

This Week in the Raven's Nest



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November 4 — November 8, 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 Nuuchah-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 – Nuuchah-nulth



Welcome Back Mike Huck

Mike Huck will be back at Royal Bay Secondary starting Monday, November 4, 2019 as the principal of the school.

Mike was a vice-principal at RBSS before he spent a few years at Belmont Secondary as a vice-principal.

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This week:

Monday

Tuesday Dr. Boe 9:30-1:00

Wednesday Island Sexual Health 12:00-4:00

Thursday

Friday Friday #1

Important dates to Remember:

November 11	No School—Remembrance Day
November 21	Early Dismissal—Learning Conferences
November 22	NID—Professional Development
November 28	Fall music concert
December 13	Grads to Butchart Gardens
December 19	Winter Formal
December 20	Last Day before Winter Break
December 20	Santa Breakfast
December 23-January 3	Winter break
January 6, 2020	School reopens
January 21-24	Graduation Assessments (gr.10-12)
January 27	Second Semester Begins
February 6	Music Concert
February 14	NID—Professional Development
February 17	No School—Family Day
March 13	Last day before Spring Break
March 16— 27	Spring Break
March 30	School Re-opens
April 9	Early Dismissal—Learning Conferences
April 10	No school—Good Friday
April 13	No school—Easter Monday
April 27	NID—Professional Development
May 9	Carnival—Dry Grad
May 15	NID—Professional Development
May 18	No School—Victoria Day
May 29	R & B dinner and dance
June 4	Year End music concert
June 7	Grad
June 19	Prom
June 19	Last day of full classes
June 22-26	Graduation Assessments (Gr. 10-12)
June 25	Last day of school

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November 4 to November 7



	<u>Item</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>
HOT SIDE	Breakfast	Hash browns with Sausage and eggs	Omelet	Waffle with fruit compote and whipped cream	Burrito
	Hot main	Baked mac and cheese	Burrito with slaw	Chicken souvlaki with lemon potatoes and Greek salad	Steak sandwich with grilled radicchio
	Vegetarian	Baked mac and cheese	Veggie Burrito with slaw	Grilled flatbread with garlic, roast tomatoes, feta and greens	Cauliflower steak with grilled radicchio salad
	Soup	Cream of tomato for Zeph			
COLD SIDE	Wrap	Pastrami and Swiss	Turkey and Brie	Cold cut trio	Tuna salad
	Appie	Sushi cone	Taquito	Babaganoush with flat bread	Queso dip and chips
	Salad Bar	Potato		Greek salad	

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



The RBSS Student Book Club meets every second Thursday at lunch in the Learning Commons.

New members are always welcome!

RBSS PAC Corner

2019/2020 PAC Executive Members:

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



Please join us at our next RBSS PAC meeting
Wednesday, November 6, 2019 .

President: Larissa Coates
Vice President: Marianne Chase
Treasurer: Salome Crowley
Secretary: Cindy Fizzard
SPEAC Rep (District PAC):
Caroline Aked
Communications Officer:
Marie Worden

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Dry Grad Committee

The Dry Grad Carnival Committee is looking for enthusiastic parents (of ANY grade) to join our team!

We meet once a month to plan an amazing event for our graduates! If you are interested, please email rbparentgradcommittee@gmail.com

Our first meeting will be held on **Wednesday, November 20, 2019 at 7:30pm** in the multi-purpose room (across from the office)

BC University and College Fair

In the Aviary

At Royal Bay Secondary

Tuesday November 5th

1:30 – 3:00

ATTENTION: Grade 11 and 12's

University of BC (UBC), Simon Fraser University (SFU), Quest University, University of Victoria, Camosun College, Vancouver Island University (VIU), Royal Military College, Northwest Community College, Royal Roads University, BC Institute of Technology (BCIT), Thompson River University, Coast Mountain College, Capilano University, Nicola Valley Institute of Technology and Vancouver Community College will all be in attendance to answer questions and pass out information

Both parents and students are welcome to attend!!



Careers Department



SpotLight Session

<u>Date</u>	<u>Session Name</u>	<u>Presenter(s)</u>	<u>Room</u>
November 15	Lattitude Global Volunteering	Zahida Machan	1168
November 15	Canadian Coast Guard	Kiera Vannaver	1168
November 29	Veterinary Medicine	Lauren Di Ponio	1168



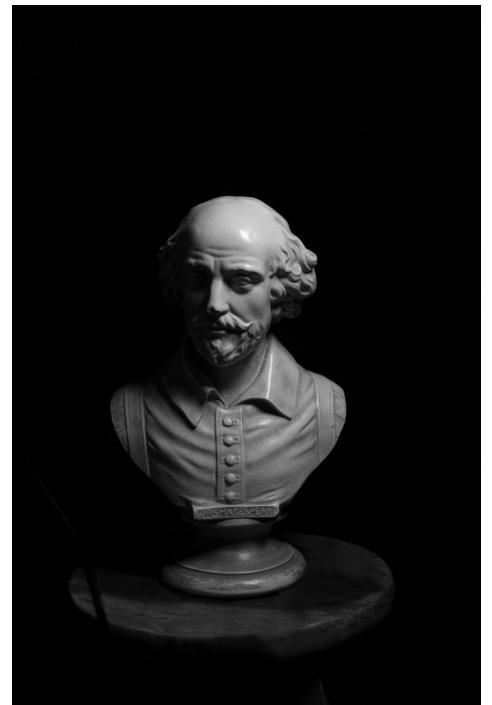
¡Vamos a viajar! (Let's travel)

AMAZING TRAVEL OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENTS

The Royal Bay Language Department is planning another amazing trip to SPAIN for Spring Break 2021. We will fly in to Madrid and travel south for a ten day tour of Seville, Granada, Malaga and the Costa del Sol (sunshine and beach time). There are limited spots available as we would like to keep the group under 25 students. Monthly payments are available and cost includes flights, hotels, transportation and all meals except lunch. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to learn about Spanish culture and practice speaking the language. For more information about the trip, or to sign up go to: www.explorica.ca/Haddon-9052



**Intermediate Media
Design students are
learning how to work with
the studio lights to create
'high-key' and 'low-key'
photography; beautiful
work everyone!**



ATTENTION GRADE 9 Parents/Guardians

Take Our Kids to Work day is in two weeks on **Wednesday, November 6, 2019.**

Thank you to those parents/guardians who are taking a student to work, and who have returned their permission forms.

There is still time to submit a permission form and to return it to the Careers office.

ALL GRADE 9 students will complete an assignment as part of the Careers 9 curriculum– whether they attend work or attend school on November 6, 2019.

Permission forms and assignments can be found on the school website, here: <https://royalbay.web.sd62.bc.ca/departments/career-and-trades-programs/careers-9/>

Student Contact Information

The school **will not** be sending home verification sheets this school year.

Parents/guardians can now view their students demographics and emergency contact information in the My Ed parent portal.

Please review your family contact information. Any changes can be emailed to the school at royalbay@sd62.bc.ca

This is very important information in the event of an emergency.

Thank you.

Hello Grade 12 Students (and parents of...),

If you are planning to attend **Camosun College** or **UVIC** next year, take some time now to look over their websites via the **Post-Secondary Preparation 12 Weebly** links below.

Camosun College: <https://scholarship12dl.weebly.com/camosun-college.html>

University of Victoria: <https://scholarship12dl.weebly.com/uvic.html>

Also, continue to check the upcoming monthly scholarship application deadlines:

<https://scholarship12dl.weebly.com/scholarship-application-deadlines.html>

Finally, you may find these terms and descriptors useful when reading about/planning your post-Royal Bay future...

Post-Secondary Terminology --- Educational Pathways

Apprenticeship

Apprenticeship programs offer combination of on-the-job training and related classroom instruction under the supervision of a journey-level craft person or trade professional in which workers learn the practical and theoretical aspects of a highly-skilled occupation.

Certificate

Certificate programs take between six and 12 months of full-time studies to complete.

Diploma

Diploma programs take two to three years of full-time studies to complete.

Associate Degree

An associate degree (AD) is a two-year program made up of 20 university transfer courses.

Bachelor's Degree

A Bachelor's (or undergraduate) degree usually takes four-years of full-time studies to complete.

Master's Degree

A Master's (or post-graduate) degree, is earned after completion of an undergraduate degree. Typically, the master's degree requires about 30 credits of coursework and takes 2 years of full time study beyond the bachelor's degree. In addition to coursework, the master's degree sometimes entails completing comprehensive exams and/or a thesis.

Doctorate (PhD)

A Ph.D., typically completed *after* a Master's degree, demonstrates a person's competence in research and qualifies them to become professors. Doctoral study offers a unique opportunity for an individual to conduct intensive and prolonged research - often over several years - on a very particular topic, which usually leads to publication. Doctoral degrees are offered in the fields of medicine, dentistry, law, education, or any other faculty of learning.

To access information to *all* BC post-secondary institutions approved & accredited by the provincial government - [Click Here](#)



Grad Corner



December 9 to 18, 2019

Grad Photo sessions

December 13, 2019

Butchart Gardens Event 6:00-9:00 pm

December 19, 2019

Winter Formal

April 28, 2020

All forms and fees are due

May 9, 2020

Carnival—Dry Grad

June 7, 2020

Grad

Grad Wear

Order forms will be available in the office and from Mr. Burgess. ALL ORDERS GO DIRECTLY TO MR. BURGESS. Cash or cheques payable to School District 62.

