

This week in The Raven's Nest



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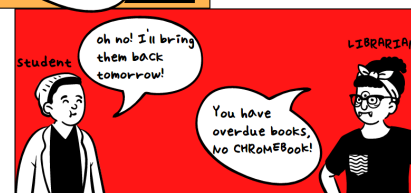
June 20 — June 24, 2022

We would like to acknowledge the traditional territories of the Coast Salish, specifically Esquimalt Nation and Songhees Nation on which Ecole 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



LIBRARY LIFE



This week :

Monday

Tuesday Wellness Centre

Wednesday

Thursday Wellness Centre

Friday

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Important dates to Remember:

June 27	Yearbooks distribution—tentative
June 27	Last Day of School
June 28 & 29	“I” days
June 30	Report Cards published in My Ed



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From the Admin.

Dear RBSS Families,

As we ease into June, I am sure the excitement of the yearbook arrival is upon you. It is with this anticipation that we wanted to reach out ahead of time, to give you a better awareness of delivery expectations.

Our yearbook distributor has sent us some discouraging news. It seems that although the Royal Bay Yearbook class had the yearbook complete and sent in well ahead of time (pre-March Break), the books are held up in shipping. The current estimated arrival to port is mid to late June. This vessel was originally due to arrive almost two weeks earlier, but, like the majority of local and international shipments, was faced with port delays and congestion along the way. We are hoping that the books arrive at Royal Bay on June 24th, so that we can deliver them to our students on June 27th – 29th. Please note that this delay in delivery is affecting numerous schools around the area and province.

Although out of our control, we are truly sorry that you are experiencing a late and difficult delivery, despite submitting our final pages and approval on time. We are working with the yearbook company and are continuing to do all we can to get the books to our students as quickly as possible. Once the vessel arrives in port, the yearbook company is working with their partners to ensure a quick turnaround. It is possible that the vessel unloads seamlessly, and that we may be able to have the books on hand to deliver to our students by June 27th.

If we do not get the delivery in time we will make the books available when they arrive. To our grade 12 students, we will make sure that these yearbooks are available to you either for pick up or through mail delivery.

This is not the outcome we were expecting, and I am sorry for the disappointment it will cause, especially for those students who worked so hard to get the yearbook done.

Hoping for delivery on the 24th of June. We will make sure to send another email alerting families when the yearbooks are ready for pickup.

Respectfully,

Mike Huck

Principal, École Royal Bay Secondary School

RBSS PAC Corner

2021-2022 PAC Executive Members:

Meetings will be held the 1st Wednesday of
each month at 6:30 pm

President: Michelle Alexander

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Secretary: Peggi-Ann Marcoux

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Dates to be Announced in September



Around the Raven's Nest!

Le nid des corbeaux - French Immersion department

Time has flown by this year for our soon-to-be 10e années! As our department continues to grow over the next three years, this group will forever be etched into our memories (and hearts) as the very first group of French Immersion students to graduate from École Royal Bay. Ashleigh, William and I are all very grateful to our FRIMM families for their support this year; we appreciate you all very much.

Next year we are fortunate to welcome Ms. Rebecca Quirie and Mme. Benula Bunjun to our team. Ms. Quirie comes from Belmont where she has been teaching FRAL and Sciences for several years. Mme. Bunjun comes from École John Stubbs and is eager to teach secondary students once again after several years at middle school. Our team continues to grow and to become even stronger. I hope that you are as pleased by this as I am! The future is bright at ÉRBSS thanks to a dedicated team of educators.

Chris McFarland

FRIMM Department Head

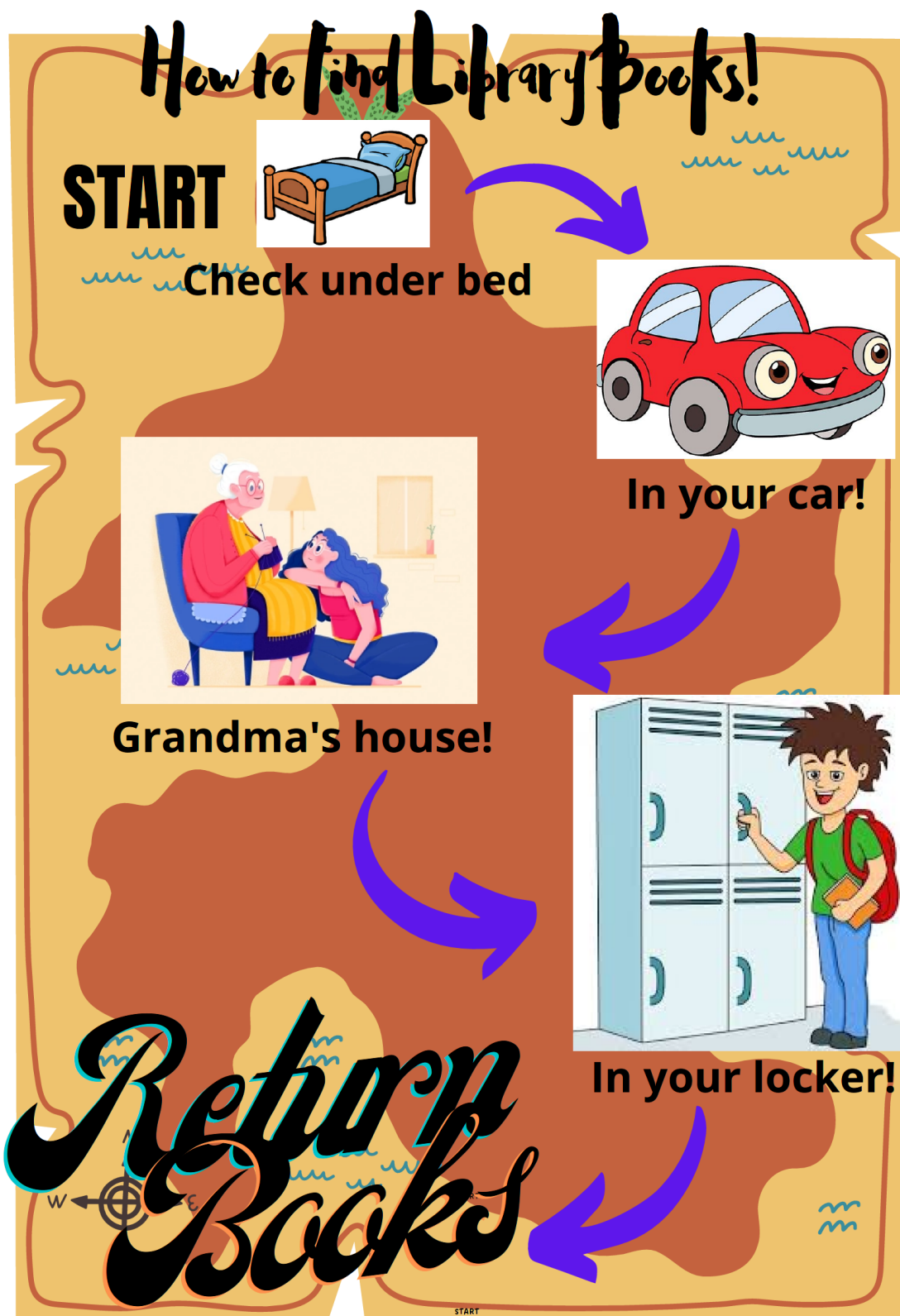
A l'année prochaine ☐



Un grand merci à Mme Allen pour les photos!



From the Library Learning Commons



ROYAL BAY DANCE



Congratulations to our Dance Academy and Dance Performance students for two fantastic year end shows! Our shows included group numbers in Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop, Contemporary, Lyrical, Modern and Stage, as well as some student choreographed pieces. We also were lucky to have some guest performances from Dunsmuir Dance Academy during both our show! All of our classes performed with excellence, enthusiasm and put their best foot forward. We could not be more proud of them and what they have accomplished as a team.

Thank you so much to everyone who came out to support our dancers! It meant the world to them to be able to perform for a full, live audience for the first time in three years. It was such a great way to showcase and celebrate all of the hard work that has gone on this year.



Athletics /Teams

Congratulations Royal Bay Track and Field Athletes for your amazing efforts at the BC High School Provincial Track and Field Championships. You represented yourselves, your school, and your community admirably and should be proud to count yourselves among the top ranked athletes in the province. I also want to say a huge thank you to all the parents and volunteer coaches who helped make this program happen.

Jr. Girls

Quinn S.

Cassandra McK.

Rachel R.

Maja M.

Genevieve B.



Sr. Girls

Ella B.

Andrew Johnson

Track and Field Coach



Athletics /Teams

Exciting news out of Girls Lacrosse Academy. Ella Scoville has officially signed her National Letter of Intent to attend Notre Dame College in Ohio next year to further her education while playing Division 2 lacrosse. Congrats to Ella from all her teammates and coaches!



Opportunities



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Scholarship Opportunities

Upcoming Scholarships

Scouts Canada Scholarship Program **Due: June 19th, 2022**

The Constable Sarah Beckett Memorial Scholarship (CRD Traffic Safety Division) **Due: June 24th, 2022**

BC Council of Forest Industries Forestry Scholarship **Due: June 24th, 2022**

The Constable Sarah Beckett Memorial Scholarship **Due: June 25th, 2022**

Royal Canadian Legion: Sir Percy Lake Memorial Scholarship **Due: June 25th, 2022**

Engineers and Geoscientists BC Scholarships **Due: June 30th, 2022**

Royal Canadian Legion Branch Bursary (#91 Langford Station) **Due: June 30th, 2022**

Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Education Foundation **Due: June 30th, 2022**

Association of School Transportation Services of British Columbia
Commercial Heavy-Duty Mechanic Scholarship **Due: June 30th, 2022**

Herman Rebneris Student Carpentry Award **Due: June 30th, 2022**

Terry Fox Memorial Scholarship (NUPGE) **Due: July 1st, 2022**

Cityline Scholarship for BIPOC Women **Due: July 15th, 2022**

Bill Freding Memorial Entrance Award - Agriculture Award **Due: July 15th, 2022**

More information on these scholarships (and others) can be found on the school scholarship page: <https://rbssscholarships.weebly.com/>

Visit the Career Commons or email Ms. Harrington at lharrington@sd62.bc.ca for help.