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THURSDAY REVIEW



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Quotation Of The Week

"Develop a passion for learning. If you do, you will never cease to grow."

- Anthony J. D'Angelo



The Week Ahead

Monday, May 13, 2019	Cancer Awareness Week Flex Day		
Tuesday , May 14, 2019	Grade 7 School Tours: William Watson Elem, 9:00 am -11:00 am		
Wednesday, May 15, 2019			
Thursday, May 16, 2019	Grade 7 Tours: Coyote Creek Elem., 9:00 am -11:00 am Math 8 Honours Assessment		
Friday, May 17, 2019	May 17, 2019 Dragon Flame Games, Block D		

Upcoming Events

May 20 – Victoria Day, Statutory Holiday, Classes not in session

May 22 – Measles Immunization Clinic

May 22 - Grade 7 Tour: Walnut Road Elem., 9:00 am -11:00 am

May 26 - Graduation Dinner Dance

May 27 - Non-Instructional Day, Classes not in session

May 27 - PAC Meeting

Field Trips

Date	Time	Teacher	Destination
Friday, May 17, 2019	8:30 am - 2:45 pm	Ms. Smeltzer	Fort Langley



Kudos

Congratulations to Kaitlyn Lu, Fleetwood Park Grade 12 Core French student won her category at the Provincial French Speech Meet on Saturday. She is therefore invited to attend the National Concours d'art oratoire in Ottawa on May 31-June 2. Good luck Kaitlyn!



Kaitlyn Lu (CPF BCYK President Greer Cummings, right)

1st Place

Grade 11/12 Core French

"L'importance du vote"

Fleetwood Park Secondary



This Week at Fleetwood Park - Principal's Message: May 6 - May 10

Good morning. After being away for a couple of days at a conference, I am very glad to be back at school. It has been a beautiful week of sunshine and powerful learning at Fleetwood Park Secondary! Our students and staff continue to be very busy with an array of special activities and unique learning opportunities.

It is "Mental Health" week in Canada.

Mental health is a state of well-being, and we all have it. We might have a mental illness, and we might not. Either way, we can all feel well. We can all have good mental health. It is about having a sense of purpose, strong relationships, feeling connected to our communities, knowing who we are, coping with stress and enjoying life. And it's never too early or too late to get there. But it's not just about what you do for yourself, by yourself—everyone needs healthy and supportive places to work, live and learn.

This is such an important topic for us all. I would like to thank our entire staff of caring professionals for all you do to take care of our students and support their health and well-being every day at Fleetwood Park Secondary. I would also like to remind our students that we have a wonderful team of Counsellors who are available to assist and support you.





We began the week with a two very significant events. All of our Grade 8 students participated in a fascinating field trip to various houses of worship on Monday. I am told our students were excellent ambassadors for our school and appreciated the opportunity to learn more about the various religious communities in our region. Special thanks to Mr. Lo for all of your work organizing this field trip. Also, thank you to all of the teachers who helped provide coverage to make this day possible.





Also on Monday, our "Dragon Tales" Theatre Company staged their opening production of "Into the Woods". We hosted a Matinee performance for grade 7 students from across Surrey. There was energy, smiles, nervous anticipation, talent and hard work on display! Congratulations to all cast and crew for your commitment, creativity and hard work.



Home of Dragon Pride "Building Successful Futures"



This week we have been selling tickets for our Graduation Dinner Dance and Dry Grad Celebration. Students in Grade 12 are reminded to check the print-out on the office window to ensure you are in "good standing" in order to participate. This year's Dinner Dance/Dry Grad is on May 26, and promises to be an evening of pride and celebration. All graduates are strongly encouraged to purchase your tickets for Dry Grad and join your classmates for a safe and entertaining evening of fun and friendship.



On Wednesday, we hosted ICBC guest speaker Ms. Heidi Cave to speak to our Grade 12 students about decision making and driving. With graduation just around the corner, this was a very timely opportunity to remind our grade 12's of the importance of their decisions and the possible ramifications of their actions. Our grade 12's were an excellent audience. Thank you to Mr. Day for coordinating this session.



Our Advanced Placement Chemistry students have been very busy this morning writing the AP Exam. Advanced Placement is a highly rigorous academic program that can provide post-secondary credit for students. Fleetwood Park Secondary has students in both AP Calculus and AP Chemistry. We have a very strong tradition of academic excellence, and we are confident that this year's students will also do well! Good luck Dragons!

Friday is the closing night of "Into the Woods". I am looking forward to seeing the production and the result of months of hard work and effort of our Theatre company. Special thanks to Mr. Rossiter for your leadership in staging this ambitious production. The Performing Arts are alive and well at Fleetwood Park Secondary! Make sure you purchase your tickets and come out to see the production while you still can.

Enjoy the rest of your week and see you on Monday.

All the best,

Ken

