singing so beautifully, I walked up the stairs to see the Musical Theatre students practicing for the Remembrance Day Assembly.

Wednesday the school was rather quiet with our Grade 9s away participating in Take Our Kids to Work Day. Our Grade 8s were busy that day on activities focused on the Careers 8 curriculum. Thank you to Ms. Andersen, Ms. McGowan and Mr. Missana for organizing a great day for our Grade 8s and 9s.

We head into a four-day long weekend. When we come back on Tuesday, we have our Welcome Pole Unveiling. Please read the memo sent out earlier today that provides meaning behind the Pole raising as well as other important information. Enclosed is a copy of the agenda for the event.

Ms. Hammond, Mr. Mahli and Mr. Tait

CAREERS CORNER

- 1. We have two field trips available for Grade 11 & 12 students:
 - 1) December 4th Education & Career Fair
 - 2) December 13th SFU (Surrey) & KPU (Surrey) Campus Tours

Permission forms can be picked up at the Career Centre

2. Grade 9 students have their Take Our Kids to Work Day assignments posted in their MyBlueprint account. The due date is November 13th.

3. Reminder that the TD Canada Trust Scholarship for Community Leadership deadline is November 15th.

4. The Career Centre would like to invite any Grade 11 or 12 parents to the Post Secondary Institute Day Mini Fair that will take place at Salish November 19th from 2:20pm – 3:00pm. Our Grade 11 & 12 students will be attending info. sessions prior to the Mini Fair. There will be 18 Post Secondary Institutes set up with representatives available to answer your questions.

5. The deadline for SHAD applications is November 18th. Students in Grade 10 or 11 can apply to SHAD and have the opportunity to live on university campus from July 5th - 31st attending labs, lectures, workshops and getting hands on learning. More details at: <u>https://www.shad.ca/</u>

6. Parents as Career Coaches takes place November 19th. Register online: <u>https://www.eventbrite.com/e/parents-as-education-and-career-coaches-tickets-78900350071</u>



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ÉCOLE SALISH SECONDARY OPENING

Date:	November 12th, 2019	
Time:	12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	
Location:	École Salish Secondary	
	7278 184th Street	
	Surrey, BC V4N 5V2	

Agenda:

TIME	EVENT
12:00 PM	Call to Order (Principal Sheila Hammond) (no applause) Welcome to the territory (TBD) (no applause but palms raised) Traditional blessing (TBD) (no applause but palms raised) Witnessing Ceremony (Paula Jones and Ralf Leon) (no applause but palms raised)
12:10 PM	Opening Remarks (Hon. Rob Fleming, Education Minister) (applause or palms raised) Opening Remarks (Laurie Larsen, Surrey School Board Chairperson) (applause or palms raised)
12:20 PM	Unveiling of Welcome Post (applause or palms raised)
12:25 PM	Closing remarks (Principal Sheila Hammond) (applause or palms raised to thank everyone for attending)
12:30 PM	Reception

SALISH RISK TAKER

Student Teacher, Ms. Lauzon, taking a risk. First class ever taught was two Grade 9 Foods combined Breakfast Lesson. (Yes, she came back the next day and taught again) Congratulations Ms. Lauzon, on taking a big risk!



DRY GRAD COMMITTEE 2020 - FUNDRAISING





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École Salish Secondary Dry Grad is fundraising with Purdy's Chocolatier, just in time for Christmas!

If you'd like to support us through purchasing some very sweet Christmas gifts for friends, family and yourself, please click the link: <u>https://fundraising.purdys.com/1029933-68305</u>

Orders and payment are accepted online only and the order deadline is November 27th. Orders will be available for pick up at the school on December 9th with location and

If you have any questions please contact either Karri Wallsten at <u>dkwallsten@shaw.ca</u> or Susan Steimecke at <u>dzss@shaw.ca</u>

ATTENTION PARENTS & STUDENTS:



Early Registration Deadline Feb. 7th!

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 19, 2020! Details here:

<u>http://bit.ly/salishruns</u> or ask Mr. Lo and Ms. Baumgartner!



Bell and Rotation Schedule 2019-2020 2019-2020 School Calendar Salish Online Counsellor Appts. Salish Careers Website Salish Volunteer Directory 2019

CALENDAR

<u>NEXT WEEK</u>

Mon., Nov. 11th Tues., Nov. 12th Wed., Nov. 13th Thurs., Nov. 14th Fri., Nov. 15th

12:00-1:00pm

Remembrance Day, School Closed Pole Unveiling Ceremony

LOOKING AHEAD

Tues., Nov. 19 th	1:00-3:00pm	Post Secondary Institute Day (Grade 11s & 12s)
Wed., Nov. 20 th	-	
Thurs., Nov. 21 st		
Fri., Nov. 22 nd	11:00am	Samosa Sale at lunch (Main Commons)