

This week in The Raven's Nest



École Royal Bay Secondary School

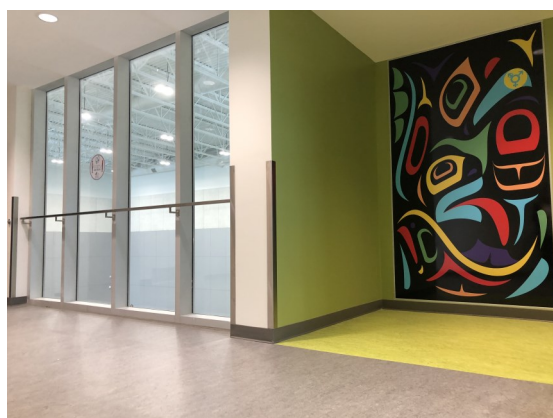
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November 7 to November 11, 2022

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



This week :

Monday	
Tuesday	Wellness Centre 9:30-3:00 Hold and Secure Drill @ 9:30
Wednesday	
Thursday	Wellness Centre 9:00-3:00 Term 1 Ends
Friday	Remembrance Day - no school

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Important dates to Remember:

November 8	Hold and Secure Drill @ 9:30 am
November 11	Remembrance Day—no school
November 14	Term 2 starts
November 15	Post Secondary BC Visit
Nov 21– Dec 2	Grad Photos
November 22	Fire Drill # 3 @ 9:20 am
November 24	Early Dismissal 3 Hrs—Learning Conferences
November 25	NID—Pro-D—no school
November 30	Careers 10 “Life Skill Symposium”
November 30	10 000 Tonight
December 1	Music Program’s Winter Concert
December 7	PAC Meeting @ 6:30 pm
December 15	Winter Formal
December 16	Santa Breakfast
December 16	Last Day before Winter Break
Dec 19– Jan 2	Winter Break
January 3, 2023	School Reopens
January 4	PAC Meeting @ 6:30
January 16-20	Capstone Presentations
January 19 & 20	Grade 9 Immunization Clinic
January 23– 27	Literacy 10, Numeracy 10 and Literacy 12 Assessments
January 30-February 3	Grad Photos Retakes
January 31	Term 2 and Semester 1 End
February 6	School Planning Day—no school
February 7	Report Cards published in MyEd
February 9	Fire Drill at 9:20 am
February 17	NID Tri District Pro– D—no school
February 20	Family Day—no school
March 1	PAC Meeting @ 6:30
March 8—11	Black Wing Theatre Production
March 17	Last Day before Spring break
April 3	School reopens
April 7	Good Friday
April 10	Easter Monday

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From the Admin

The Royal Bay Wellness Centre is open and running.
We are very fortunate to have a Doctor on site every Tuesday for students by appointment only.

We also have a Nurse Practitioner and a Public Health Nurse on alternating Thursdays .

On Mondays and Thursdays we have a Substance Abuse Counsellor form Discovery Counselling.

Our students are well served by the Wellness Centre and we are very fortunate to have these services offered at the school.

Wellness Centre @ Royal Bay

Youth Health Clinics Hours
Please call for appointment and drop in
hour
250-519-3580

Monday	Discovery Counselling: Theresa Kauffman 9:00-12:00pm; 1pm to 2:30pm	
Tuesday	Physician: Dr. C. Boe 9:30am to 3:00pm	
Wednesday	Discovery Counselling: Theresa Kauffman 11:30am to 2:30pm	
Thursdays alternating	Nurse Practitioner: Shyla Genoway 9:00am to 3:00pm	Public Health Nurse 10:30am to 1200pm
Friday	CLOSED	

Clients up to 25 years of age:

Includes education,
counselling, resources
and/or referrals for:

- ✓ Mental health & wellness
- ✓ Illness
- ✓ Sports Injury
- ✓ Birth Control
- ✓ Pregnancy testing and options
- ✓ Sexual decision making and relationships
- ✓ Healthy lifestyle
- ✓ STI testing & treatment

'Excellent care-for everyone, everywhere, every time'





More info
coming in
next week's
newsletter

ROYAL BAY SECONDARY SCHOOL PRESENTS
OUR ANNUAL

10,000 TONIGHT FOOD DRIVE

BENEFITING THE GOLDSTREAM FOOD BANK

WEDNESDAY NOV 30TH 5-9 PM

Student & Parent Volunteers Needed!

Drivers & Food Sorting

Sign up

visit the school website OR email:

bhobson@sd62.bc.ca

rwhite@sd62.bc.ca

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RBSS PAC Corner

2021-2022 PAC Executive Members:

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

in the Learning Commons

PAC meetings for 2022-2023

December 7, 2022

January 4, 2023

February 1, 2023

March 1, 2023

April 5, 2023

May 3, 2023 (elections)

June 7, 2023

President: Michelle Alexander

Vice President: Kim Strandlund

Treasurer: Salome Crowley

Secretary: Melissa Da Silva

SPEAC Rep Paula Wilson
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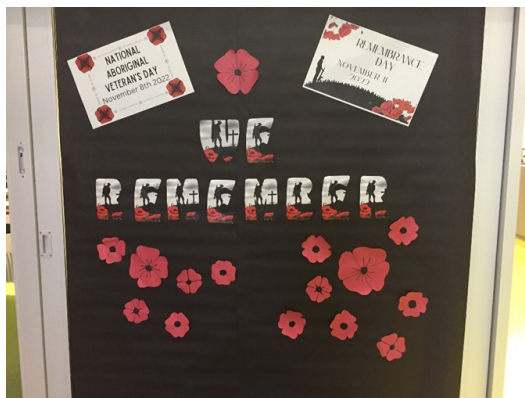
PAC email: royalbaypac@gmail.com



	<u>Item</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>
HOT SIDE	Hot main	Red Thai curry with coconut rice	Linguini with tomato sauce	Salmon poke bowl	Cabbage rolls
	Vegetarian	Red Thai Curry with coconut rice	Linguini with tomato sauce	Crispy tofu poke bowl	Cabbage rolls
COLD SIDE	Wrap	Steak	Tuna salad	Ham	Trio
	Appie	Russian salad	Russian salad	Russian salad	Russian salad
BAKING	Desserts	Cheescake/ waffles	Cheescake/ waffles	Cheescake/ waffles	Cheescake/ waffles

From the Learning Commons

In the Learning Commons, we have put up displays in honour of National Aboriginal Veteran's Day, November 8th and Remembrance Day, November 11th, Lest We Forget.



Come check out a book written by a veteran or a citizen who lived through the difficult times of World War One and Two.

These first-person accounts are illuminating and moving and help us understand our good fortune to live in 2022.

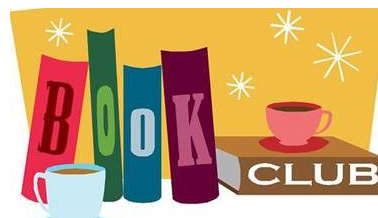
If you feel like some lighter fare in November, check out one of our cookbooks and make a great meal for your family and friends, or maybe just a delicious smoothie for yourself!



Book Club Upcoming Dates:

November 18th

December 2nd, December 16th



Athletics /Teams



Girls lacrosse participated in our 5th Annual Halloween competition.

The winners this year are the team of the M&M's composed of Ninna, Ella Payton, Keira, Alexa and Mia (missing) take home the BOO-tastic Cup!!

The Grade 9 Girls Volleyball team won the Division 2 City Championships this week!

Congratulation!

Go Ravens!



This and That

International and ELL students carving pumpkins.



Take your Grade 9 to Work Day



Take Our Kids to Work Day was a huge success this year! Thank you for making this experience possible for your child. This is an annual, national event where students step into their future for a day and get a glimpse into the working world. The day involves students in grade 9 spending the day in the workplace of a parent, relative, friend or volunteer host, where they experience and learn about the world of work.

A special thank you to our community hosts this year:

- Westshore RCMP Detachment
- Westshore Parks and Recreation
- Vanessa White SD62 District Principal of Healthy Schools
- ERA Law
- Seaspan
- École John Stubbs
- Martin Haaf Canadian Sports School



Grad Corner

RBSS Grad Wear

TAKE THE COMPLETED ORDER FORM & PAYMENT TO MR.BURGESS IN ROOM 2146

OR DROP FORM & PAYMENT OFF AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

LAST DAY TO ORDER CLOTHING IS WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2022

ALL CHEQUES MUST BE PAYABLE TO SCHOOL DISTRICT #62

[Graduation Forms | Royal Bay \(sd62.bc.ca\)](https://sd62.bc.ca)



Grad Corner



ONLINE BOOKING OPEN NOW

School Name:

Royal Bay Secondary

Date(s): November 21-December 2
Monday through Friday

Time: 8:30AM – 8:50PM

Location: Trailer*

*Our trailer is accessible only by stairs. If a student requires assistance or a different location, please let Lifetouch know so we can make arrangements.

GOOD TO KNOW:

- You may include a plus-one or pet for one photo if your school allows.
- Please arrive to your appointment wearing your outfit of choice. For the cap & gown photos, it is suggested to bring a scoop or V-neck top to wear under the gown unless wearing a collared top with a tie. You may include a plus-one or pet if your school allows.
- See FAQ for more information.

PLAN & PREPARE FOR YOUR SESSION AT
<https://schedule.prestigeporraits.ca/schedule/home.html?BC&Victoria>



If you have any further questions regarding booking an appointment or what to expect, please contact us:

604-294-1005



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

What is included in the sit session?

The Deluxe Sit Session includes 10 to 12 poses. Students will receive a diploma folio and a copy of the grad composite.

What do I bring?

Please arrive to your appointment wearing your outfit of choice. For the cap & gown photos, it is suggested to bring a scoop or V-neck top to wear under the gown unless wearing a collared top with a tie. You may include a plus-one or pet if your school allows.

What if my name does not appear on the list when booking?

If you run into any problems when booking your appointment online, please reach out to us here at Lifetouch. We will manually add you in to the system and can help book the appointment for you.

How will I get my photos afterwards?

You will receive an email containing an access code to view your proofs online approximately 1 week after your images are received by the lab. You will then receive the physical proof package in the mail approximately 2 weeks after your photo date.

Who can I contact regarding photo order inquiries?

If you have any inquiries regarding access codes, proof whereabouts, photo orders, etc., please reach out to our Prestige Customer Service Experts by phone (1-888-876-1647) or through live chat on shop.prestigeporraits.ca (click on Chat with an Expert in the bottom right-hand corner).



“Grad Lanyards are now available!! Only \$5 – CASH!”

“Act quickly!! Only a limited number available.”

“Drop by Mr. Burgess’ room (2146) with the cash for pick-up”





Grad Corner



2023 Grad's Important Dates/Deadlines

Nov. 28—Dec. 2	Grad Photos
Thursday, Dec. 15	Winter Formal
Jan. 30– Feb. 3, 2023	Grad Photo Re-Takes
Friday, February 10	Valedictorian Nomination packages sent to mlait@sd62.bc.ca
Tuesday, March 7	Online Voting for Valedictorian
Wednesday, March 15	Grad Comments and Grad Ceremony graduation fee due!
Saturday, May 6	Dry Grad Carnival at RBSS
Tuesday, May 23	Grad Rehearsal at UVic
Sunday, June 4	Grad Ceremony at UVic
Friday, June 23	Prom at The Crystal Gardens

Careers Department



GREATER VICTORIA POLICE FOUNDATION PRESENTS

POLICE CAMP

MARCH 18-25, 2023

APPLICATION DEADLINE : DEC. 12, 2022

Police Camp is a unique youth leadership program for students in Grade 11 or 12 that have an interest in exploring policing and public safety. Students will spend one week experiencing classroom lectures, physical activity, group discussions and simulations supervised by dozens of police staff!

Contact your Career Centre for more information

Police Camp is staffed by police officers, reserve officers of the local municipal police services (Victoria, Saanich, Central Saanich and Oak Bay) as well as the RCMP.

PICK UP AN APPLICATION FROM YOUR CAREER CENTRE



EXPLORE UVIC

Come see what we're all about.

VICTORIA | SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2022

Register for Explore UVic at uvic.ca/explore

