

# From the Raven's Nest... for Friday, April 25, 2025

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After spring break it often feels like time speeds up. The combination of term three busyness along with planning for year end celebrations, and starting to plan for next year's start up, it is a busy time of year. It often feels like April, May and June combine to form one hectic period of time!

That being said, it is also a time where we get to start celebrating the progress that students have made this year. On Friday I was privileged to accompany some of our grade eight students as they shared the learning they have done as part of their focus on Exploring the Salish Sea. In fact some of their artifacts are on display today down at the RBCM as part of an exhibit with artifacts from groups throughout our district. We also are looking forward to welcoming all families in for our Parent Teacher conferences on May 7. We hope you mark your calendars and we will have more information in next week's update.

As I mentioned last week, we really appreciate your reminders to students to dress for the weather and to bring a water bottle as this will help them be prepared for the various outdoor activities that are planned. It is also peak allergy season so if your child has allergies then we realize this can be a challenging time. Just a reminder that we can not administer any medications without a plan and a medication administration card which needs to be completed by your physician.

#### Monday, April 28<sup>th</sup> - FEDERAL ELECTION – Please get out and Vote! Tuesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> – Looking Further Ahead: Pizza day - Preorder using www.schoolcashonline.com May 7 – Student Led Conferences Wednesday, April 30<sup>th</sup> 2pm Month End Assembly May 15 – District Transition Day Thursday, May 1<sup>st</sup> May 16 – Professional Development Day • SUBWAY day for those that pre-ordered Friday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>

#### Pizza Reminder...

We have weekly order options available online right now through www.schoolcashonline.com Thanks!



**LAST CALL - We want your feedback**: As part of our desire to improve our practice, Ms. Singh and I appreciate regular feedback on how we are doing as administrators. This year, I am conducting a formal evaluation for Ms. Singh and would appreciate your feedback on her effectiveness as an administrator in our school community. Part of that process is a survey for parents to complete.

We would really appreciate if you could please take some time to complete the survey. The data is collected anonymously and is very important for the evaluation process to gather as many perspectives as possible. The survey should only take about 10-15 minutes, and the feedback will help inform her practice as well as help me in the creation of her evaluation report.

The survey link is https://forms.office.com/r/n8udzNRUnH or you can access it by clicking HERE! Thank you for your feedback. The survey closes on Sunday at 3pm.

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#### What's happening next week at Rockheights:



### **Grade 8 Fundraiser**

Buccaneer Family Music Bingo When: Friday May 9<sup>th</sup> 7pm to 9pm Where: Curling Rink Lounge

Grade 8 Rockheights Students and parent/caregivers are

operating the concession at this fun family event to raise funds for grade 8 celebration. All proceeds raised at this Rockheights operated concession will go toward the Grade 8 end of year celebration. We are looking for students & Parents/Caregivers who can help with the following: Prior to the Event: (*Students*)

- Create general posters to attract people to the concession
- Create large price lists for items for sale
- Create candy bags

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Night of the Event: Friday May 9<sup>th</sup> 6pm to 8pm (*2 Students, 2 parents/caregivers*)

- Set up of concession 6pm to 6:45pm
- Customer service
- Counting cash and taking orders through square
- Having fun and engaging with people to drive sales

#### 8pm to 9:45pm (2 students, 2 parents/caregivers)

- Customer service
- Counting cash and taking orders through square
- Having fun and engaging with people to drive sales
- Take down and tidy up of event after 9pm

All proceeds from the concession raised go towards all activities for the Grade 8 end of year celebration. **Call to Action:** 

Please CLICK here for the <u>Sign up Sheet</u> for Students and Parents/caregivers

## ---- PAC NEWS -----

**Tuesday May 13<sup>th</sup> PAC AGM:** We are looking to fill almost all roles as current PAC members are moving out of Rockheights. Come join this meeting if you are interested in joining next school year. Looking for President, Treasure, communications and many other roles.



Just a reminder that **Esquimalt High School is offering free drop in Girls Basketball** sessions every Friday from 3pm to 4:30pm. Girls are asked to preregister at <u>https://bit.ly/ESQspringbasketball</u> Please see the poster or scan the QR code for more information.

We hope you have a great weekend and wish those of you taking part in the 10K all the best on Sunday. If you are in the areas, be sure to watch for the Rockheights Ravens staff team!

Sincerely, Mr Maxwell and Ms. Singh

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