# FLEETWOOD PARK SECONDARY SCHOOL

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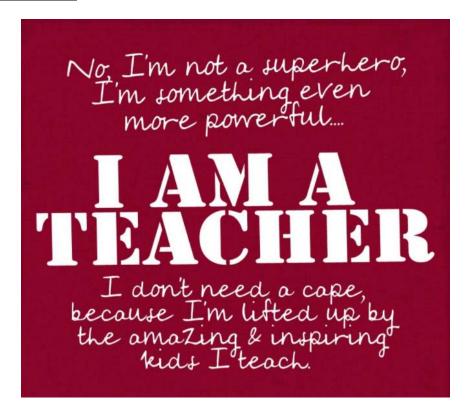


# THURSDAY REVIEW



October 5, 2017 Edition: 5

# **Quotation Of The Week:**



Home of Dragon Pride "Building Successful Futures"

#### **The Week Ahead:**

Monday, October 9, 2017	Thanksgiving – School Closed
Tuesday, October 10, 2017	
Wednesday, October 11, 2017	
Thursday, October 12, 2017	
Friday, October 13, 2017	Photo Retake Day

#### **Upcoming Events:**

October 13<sup>th</sup> – Photo Retake Day

October 18th – Nichidai, Japan Cultural Exchange Visit to FPSS

October 18<sup>th</sup> – Dry Grad Meeting, 7:00pm, Library

October 20<sup>th</sup> – Non-Instructional Day

#### **Kudos to:**

Congratulations to Fleetwood Park Secondary teacher Mr. Andrew Toth on the awarding of his degree at the recent Simon Fraser University Commencement ceremony. Congratulations on such a significant and meaningful achievement! We know Mr. Toth will make a positive difference in the lives of our students and the culture of our school.

### Sean's Space

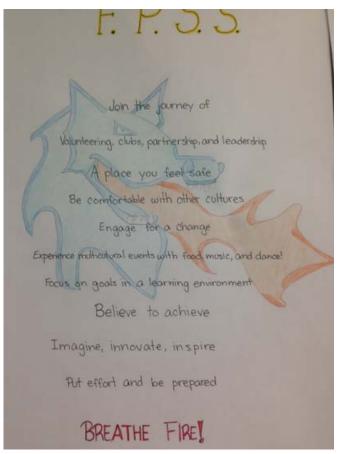
A big thank you to all of our fall coaches for their time and dedication to our school athletes. Good luck with your seasons!

# This Week at Fleetwood Park - Principal's Message: October 2<sup>nd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>

Good morning to all Fleetwood Park Dragons. It is Thursday morning and time for another edition of the "Thursday Review". Over the past week we have settled into the routines of the Fall semester. The heat of the summer is over and autumn crispness is now in the morning air. I hope you have all noticed and enjoyed the colourful leaves on the trees around the school... it is a beautiful time of year.







This year many of our students have been exploring what it means to be a Fleetwood Park Dragon. Teachers and students are using the acronym "Breathing Fire" to help define Dragon Pride. The students have created inspirational posters that capture the spirit of our school community. I have enjoyed reading the posters and know that Fleetwood Park Secondary is a very special place for us all.

Our student leaders continue to be very busy gearing up for the BC Student Leadership Conference. This year Fleetwood Park Secondary is excited to be hosting the conference. It begins on October 19<sup>th</sup> and we will be welcoming approximately 400 student leaders from across British Columbia. Students will spend several days working and learning together with Keynote sessions, workshops, community service projects and team-building activities. Mr. England and his Leadership



students are planning all aspects of this very significant initiative. Thank you for all your hard work, and we know that the conference will be a wonderful success and a very positive contribution to the life of our school. On Wednesday afternoon I enjoyed listening to the Leadership students practicing their cheers.

Today is World Teacher Day! We would like to take this opportunity to thank the entire Fleetwood Park Secondary staff for all you do to educate and support our students. Your dedication to our students through your caring, expertise and compassion is such an important contribution to our community and society. You are all difference makers and should be very proud of your influence in the world! Teaching is such a noble profession ... teachers are a vital partner in shaping our future. Enjoy the day, and know that we appreciate all that you do.





Tomorrow morning we will be hosting another great Fleetwood Park tradition with our Grade 8 Pancake Breakfast. All grade 8 students are invited to join us at 7:45am for a free pancake breakfast hosted by our Student Council. Students, this is a fun way to end your week and celebrate your Dragon Pride! Come out and enjoy some pancakes, have fun and meet some new friends. We are very happy to welcome you to the Fleetwood Park community. Grade 8's you are now officially Dragons! I would like to thank all members of the Student Council for your work in planning and hosting the breakfast, and also to Chef Crema, Cafeteria Assistant Ms. Akali, and our Teaching-Kitchen students for your help in making this possible. Way to go team!

Our Cross-Country team is competing this afternoon at Bear Creek Park starting at 3:45pm. It is a gorgeous day for a run. Have fun, enjoy the experience, and we will be there to cheer you across the finish line. Good luck to all of our runners!

I wish everyone a happy Friday and a relaxing and rejuvenating Thanksgiving long weekend. See you at the Pancake Breakfast tomorrow morning.

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."



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