

FLEETWOOD PARK SECONDARY SCHOOL

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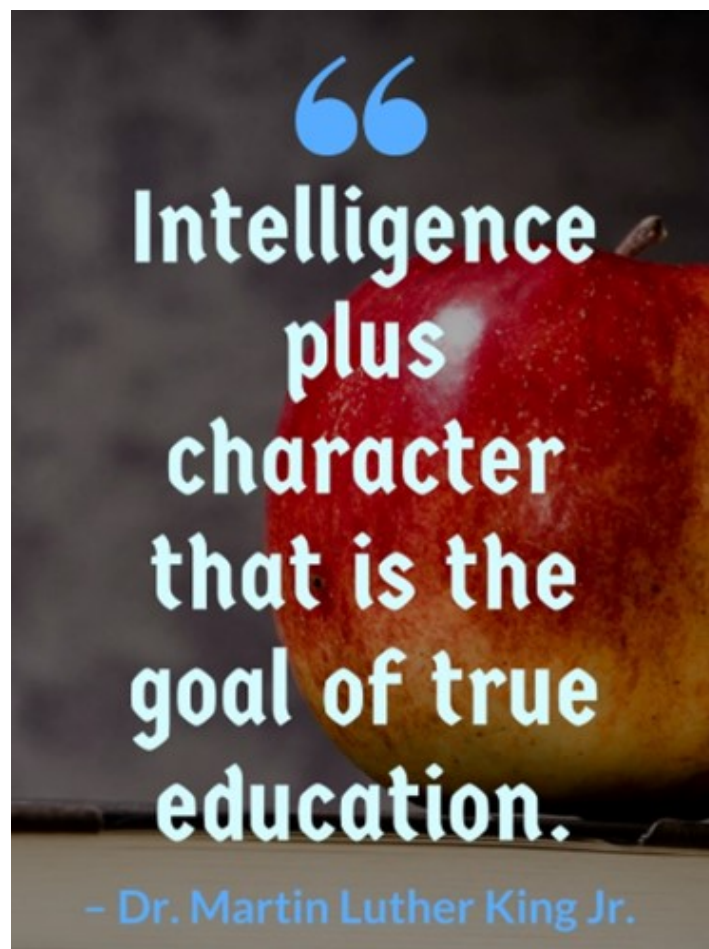


THURSDAY REVIEW



September 27, 2018
Edition: 4

Quotation Of The Week:





The Week Ahead:

Monday, October 1, 2018	Clubs Fair at lunch
Tuesday, October 2, 2018	
Wednesday, October 3, 2018	Grade 12 Parent Night 6:30 pm
Thursday, October 4, 2018	Grade 8 Pancake Breakfast 7:30 am
Friday, October 5, 2018	Arts Q2 begins

Upcoming Events:

October 17	Photo Retakes (AM)
October 19	Non-Instructional Day (classes not in session)
October 25	Interims Issued
October 29	Flex Day - early dismissal at 1:33 pm Staff Meeting at 1:45 pm PAC Meeting at 7:00 pm
October 31	Program Planning & Evaluation - early dismissal at 1:45 pm
November 1	Parent/Teacher Conferences - early dismissal at 1:45 pm

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GRADE 12 PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

Fleetwood Park Plaza

Join us to learn more about:

- ensuring graduation requirements are in order
- grad dinner dance
- commencement ceremony
- dry grad
- Post-Secondary applications

Parents and students are welcome

**WEDNESDAY
OCTOBER 3
6:30 PM**

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This Week at Fleetwood Park - Principal's Message: September 24th – 28th

Good morning Dragons!



It is a beautiful day at Fleetwood Park Secondary ☺

The sky is blue, the sun is shining, the Autumn colours are warmly glistening, and our students and staff are now established into the first semester of the 2018/19 school year. I'm pleased to let you know that our enrollment has stabilized at approximately 1525 students, we are fully staffed, and our timetable is now set for the year. Over the past week, our community has settled into the predictable routines of September, and the many traditions and cultures of our school have been re-established. Fleetwood Park is a positive and supportive community of excellence in learning and Dragon Spirit is alive and well.



Here are some examples of our students' "Breathing Fire" projects and the values they believe are important for our Dragon community.





With this, it has been a week of special events.

Monday was a Professional Development Day for our staff. We attended a session in the morning to review and discuss Teen Mental Health. This is a very important and relevant topic in today's society. Our staff of highly caring and professional educators were deeply engaged in this conversation and understand their very important role in supporting the social emotional health and well-being of our students. In the afternoon, our teachers focussed on the implementation of the new senior curriculum. All in all, it was a very productive day.

In the afternoon, I was privileged to host our Family of School's administrators meeting. I welcomed the principals of Coyote Creek Elementary, William Watson Elementary and Walnut Road Elementary for a tour of the school and a discussion of Fleetwood Park's programs. Again, it was very affirming to be able to present our beautiful school to our colleagues and discuss the many ways in which we support our students. The team of principals was very impressed. I look forward to visiting their schools over the next few months.

In the evening, we hosted the first Parent Advisory Council meeting of the year. I would like to thank this year's PAC Executive members: Ms. Maria Boothman, Chair, Mr. Kevin Ma, Vice-Chair, Ms. Rosie Poonie, Secretary, Ms. Yvette Lauer, Treasurer, and DPAC Reps, Mr. Chris Wu and Ms. Esther Williams. Thank you for your gifts of time and service to our school. I look forward to working with you. All parents/guardians are reminded that the PAC is an excellent way to get to know more about the school. The group meets on the last Monday/month at 7:00pm in most months. Please see our school calendar of details.

On Tuesday we continued a 16 year Fleetwood Park tradition by hosting our annual Grade 8 Retreat. The first group of our newest Dragons boarded the busses and made their way to Camp McLean in Langley. The weather has been cooperating this year, and our students spent the next day and a half getting to know each other, playing team-building games, learning about the school and "Breathing Fire" and much, much more! I had the chance to drop by the camp to say "hi" and watch the activities... many smiles and laughter. I'd like to take this chance to send a special thanks to Mr. Thibault for your leadership and to the many FPSS staff volunteers who have given their time to help supervise and serve. Your dedication to our students and our community makes this wonderful experience possible – and we are so grateful for all you do! Thank you!!





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"Building Successful Futures"



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Wednesday evening Mr. Johnson, our Scholarship Coordinator, hosted Ms. Madison Guy and her “GrantMe” presentation on Scholarships and Awards. Approximately 100 parents/guardians attended to learn more about the opportunities for post-secondary bursaries and scholarships and how to maximize their chances of success. Thank you Mr. Johnson for coordinating this valuable session.

Today our second group of grade 8 students returns from camp. This morning I dropped by during breakfast and saw cheering students. After a delicious breakfast of pancakes, sausages, fruit and yogurt, our students were enjoying the morning sunshine and ready to start their day.

Tomorrow, Friday, September 28th, we will be recognizing Orange Shirt Day. Orange shirts are for sale in the Plaza, and we will be holding a special assembly in the morning for our Grade 8 students.

Orange Shirt Day Background



Indian Residential Schools had a profound effect on the culture and language of Indigenous people across Canada, and forever changed the lives of thousands of Aboriginal children. As the terrible legacy of these schools has become public, the Canadian Government offered an apology to Aboriginal people for the forced cultural assimilation embodied in the residential school system that existed from 1884 to 1996. The government then instituted a Truth and Reconciliation Commission to document much of the suffering on the public record, and to offer recommendations for a new relationship.

Orange Shirt Day was created during the St. Joseph Mission Residential School Commemoration Project in Williams Lake, BC, in May 2013. As part of the project, former student, Phyllis (Jack) Webstad, told the story of her first day at residential school when her shiny new orange shirt, bought by her grandmother, was taken from her as a six-year old girl, which prompted the realization that many survivors have similar stories. As a result, Orange Shirt Day is gaining visibility as an influential movement helping to educate our students and communities on the history of Canadian Residential Schools. Teachers are encouraged to embrace and explore this topic within their classroom leading up to September 30th, and use the colour orange as a way of bringing attention to this issue.



The Story Behind Orange Shirt Day

"I went to the Mission for one year. I had just turned 6 years old. We never had very much money, and there was no welfare, but somehow my granny managed to buy me a new outfit to go to the Mission School in. I remember going to Robinson's store and picking out a shiny orange shirt. It had eyelets and lace, and I felt so pretty in that shirt and excited to be going to school! Of course, when I got to the Mission, they stripped me, and took away my clothes, including the orange shirt. I never saw it again, except on other kids. I didn't understand why they wouldn't give it back to me, it was mine! Since then the colour orange has always reminded me of that and how my feelings didn't matter, how no one cared and how I felt like I was worth nothing. I finally get it, that the feeling of worthlessness and insignificance, ingrained in me from my first day at the mission, affected the way I lived my life for many years...I want my orange shirt back!"

Phyllis (Jack) Webstad, Dog Creek, BC <http://youtu.be/Il1pUrK29MM>

Our work in advancing reconciliation is helping to build a stronger and healthier Canada.

Adapted from: <http://www.ocdsb.ca/> Orange Shirt Day memo


This year, we again have several students who are cross-enrolled in Distributed Learning (DL) courses at Surrey Academy of Innovative Learning (SAIL). We are pleased to announce that Mr. Deol, DL Visiting teacher, will be in the Fleetwood Park Learning Commons on Tuesdays from 3-5pm. He will be available to support our students in their DL courses. Welcome to Fleetwood Park Secondary Mr. Deol.

Distributed Learning (DL) Visiting Teacher
Surrey Academy of Innovative Learning (SAIL)

Tuesdays, 3:00 - 5:00 pm
Fleetwood Park Learning Commons

Mr. Deol

All students cross-enrolled at SAIL are welcome to drop in and see Mr. Deol for support, test writing and tutorial assistance.

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I hope your week was a great one! Enjoy this beautiful weather while it lasts.

See you on Monday.

Ken

Mission Statement:

“At Fleetwood Park Secondary we value excellence in education and strive to provide a learning environment where all students are encouraged to build successful futures.”





Fleetwood Park Secondary School

Daily Bell Schedule

2018-2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Warning Bell 8:25	Warning Bell 8:25	Warning Bell 8:25	Warning Bell 8:25	Warning Bell 8:25
Block A 8:30 - 9:50	Block B 8:30 - 9:50	Block C 8:30 - 9:50	Block D 8:30 - 9:50	Rotation 8:30 - 9:50
Block B 9:55 - 11:15	Block A 9:55 - 11:15	Block D 9:55 - 11:15	Block C 9:55 - 11:15	Rotation 9:55 - 11:15
LUNCH 11:15 - 11:55	LUNCH 11:15 - 11:55	LUNCH 11:15 - 11:55	LUNCH 11:15 - 11:55	LUNCH 11:15 - 11:55
Block C 12:00 - 1:20	Block D 12:00 - 1:20	Block A 12:00 - 1:20	Block B 12:00 - 1:20	Rotation 12:00 - 1:20
Block D 1:25 - 2:45	Block C 1:25 - 2:45	Block B 1:25 - 2:45	Block A 1:25 - 2:45	Rotation 1:25 - 2:45

FLEX DAYS	FRIDAY ROTATION			
Period 1 8:30-9:32	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
Period 2 9:37-10:39	07 Monday	05 Thursday	02 Monday	07 Wednesday
Period 3 10:44-11:45	14 Tuesday	12 Wednesday	16 Tuesday	14 Thursday
Lunch 11:45-12:25	21 Wednesday	26 Tuesday	23 Wednesday	21 Monday
Period 4 12:30-1:33	28 Monday		30 Thursday	
Monday, Sept 17	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR
Monday, Oct 29	11 Monday	01 Monday	01 Thursday	05 Monday
Monday, Nov 26	18 Wednesday	08 Tuesday	08 Monday	12 Tuesday
Friday, Dec 21		15 Wednesday	15 Tuesday	26 Wednesday
Monday, Jan 28				
Monday, Feb 25	MAY	JUNE		
Friday, March 15	10 Thursday	07 Thursday		
Monday, Apr 29	17 Monday	14 Monday		
Monday, May 13	24 Tuesday	21 Wednesday		
Wednesday, June 10	31 Wednesday			

