

FAMILY WAAG

Sept 22 nd – Sept 28 th					
Monday Sept 22	Tuesday Sept 23	Wednesday Sept 24	Thursday Sept 25	Friday Sept 26	Sat/Sun Sept 27/Sept 28
Pro-D Day (School Closed)	DCBA (Day 2)	ABCD (Day 1)	D PLT CBA (Day 2)	ABCD (Day 1)	
,	UBCO Presentation @ 6:30pm	Connections Class (9:43am – 10:31am)	Clubs Days @ lunch		
		DAG Meeting (Dry After Grad) @ 7:00pm	Post Sec. BC Fair @ 6:00pm		

Repeated Important SLSS Information:

PLT Log-In: Online Booking System

For students: Instructions for the new booking system have been shared in Homeroom/PLT on Sept 8th, as well as on our website, and by email. Sing-up HERE.

Students are required to take ownership of this time and make a plan each week, signing up for a space.

Health & Safety reminder

All members of our school community are reminded to regularly wash your hands. Please stay home if you're not feeling well AND call the Early Warning Line (604-668-6670).

<u>School Fees - SchoolCashOnline</u>

Reminder to students to pay any of their fees. The district standardized school fee (required) and yearbook fee (optional) have been applied to all students' accounts. Grade 12 students will see additional fees on their account based on Grad events offered this school year. Other items such as workbook fees, field trip fees, and athletics fees may also be applied to student accounts throughout the year.

$\underline{SLSS\ Career\ Centre\ Information}$ - Here is a \underline{LINK} to Ms.

Digeso's page on our website. There is information on Scholarships, Volunteer/Work Opportunities, Careers, Post-Secondary, etc.

2025-2026 Family Wall Calendar on our website.

<u>Clubs Information:</u> <u>here</u>. Clubs Day is on Thursday, Sept. 25th at lunch in Legends Gym.

SLSS Athletics

Last year, we ran more teams than any other SD38 school, which allowed so many students to connect to our school in positive ways. Shark teams will communicate with Shark Athletic MS Teams as opposed to social media platforms.

Here is the: Gym Schedule

Connection Classes:

Work is being done to organize homerooms, MS Teams, and lessons. Students should all make themselves familiar with MS Teams (download to a device or use the computers in the library) as much of the Connections Days (Careers 8/9/10 and CLC 11 & CLC 12) material and assignments are located on MS Teams. See Mr. Nashlund, Ms. Yuen, or Ms. Sidhu-Grewal for any questions.

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation – September 30th

Tuesday, September 30 is National Day for Truth and Reconciliation and Orange Shirt Day. Wear an orange shirt on this day to honour the children who never returned home and survivors of residential schools, as well as their families and communities. Public commemoration of the tragic and painful history and ongoing impacts of residential schools is a vital component of the reconciliation process.

We have a limited stock available of Orange Shirts in various sizes. Please see Ms. Campbell if you are interested to purchase one. The cost is \$20. All proceeds go the Orange Shirt Day Society.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Sept 30	National Day for Truth & Reconciliation		
_	(School Closed)		
Oct 1	Collaboration Time (Staff)		
Oct 8	International Post-Secondary Fair (4pm-6pm)		
	PAC Meeting @ 7:00pm		
Oct 13	Thanksgiving (School Closed)		
Oct 15	Photo Re-takes (AM only)		
Oct 16	Interims emailed home		

Gratitude

<u>Thank you</u> to all the last-minute volunteers for helping ensure our Photo Day on Monday ran smoothly.

<u>Thank you</u> to all the student leaders, Ms. Corea, and Ms. Fackler for coordinating, planning, and successfully executing our first Gr. 8 Adventure Days! This was a massive undertaking for our massive grade 8 class of nearly 270 students.

<u>Thank you</u> to our families for joining us for Meet the Teacher on Thursday and to our teachers for connecting with parents/guardians.

Locker Info

All information is on our website <u>HERE</u>. This includes instructions, release dates/times for each grade, etc.

Student Forms

Reminder to return the completed Student Verification, Personal Information Consent, and Walking Field Trip Forms to the boxes outside of the office asap. Parents, please note that your signature is required on these forms. These are overdue now.

Grade 9 Immunization forms are also to be returned to the office ASAP.

DAG 2026 - Grade 10-12 Parents: Our grads need you!

We are recruiting parent volunteers to pull off the most fun event of the graduation year for our Grade 12 students: the Dry After Grad Party ("DAG", for short!)

Parents of ALL grades are welcome to volunteer. We especially encourage Grade 10 and 11 parents to join this year to learn more about this special party that parents organize for the grads, so they know what to expect when it's their child's year!

There are lots of opportunities to volunteer within different roles (chairperson, treasurer, members at large) and on different committees (food, decorating, entertainment, fundraising, communications).

Volunteers get to help shape what this once-in-a-lifetime event will look like this year!

Come and find out more about our past events and see what roles you might be interested in on September 24th at 7 pm at SLSS Room #103.

Sharks Athletics Start-Up News

Link for all details in on our website <u>HERE</u>. Updates include welcome, gym schedule, all information for all seasons, contact.