FLEETWOOD PARK SECONDARY SCHOOL

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THURSDAY





April 11, 2019 Edition: 28

Quotation Of The Week:





The Week Ahead:

Monday, April 15, 2019	
Tuesday, April 16, 2019	
Wednesday, April 17, 2019	
Thursday, April 18, 2019	
Friday, April 19, 2019	Good Friday – School not in session

Upcoming Events:

- April 20 Easter Monday, Classes not in session
- April 24 Report Cards available online MyEdBC portal
- April 24 SD36 & Fraser Health Authority: Vaping Presentation, 6:00pm
- April 26 National WorkSafe BC Day of Mourning
- April 29 Flex Day/ PAC Meeting
- April 30 Junior Science Challenge
- May 3 Non-Instructional Day, Classes not in session

Field Trip:

Tues. April 16, 2019 11:45 a.m.—1:15 Mr. Heggie	Dianat Lagar in Landlay
p.m.	Planet Laser in Langley
Wed. April 17, 2019 5:00p.m.—8:30 p.m. Gough Adam/Sher	ridan Colleen Bell Centre



Kathy's Corner:

Student Teachers: Any experienced teachers who are interested in mentoring a Student Teacher next year are asked to send Kathy an email. UBC is currently seeking Teacher Associates.

May 3rd Pro-D Day: Fleetwood Park will be <u>closed</u> on Friday, May 3rd as all CUPE staff will be off site attending their pro-d sessions.

In the News:

<u>Fleetwood Park's veteran core provides senior service in UBC Invitational title</u> win, No. 2 Dragons will host 2019 AAA BC tourney

Varsity Letters

Posted April 8, 2019

Surrey's Dragons have played in the top-tiered B.C. Triple A championship final game a record five straight seasons and counting.



<u>Kudos:</u>

Attached is a picture of our <u>Jr. Dance Team</u> with coaches at Holy Cross Dance Comp. which took place last Friday night. They took 2nd place, a very respectable finish in an extremely competitive high school dance world.



Congratulations to Ms. Ziolkowska's (M's Z's) and Ms. Wheeler's Business Case Team for representing Fleetwood Park proudly at a case competition this past weekend including teams from all over the Lower Mainland. Team members Roopy Ghuman, Theisen Reddy, Christin Ding, and Vicky Ding competed in a very difficult tier. Team presentations were very close and Fleetwood's presentation skills shined. Please help us cheer on this team as they compete again at KPU near the end of this month.





This Week at Fleetwood Park - Principal's Message: April 8th – April 12th

Hello Dragons and Happy Thursday!

Monday was a Professional Development Day in Surrey. Our teachers spent the day immersed in new curriculum. 2019/20 will be the official implementation of our revised Senior Curriculum, and our staff have been actively revising their courses to reflect the new Big Ideas, Curricular Competencies and Core Competencies of the 2018 British Columbia Graduation Program. As you can imagine, this has been a multi-year process involving countless hours of work. Great thanks to all Fleetwood Park teachers for your professionalism and creativity!

On Monday, we also had the opportunity to meet with the "Farm to School BC" organization regarding the first stages of our new Fleetwood Park Garden Project. Although it is currently just a patch of gravel behind the school, we have big plans. Over time, we envision the creation of a beautiful, green outdoor learning area for our students.







Our Modern Languages Department has been very busy this week with their hosting of the DELF exams. Students from across Surrey have been writing DELF exams at Fleetwood Park. The exams provide a proficiency rating for post-secondary qualifications and are widely appreciated by students/parents. Great thanks to Mr. Grant and our Languages teachers for all of your hard work in coordinating this excellent opportunity for our students.

On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings this week, we welcomed Artona back to Fleetwood Park Secondary for a "Family Photos" fundraiser. Proceeds for the event go to Dry Grad 2019 and we are hoping this event will expand over time to become part of the Graduation experience for our graduates and families. Thank you to the Dry Grad Committee for bringing this together. Graduating students are reminded that our Dry Grad Boat Cruise is coming up soon. We will be leaving port on April 18th! Everyone is reminded that in order to attend, you must be in good standing, and have your Parent Permission form returned to the office.



On Tuesday afternoon, the sun was shining... it was a gorgeous day and an absolute pleasure to be outside and active. Our Soccer and Rugby teams were hosting games on our Upper and Lower fields. It was wonderful to see the fitness, skills and spirit of our student-athletes. Way to go Dragons!









This week we hosted our annual Mock Interviews for our Career Life Explorations (CLE 10) students. The day was structured to allow our Grade 10 students to experience an interview with a community member. Our students were dressed for success and were well prepared for the opportunity to shine. The feedback our students received was invaluable for their future aspirations. Great thanks to Mr. Day and all of our Career Department staff for all your work in organizing this event. Also, great thanks to all of our community guests who participated as interviewers. We highly value your involvement and expertise; and appreciate your gift of time to our students!





On Friday morning, I will be hosting our first "Tea and Tour" of the year for Grade 7 parents/guardians. This is a small group tour of the school, and an opportunity for parents to meet informally, ask questions, and see the school in action during the day. I am looking forward to our meeting. Grade 7 parents/guardians, we will be having one more tour on April 26th. If you would like to attend please call the office to reserve your seat.

Also on Friday, we will be meeting with our Technology Advisory Committee to discuss hardware purchases for next year. All staff are invited to complete the "Tech Survey" and join us on Friday at lunch!

I hope you had an excellent week and appreciated the many learning opportunities that are available at Fleetwood Park!

Have a great Friday and enjoy your weekend. We look forward to Fleetwood Park's Pride Week starting on Monday.

All the best,

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."

