

This Week in the Raven's Nest



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March 11th to March 15th, 2019

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 Nuu-chah-nulth 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 – Nuu-chah-nulth



This week:

Monday

Tuesday Dr. Boe 9:30—2:00

Wednesday Island Sexual Health 12:00-4:00

Thursday

Friday Friday # 1 A, B, C, D

Last day before Spring Break

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Important dates to Remember:

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)
May 31	R&B Dinner and Dance
June 2	Grad
June 6	Music Year End Concert
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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March 11th to March 14th, 2019



	<u>Item</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>
HOT SIDE	Breakfast	Hash browns with sausage	Sandwich	Pancakes	Wrap
	Hot main	Baked pasta with garlic bread	Jerk chicken leg with cous cous salad	Korean BBQ beef, sticky rice and kimchi	Smorgasbord
	Vegetarian	Baked pasta with garlic bread	Jerk marinated vegetable stack	Mapo tofu and sticky rice	Smorgasbord
	Soup	Clam chowder	Cauliflower	Leek and potato	French onion
COLD SIDE	Wrap	Ham and cheese	Chipotle chicken	Cold cut trio	Surprise
	Appie	BBQ pork buns	Chicken wings	Calamari	Bruschetta
	Salad Bar	Grilled vegetable salad		Cous cous salad	

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

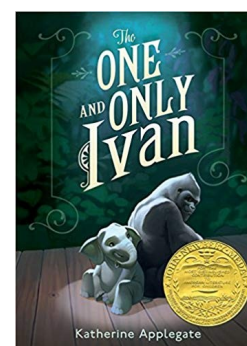


RBSS Student Book Club!!

New members are always welcome! Join us for some great reads.

Join us in the Breakout Room in the Learning Commons during Focus Block, on Thursday, March 14th , 2019. Sign up to Mrs. Phillips' Focus Block.

Our new book is:
The One and Only Ivan





2019 Grad's Important Dates/Deadlines

February 25 th – April 12 th	Grad tickets available to purchase at Royal Bay Secondary. Tickets are \$5.00 each and payment made by cash or cheque to SD62. There is a maximum of 3 tickets per graduate.
April 5 th	Grad Gown order must be completed and submitted to office.
April, 24 th	“O Canada” and Original Grad Song audition at lunch in the Choir room. A copy of the lyrics MUST be presented at the time of audition.
April 29 th	Final Deadline for Ceremony comment form and \$50.00 graduation fee; Payments can be cheques (payable to SD62), cash, or school cash on-line
April 22 nd - April 26 th	Valedictorian Nomination Week (20 signatures required)
May 7 th	Vote for valedictorian during lunch
May 11 th	Carnival / Safe Grad @ Royal Bay Secondary
May 29 th	Graduation ceremony rehearsal at UVic Auditorium University Centre. Buses will depart RBSS at 9am and return when complete (approximately 1pm)
Sunday, June 2 nd	Graduation ceremony at UVic Auditorium University Centre @ 11:00 am
Friday, June 7 th	Prom at Empress



Grad Spirit Week

Monday, March 11th- PJ Day

Tuesday, March 12th- Frat Boy Day

Wednesday, March 13th- Teacher Lookalike Day

Thursday, March 14th- Throwback Thursday

Friday, March 15th- Yellow Day

This is a GRAD ONLY spirit week.



Around



the



school



Hello Grade 12's,

March, April and May are busy months as there are **numerous upcoming scholarships** listed in the **PSP 12 Weebly**. Access them via the links below. Make space in your evenings and weekends in order to give yourself time to complete and submit your applications *before* their due dates.

<https://scholarship12dl.weebly.com/march.html>

<https://scholarship12dl.weebly.com/april.html>

<https://scholarship12dl.weebly.com/may.html>

Remember, some applications need letters of reference, scholarship resumes, essay responses, or other criteria. Ensure you give yourself ample time to complete all that you need to.

Scholarships to note:

Sooke Teacher's Association Scholarships = (Valued at \$1000 each)

Due Date: March 15th

District Scholarships (Valued at \$1250 each)

Due Date: April 15th

Coast Capital Standing Tall and Youth Get It Awards (2 valued at \$3500 each)

Due Date: April 18th

Sooke District Elementary and Middle School PAC Bursaries (Value varies)

Due Date: April 26th

Rotary Sunrise Scholarship (Value: \$1000)

Due Date: May 1st

Royal Bay Secondary School Scholarships (Value varies)

Due Date: May 1st

If you wish to look at **financial aid** resources, click on this link:

<https://scholarship12dl.weebly.com/financial-aid-info1.html>

Good luck. If you have any questions, please e-mail me or book an appointment to see me in Room 2125 during **Focus Block**.

Mr. Froess

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:

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

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Are you interested in Trades?

The Trades Awareness (TASK) is a "hands on" program and is offered in partnership with Camosun College. TASK exposes interested students to various construction and mechanical trades as they explore units in carpentry, electrical, plumbing and metal trades. The program also provides students with industry certifications (eg. First Aid, Safety Star, WHMIS and Fall Arrest) that employers would be looking for when hiring entry-level employees. Work experience is also a key component of the TASK Program and gives students an opportunity to develop employability skills which may lead to a paid job and an apprenticeship. Classes and training will take place at Royal Bay Secondary School, Camosun College and off-site depending on the projects.

Applications are NOW available in the Career Center.

Teams

Royal Bay Badminton
Tuesdays and Thursdays @ 3:30 pm
In the Main Gym



Royal Bay Ravens Rugby

Practice times: Monday and Wednesday at 3:30 pm.
First tournament at Westhills Stadium Thursday, March 14th, 2019.
Stay tuned for remainder of the season schedule.



Music Notes



You are cordially invited to our concert on Monday, March 11th, 2019.
The Concert Band, Jazz Bands, Vocal Jazz, Concert Choir and R&B will be performing.

If you are performing that evening: please be here in full uniform no later than 6:30 for warm-up, tuning etc. The concert starts at 7:00 pm.

Purdy's Easter Chocolates are on sale now. The orders need to be in by Monday, March 11th, 2019.

We now have order forms for some RB Music Department clothing. ¼ zip sweatshirts are \$35, t-shirts are \$15. If paying by cheque, please make the cheque payable to SD 62.

Thanks to the Tran's for hosting another bottle drive. The students made \$10.36/hour.

A second deposit for the April SunPeaks and Sundance Ranch is needed before Spring Break. We have to pay our bills in full. Please send \$150 with your child as soon as you can. If you need it set up for cash online, please send Ms. Snowsell an email (ksnowsell@sd62.bc.ca)

The parent meeting for that trip is Tuesday, April 2nd, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. All forms and monies are due at that time.

Karen Snowsell

Girls STEM Leadership Conference at St. Margaret's School

Sustaining Our Future

*Inspiring young leaders by
environmental stewardship*



– April 26, 2019

*sharing stories integrity,
and green innovation*

- For female-identifying students in grades 7-10
- \$35/student (possible sponsorship available)
- Students must provide own transportation
- Register by March 15th

For more information, or to register, see Ms. Huculak in the Careers Office.

Focus Block Spotlight Session

March 14th, 2019

April 23rd, 2019

Pacific Animal Therapy Society



Pacific Animal Therapy Society (PATS)
is an animal therapy program serving Greater Victoria
for over 25 years.



Host Teachers:

March 14th, 2019 Ms. Cooper

April 23rd, 2019 Mr. Moyes &
Ms. Leswal

Room: 1168

AVID ROYAL BAY SECONDARY

AVID TUTORS AVAILABLE

*Struggling in one or more of your academic
classes? Come for tutoring!*

SCIENCE
TUES & THURS FOCUS BLOCK | RM 3128

MATH
TUES FOCUS BLOCK | RM 3108
THURS FOCUS BLOCK | RM 3117

Tutors are available for subjects including: Math, Science, English, Social
Studies, and more!

Contact Mr. Froess (room 2125) if you have any questions.

Recycle your old cell phones!

Recycle your old cell phones at Colwood City Hall



Did you know you can safely recycle your old cell phone at Colwood City Hall?

City Hall has a drop box provided by **Recycle My Cell**, a national initiative led by the Canadian Wireless Telecommunications Association (CWTA).



Why recycle cell phones?

Keeping your cell phone out of the landfill helps our local ecosystem and the environment. Recycling your wireless device also decreases the need to process new raw materials that would otherwise be needed for manufacturing new products.

Whether you are upgrading your phone or cleaning out your junk drawer, this small effort on your part can make a big difference.

Need more information?

See the Frequently Asked Questions on the Recycle My Cell website at: <https://www.recyclemycell.ca/faqs/>

What Can I Do?



Recycle your phone – Simply drop off your phone at the nearest drop-off location provided to you via www.RecycleMyCell.ca.

Can't come to us? Print off a pre-paid mailing label available on the Recycle My Cell Web site and mail your device to us, free of charge. Be sure that all personal information is erased from your device before you recycle it. Don't know how? Check out the instructions specific to your device on our Web site.



Host a drop-off location – By hosting a Recycle My Cell drop-off location, you'll provide a valuable service to your community. Registration is quick and easy and we'll provide you with all the materials you'll need, free of charge.

What Happens to the Cell Phone?



Phones and accessories are sent to certified processing facilities where they are triaged and evaluated for usability.

Phones that meet specific functionality criteria are resold for reuse. Phones that do not meet these criteria are broken down and are managed responsibly by approved processors.

Whether reused or recycled, your old device stays out of landfill!



Canada's Recycling Program for Mobile Devices and Accessories

Recycle My Cell is a free, convenient and easy-to-use way to recycle old and unwanted cell phones and accessories. By entering your postal code at www.RecycleMyCell.ca, you'll find the nearest locations where you can drop off your device – cell phones, smartphones, rechargeable cell phone batteries, pagers and accessories – regardless of brand or condition.

In addition to freeing yourself of old devices, you will help the environment. A small effort on your part can make a big difference.

Contact one of our program representatives today:
info@RecycleMyCell.ca or 1-888-797-1740.

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