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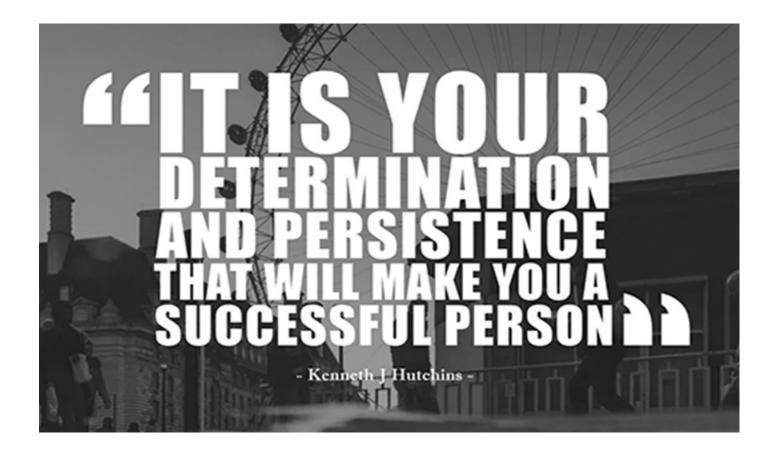


THURSDAY REVIEW



Date: November 17, 2017 Edition: 11

Quotation Of The Week:





The Week Ahead:

Monday, November 20, 2017		
Tuesday, November 21, 2017	Gang Presentation Assembly in block B - Grade 8's	
Wednesday, November 22, 2017	MADD Presentation @ 1:30 Grades 11 & 12	
Thursday, November 23, 2017	SFU Presentation in Learning Commons	
Friday, November 24, 2017	U of Alberta Presentation in Learning Commons	

Upcoming Events:

Nov. 27 – Flex day schedule, KPU Presentation, Staff meeting, PAC meeting - 7 pm

Nov. 28 -

Nov. 29 -

Nov. 30 – Report cards available online

Dec. 1 -

KUDOS:

Congratulations to Mr. Colin Borst on the awarding of his Masters degree in Education, University of Calgary.

This Week at Fleetwood Park - Principal's Message: November 14 - 17

Good morning Fleetwood Park!

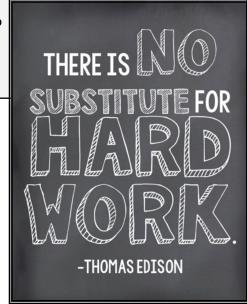
I hope you have enjoyed your week. We returned from the Remembrance Day long-weekend with renewed energy and moved into the final 5 weeks before the holidays.

This is always a very important and significant time of the year for learning and for school traditions. I am looking forward to my first Fleetwood Park Secondary holiday season. There are many wonderful events scheduled over the next 5 weeks and there will be many powerful learning opportunities across the school community.

I encourage students to appreciate all that the season will bring.

Now is also a very appropriate time to remind all students to continue to focus on your learning goals.

Your hard work and dedication will bring you success.





In 2016-17, the core competencies of Communication, Critical Thinking, and Personal and Social Responsibility were introduced into the grade 8 and 9 curriculum across British Columbia. This year, we will continue to teach the Core Competencies and provide opportunities for students to reflect on their learning. It is an important part of our new curriculum. The language of "core competencies" will be reinforced across all subject areas and our students will complete a self-assessment of their growth of their core competencies at the end of the school year. We will be forming a Core Competency Working Group of teachers to help support this initiative. All teachers are invited to join us. Please let me know if you are interested.



Communication competency encompasses the set of abilities that students use to impart and exchange information, experiences, and ideas, to explore the world around them, and to understand and effectively engage in the use of digital media. Communication competency provides a bridge between students' learning, their personal and social identity and relationships, and the world in which they interact.



Critical thinking involves making judgments based on reasoning: students consider options; analyze these using specific criteria; and draw conclusions and make judgments. Critical thinking competency encompasses a set of abilities that students use to examine their own thinking, and that of others, about information that they receive through observation, experience, and various forms of communication.





Social responsibility involves the ability and disposition to consider the interdependence of people with each other and the natural environment; to contribute positively to one's family, community, society, and the environment; to resolve problems peacefully; to empathize with others and appreciate their perspectives; and to create and maintain healthy relationships.



On Wednesday morning, and in direct alignment with the Personal and Social Responsibility Core Competency, we invited the presentation "Bully Back Off" into the school to speak to our grade 8 students. Thank you to Mr. Erb and Ms. Reynolds for your work in coordinating the event. Again, this was an important message for our students and helped to reinforce our strong and positive school culture and sense of community and safety. We look forward to hosting other special presentations for our students throughout the year.

The sun came out between windstorms for a few minutes on Wednesday afternoon. It provided us just enough time to practice our Fire Drill procedure. Thank you to all students and staff for your participation. The drill went well, and it was another good opportunity to reinforce our emergency response system.

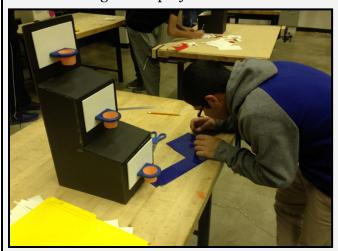
Tomorrow we will be hosting a group of students from Japan. Mr. England's Leadership students will be designated school ambassadors/buddies with our guests as they visit our school. It will be an excellent opportunity for our students to demonstrate their leadership and interpersonal skills, and an opportunity for our school to participate in a Japanese Cultural fair. It will be an exciting day of sharing and learning for Fleetwood Park.

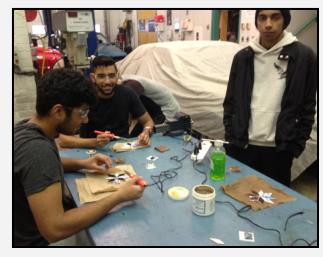


This week Ms. Porter's Art students were working on their drawing and shading skills. Here they are drawing popcorn.



I also had the chance to drop in and visit Mr. Snead's Technology class. The students were absorbed in their work and proud of their accomplishments. This semester the students have a new opportunity to create stained glass art projects!





Our Senior and Junior Boys' Soccer teams are excited and ready for the BC Provincial Championships.

Good luck Dragons!



Enjoy your Friday and have a relaxing weekend.

Ken

Today is Fleetwood Thursday! We enjoyed listening to the musical talents of our students. Thanks to the Student Council for organizing and to all of our performers for the lunchtime entertainment.

Today at lunch was also our Reach Out Club's donut sale. All proceeds will go toward the "Me to We" charitable organization. Great work everyone... a very worthy cause.



Field trips

Monday, November 20 8:30 – 4:30

Ms. Snodden - UBC - Neuro Science Symposium

Monday, November 20 1:25 - 2:45

Ms. Ikeda - Fleetwood Place

Wednesday, **November 22** 9:00 - 1:00

Mr. England - Cineplex Strawberry Hill Cinemas (Rising Above movie)

Friday, November 24 11:40 – 3:00



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."



Home of Dragon Pride "Building Successful Futures"



November 20-24

	\$2.00	ENTREE \$5.00	PASTA \$3.00
MONDAY	Chicken rice	Chicken wings with rice and vegetables	Caprese rigatoni
TUESDAY	French onion	Sausages and mashed potato	Penne with brocolli and mushroom alfredo
WEDNESDAY	Cream of mushroom	Monte Cristo sandwich with avocado mayonaise and wedges	Farfalle carbonera
THURSDAY	Chili	Chicken quesadilla pie with rice, salsa and sour cream	Mushroom, artichoke and sundried tomato penne
FRIDAY	Chef's choice	No Entrée	Baked macaroni and cheese

