

FLEETWOOD PARK SECONDARY SCHOOL

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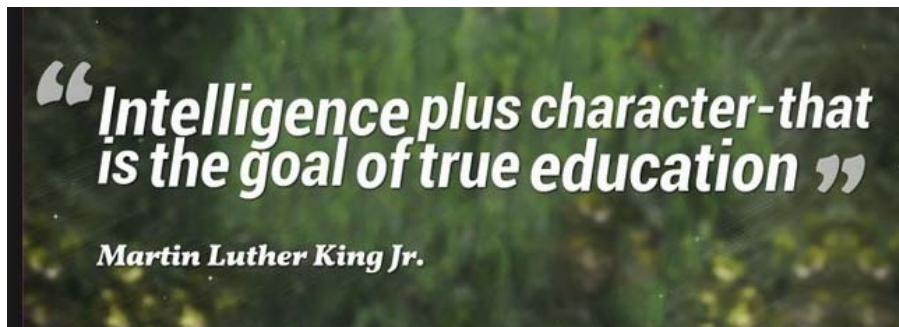


THURSDAY REVIEW



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Quotation Of The Week:



The Week Ahead:

Monday , September 18, 2017	Flex Day: Early dismissal at 1:05 pm
Tuesday , September 19, 2017	School Photo Day
Wednesday , September 20, 2017	School cafeteria opens
Thursday , September 21, 2017	Welcome Back BBQ & Terry Fox Run Reach Out Fundraiser: 11:15 am
Friday , September 22, 2017	

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This Week at Fleetwood Park - Principal's Message: September 11th – 15th

Good morning to all Dragons Staff, Students and Parents!

It is a beautiful morning with sunshine and the slight touch of fall in the air. Fleetwood Park Dragons, both students and staff, are starting to settle into the routines of the first semester. I am pleased to note that the rush of timetable course change requests has now concluded. With this, we are now working on balancing the classes. There will be a small number of student timetable changes required over the next few days in order to meet class size/composition requirements... but we are almost there. I would like to thank all students and staff for your patience and understanding as we have navigated through the complex and challenging requirements of school start-up. The first couple of weeks are always a very busy time for us all.

Over the past weeks I have been getting to know the staff, students and the school. I have been so impressed with our community of learners. I would like to thank everyone for your warm welcome and friendship. My first impressions have been very positive. There is such a rich history of achievement and success for our students; and our Mission statement's values of friendliness, school spirit and student involvement are demonstrated everyday. It is a privilege to be a Fleetwood Park Dragon!

We started our week with our Welcome back assemblies for each grade. This was an opportunity for the Administration to greet our students, share our pride of the school and let them know we are very happy to see them again for another school year. We also reviewed important information about our systems and structures and encouraged all students to become involved in school-life.



On Tuesday I had the chance to join our Cross-Country team for the first practice of the year. It was such a treat to be able to meet the team and go for a run with them. Volleyball and Soccer also began this week. I would like to wish all coaches and student-athletes the very best on your upcoming seasons!

On Tuesday evening we hosted the Grade 8 Parent Information evening. This event helped us connect with our newest students and their families and share important information about the school and our programs. The evening was very well attended with positive feedback from the participating parents. I would like to thank our teacher presenters for your help in making the evening such a success: Mr. Grant, Mr. Lavoie, Ms. Metcalfe, Mr. Uppal, Mr. Rossiter, Mr. Gough, Mr. England, Mr. Thibault, Mr. Snead, Ms. Porter and Ms. Park. I would also like to thank the Leadership students for all of your assistance throughout the evening. Well done everyone!



Congratulations to our Grade 8 students who received Dragons T-shirts as door prizes for the Grade 8 Parent Information evening.

Thursday at lunch was “Clubs Fair” at Fleetwood Park Secondary. This was a wonderful way for students to learn about the many extracurricular opportunities offered at the school. This was our first Student Council organized event of the year. I had the opportunity to drop by the first Student Council meeting and was very impressed with the number of students who attended, their positive school spirit and their desire to make a difference in the school. We look forward to working with this great group of student leaders and enjoying the many student-organized events throughout the year. All students are highly encouraged to become involved in the school through participation in an extracurricular activity. We are so fortunate to have the many different clubs and teams and special opportunities for our students. And, we are so grateful to our staff and our volunteers for making these opportunities possible for our students.





On Thursday afternoon Fleetwood Park hosted the first Cross-Country meet of the year with our Dragons Relay. Teams from across the lower mainland joined us for a fun relay race through the trails of Fleetwood Park. Beautiful weather, extremely fit and healthy students, lots of smiles... a great time had by all!

On Thursday evening we host our English Language Parent Information Night. This is another important session to help support our ELL students and families. Thanks to the LST/ELL staff for your important work.

Have a great Friday and a relaxing weekend!

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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.”



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