

This Week in the Raven's Nest



Royal Bay Secondary School

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September 24 to September 28, 2018

We would like to acknowledge the traditional territories of the Coast Salish, specifically Esquimalt Nation and Songhees Nation on which Royal Bay Secondary is built, and the nations that SD62 works with, Beecher Bay SCIA'NEW Nation, T'Sou-ke Nation, and Nuuchahnulth Pacheedaht Nation to the west.

We recognize the territory, the First Nations peoples, and thank them for sharing this beautiful land. Hych'ka – Coast Salish Kleco Kleco – Nuuchahnulth



RBSS Student Book Club!!

The RBSS Student Book Club will be starting up again. This is a great time to join a club and meet some new people.

Join us in the Learning Commons at LUNCH on TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25th.

This week:

Monday

Tuesday Dr. Boe 10:30-2:00

Wednesday Island Sexual Health 11:00-3:00

Thursday

Friday Friday #3 C,D,A,B

Orange Shirt

Pancake Breakfast \$2.00

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Important dates to Remember:

October 8	Thanksgiving
October 18	Photo Retake Day
October 19	NID—Professional Development (no school)
November 12	Remembrance Day Observed
November 22	Early Dismissal—Parent/Teacher Conferences
November 23	NID—Professional Development (no school)
December 3	NID—Professional Development (no school)
December 13	Winter Formal
December 21	Last day before Winter break
January 7, 2019	School Reopens
January 24-25	Provincial Exams (gr. 10-12)
January 28	Second Semester begins
February 15	NID—Professional Development (no school)
February 18	Family Day—no school
March 15	Last day before Spring Break
April 1	School Reopens
April 11	Early Dismissal—Parent/Teacher Conferences
April 12	NID—Curriculum Implementation (no school)
April 19	Good Friday—no school
April 22	Easter Monday—no school
May 10	NID—Professional Development (no school)
May 11	Dry Grad—Carnival
May 20	Victoria Day (no school)
June 2	Grad
June 7	Prom
June 21	Last Day of classes
June 24-26	Provincial Exams (grades 10-12)
June 27	Last day of School

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Would you like to be part of a global volunteer movement which will be creating opportunities here at Royal Bay?

Then Best Buddies is for you!

Royal Bay Best Buddies is looking for new members.

We meet 4 times a month at lunch and during focus blocks. There is tons of fun activities such as pumpkin carving and Christmas parties and many more. As a best buddy, you will be helping to plan the activities that you will be enjoying with students who have special needs.

If you would like more information, please come down to room 1131 at Lunch time and see Ms. Hilary.



Career Education Corner



Welcome to the 2018/2019 school year! The RBSS Careers Department has been working to develop the Career Education program that supports the recent curriculum redesign.

Tuesday September 25th Focus Block: Oak

Grade 9 Last Name: Me-R Rm 2125/2127

Grade 10 Last Name: P-S Rm 1100 Learning Commons

Grade 11 Last Name: O-Sn Rm 3101/3103

Grade 12 Last Name: Q-S Rm NLC

Thursday September 27th Focus Block: Spruce

Grade 9 Last Name: S-Z Rm 2125/2127

Grade 10 Last Name: T-Z Rm 1100 Learning Commons

Grade 11 Last Name: So-Y Rm 3101/3103

Grade 12 Last Name: T-Z Rm NLC



MyBlueprint

To increase interaction between parents, students and teachers, we are bringing in a new program for teachers called MyBlueprint. The MyBlueprint platform is used for career education, digital portfolios and self-assessment core competencies from Kindergarten to Grade 12.

This is a Canadian-based platform offering curriculum related to career education and storage space for digital portfolios for learning, communicating progress and assessment. MyBlueprint also offers a continuous look into each child's learning that teachers, parents and students share. Information on how parents can sign up to view their child's progress will be sent out soon. 😊

IMPORTANT: Your consent is needed in order to set this up with your child

To learn more about MyBlueprint and give consent, please visit the consent page online now.

<https://consent.sd62.bc.ca/apps/OnlineConsent>

September 24th -September 27th



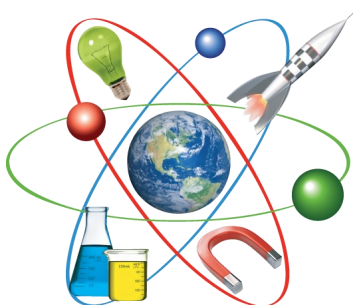
	<u>Item</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>
HOT SIDE	Breakfast	Pancakes with whipped butter and maple syrup	Eggs in the nest	Breakfast sandwich	Ravenous scramble
	Hot main	Grilled cheese and roast tomato soup	Grilled harissa chicken with cous cous	Ramen	Lasagna with Caesar salad and garlic toast
	Vegetarian	Grilled cheese and roast tomato soup	24hr sous vide and pan roasted kohlrabi with cous cous	Ramen	Lasagna with Caesar salad and garlic toast
	Soup	Roast tomato soup	Chicken noodle soup	Split pea and ham	Cream of mushroom
COLD SIDE	Wrap	Cold cut trio	Ham and cheese	Turkey and provolone	Cappicoli and Swiss
	Appie	Steak lettuce wrap	Humus with pita	Shrimp melt	Bruschetta
	Salad Bar	Roast beet salad		Carrot ribbon	

Friday Pizza \$3.00 per slice or 2 for \$5.00



Do you love Science & Challenges?

Try the Real Science Challenge, a new written contest that tests the science skills of students Grades 8-12. Two age divisions available. Registration is only \$8. See Ms. Funk in Rm 3125 or email lfunk@sd62.bc.ca to register or for more information.



Registration deadline is Friday, September 28th, 2018.

Attention parents of grade 11/12 students!

Students who are currently working, or planning to work over the school year, can sign up for Work Experience and gain school credits. For more information, students should come to the Careers office in the counselling suite at the school to sign up. Students who signed up for this course in the spring should be visiting the Careers office before September 28th in order to receive credits for this year. If you have any questions or concerns about the program, please contact Leanne Harrington (lharrington@sd62.bc.ca) or Danielle Huculak (dhuculak@sd62.bc.ca) in the Careers office.



Grad Corner

Winter Formal –December 13th, 2018

Carnival—Dry Grad—May 11th, 2019

Grad—June 2nd, 2019

Prom—June 7th 2019

Grad Photos - December 10th— December 19th

To: All Grade 12's

From: Mr. Froess

Post-Secondary Preparation 12DL **(PSP 12DL)**

Dear Royal Bay Students and Parents,

Please note that the **Post Secondary Preparation 12DL Weebly** is open to *all* students at any grade level (and their parents) who would like direct access and information as to what educational and career avenues are available after graduation. Students *do not* have to be registered in the course (PSP 12DL) in order to visit/use the site.

If you are planning to go onto *any* form of post-secondary education, or if you are unsure of what you want to do after you leave Royal Bay, the **PSP 12 Weebly** can help you:

figure out what you want to study

discover which schools offer the program(s) best suit your needs/interests/aptitudes

find career paths that interest you

investigate which institutions you might want to attend *and* how/when to apply

understand what a GAP Year entails and which program best fits your needs

access direct links to a variety of scholarships and bursaries, in addition to government financial aid.

You can access the Weebly at <https://scholarship12dl.weebly.com/>. If you have any questions, please e-mail me at jfroess@sd62.bc.ca.

Mr. Froess

Teams

2018 Junior Boys Soccer Schedule

Wednesday, Sept 19th Royal Bay @ Reynolds

Monday, Sept 24th GNS @ Royal Bay

Wednesday, Sept 26th Royal Bay @ SMUS

Monday, October 1st Spectrum @ Royal Bay

Wednesday, October 3rd Oak Bay @ Royal Bay

Wednesday, October 10th Royal Bay @ Stelly's

Monday, October 15th St Andrews @ Royal Bay

Wednesday, October 17th Royal Bay @ Claremont

Monday, October 22nd Lambrick @ Royal Bay

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24th

QUARTER-FINALS

Game 1: # 8 vs #1 Game 2: #7 vs #2

Game 3: #6 vs #3 Game 4: #5 vs #4

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29th

SEMI-FINALS

Game 5: Winner Game 1 vs Game 4

Game 6: Winner Game 2 vs Game 3

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31st

CITY FINAL and BRONZE MEDAL

Game 7: Winner of Games 5 / 6

Game 8: Losers of Games 5 / 6

Monday/Tuesday November 5th and 6th

Island Championships hosted by Stelly's (Lower Island)



Volleyball

2018 Royal Bay Senior Girls Volleyball

Schedule

Practices: Mon/Wed 3:15-4:45

Sept 25: @ Stellys 6, & 7:15pm

Oct 2: @ Oak Bay 6 & 7:15pm

Oct 5/6: @ Camosun (Tournament)

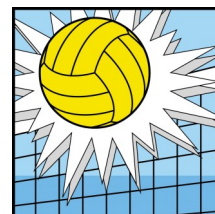
Oct 16: @ Royal Bay 6 & 7:15pm

Oct 23: @TBA (Playoffs)

Oct 26/27: @ Belmont Tournament

Oct 30 @TBA (Playoffs)

Nov 6: @TBA (Playoffs)



RBSS PAC Corner

Meetings will be held every 1st Wednesday of the month at 6:30 pm in the RBSS Learning Commons.



The meeting dates are:

October 3
November 7
December— no meeting
January 9 (second Wednesday due to the break)
February 6
March 6
April 3
May 1 (elections for President and Treasurer)
June 5

2018/2019 PAC Executive Members:

President: Sarah Melanson

Vice President: Larissa Coates

Treasurer: Kim Stewart

Secretary: Kim Mayoh

SPEAC Rep (District PAC): Caroline Aked

Communications Officer: Marie Worden

PAC email: royalbaypac@gmail.com

SPC Card Fundraiser for the PAC!

Each card only \$10!

The PAC is selling SPC discount cards again this year! We are fundraising to pay for our membership fees and to help with various school initiatives.

Purchase an **SPC card** for only **\$10**, taxes included!! You will receive offers and discounts at over 120 retailers and restaurants!!

There are two ways to buy your card:

1. Through school cash online, **PRINT YOUR RECEIPT**, bring it to the office, and receive your card.
2. Directly at the office by cash.

Cards valid until July 31, 2019.

Deadline for purchasing Cards is **Nov. 16, 2018.**



Sound the Alarm!

Are you a candidate for the
Gulf Island Fire/Rescue Youth Camp?
Wonder what it's like to run into a building
that everyone else is running out of?
Dream of using an extrication tool to cut
up a car and access a victim?
Imagine handling a hose so powerful that
it takes two people to hold it?
Think you could dangle off a rope 50 feet
in the air?
Want to make a difference?
Wish you could help?

- The camp is 5 1/2 days long, not including pre-training time. Successful applicants will be staying and working day and night at the fire hall on Pender Island.
- Pre-training will consist of one Saturday prior to the camp.
- Camp participants will be challenged in the basic elements of Firefighting, Search and Rescue, Medical First Response and Rope Rescue. There will be a strong emphasis on team work, physical fitness and community service and FUN!
- Admission fee will be \$200 per student (financial assistance available).
- Applicants must be 15 to 18 years of age.
- Upon completion, students qualify for 100 Work Experience hours, equivalent to 4 school credits.



**Details and application at penderfire.org.
Applications due November 16, 2018.**

YOUR CLUB



Westshore Rugby Club

Now Recruiting for the 2018-2019 Club Rugby Season

We need players Grade 9-12 boys and girls.

No experience necessary just come along and try this amazing support. If you are thinking of playing for the school next year come and learn

in the club environment and then be a season pro ready for the school team. Westshore RFC has committed to supporting the Royal Bay Rugby Team providing coaching support last school rugby season and again this upcoming season in Spring 2019.

If you are looking for a sport that still has its roots in developing confidence, physical strength and stamina, respect for both your team mates, other players and the referees then rugby is the game for you. There is a place on a rugby team for all levels of physical stature and athletic ability.

Westshore RFC's Core Values are: Accountability – Community – Discipline – Enjoyment – Respect – Sportsmanship – Teamwork

If you want to come and give this sport a **TRY** please come along to one of our practices at the Westshore pitch opposite the Q Centre:

Tuesdays and Thursdays 5 to 6.30pm

Cost for this season is \$275 with funding available if required through:

<http://www.sportassist.ca> <http://www.kidsportcanada.ca/british-columbia/greater-victoria/> <http://jumpstart.canadiantire.ca/content/microsites/jumpstart/en/apply.html>

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Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps

**263 BEACON HILL
West Shore Victoria Sea Cadets**



Fun Challenge

All Youth 12 – 18 years of age

Thursdays 6:30 – 9pm

Friends

948 Dunford Ave. Langford BC V9B 2S3 250-478-7813 263beaconhill@gmail.com



Hello Royal Bay Secondary!

This Saturday, September 22nd the Greater Victoria Green Team and City of Colwood are hosting an environmental and educational volunteer activity right behind Royal Bay Secondary in Murray Pond Park! All are welcomed to participate to restore this park! Please spread the word far and wide!

Saturday, September 22nd from 9:45 am - 1 pm at Murray Pond Park (directly behind Royal Bay Secondary) We will be working along the path.

- Removing an assortment of invasive plants from behind Royal Bay Secondary in Murray Pond Park, Colwood. We will talk about local native and invasive plants and learn about Best Management Practices when removing invasive plants!
- Refreshments provided as well as eco gifts donated by LUSH for everyone to take home at the end of the event!
- More info and join here: <https://www.meetup.com/Greater-Victoria-Green-Team/events/252033434/>
- Email: amanda@greenteamsCanada.ca for a parent/guardian waiver form.

No experience is necessary. All ages welcomed to participate! This is a great way to give back to local community by restoring a local Colwood Park! Volunteer reference letters and/or volunteer hour forms will be provided to anyone required to gain volunteer hours!

Amanda Evans

Program Manager, Greater Victoria Green Team

Green Teams of Canada

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<http://www.greenteamsCanada.ca>



You're invited to
CISV VICTORIA'S INFORMATION NIGHT

Friday, Sept. 28, 2018; 7:00pm
St. Aidan's Hall; 3703 St. Aidan's Street



Come out and learn about CISV Victoria! This is the yearly information evening where the public can come and meet some CISV youth, learn about our local opportunities, and hear what CISV is all about!

CISV (formerly Children's International Summer Villages) focuses on educating youth through experiential learning activities and by providing leadership opportunities to allow youth to develop personal skills, leadership abilities, and confidence.

CISV brings together young people to foster cross-cultural understanding and friendships in the hope of achieving peaceful solutions, facilitating thoughtful discussions, and increasing awareness of diversity and cultural differences. We offer local monthly activities and volunteering as well as national and international programs over the summer and winter breaks.



CISV Victoria is a registered not-for-profit charity, non-political, and non-denominational.



CISV is for youth ages 11 years and older, young adults, and families who want to experience the enrichment of cultural diversity through unique peace education programs and friendship. Youth members are encouraged to take a leading role in organizing, implementing, and participating in monthly activities.

CISV educates and inspires action for a more just and peaceful world.

CISV Victoria - Registered Charity BN 118852581
www.cisvvictoria.ca