



SEAQUAM SECONDARY SCHOOL
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May 26, 2023

Dear Families and Students,

We are entering the last 4 weeks of regular scheduled classes. Time flies when you are having fun. It is important for families to discuss with their student how they are doing academically in their classes. I would also suggest reaching out to teachers to see how things are going. Over the next couple of weeks' teachers will be developing "I Plans" for those students who are not currently in a position to pass a specific course. Teachers will be reaching out to families and students about what this "I Plan" looks like. Counsellors are also a great resource for families. Don't hesitate to reach out to them.

The weather is great outside and according to the forecast it looks hot and dry. I just want to remind students and families that we have a dress code. Clothing should be appropriate for school, and not contain offensive or inappropriate graphics. Footwear must be worn at all times. Students dressed in a manner that is not appropriate for school may be spoken to and may be asked to change their clothing. Also, water squirters of any sort should not be brought to school. We will be confiscating them and giving appropriate consequences for those that do.

On Thursday you would have received an email from the District and Delta Police regarding weapons at school. If you have not read it, please do so. Weapons of any kind, whether real or replica, should not be coming to school. We have strict consequences for those that bring them. Also, students should not be bringing items like a multitool that contains a knife blade or box cutters. Please have a conversation with your student.

Once again this has been a busy week. On Thursday, we celebrated our second Sequam Music festival. The Track and Field team participated in the South Fraser's meet. Football is up and running their spring training. Tickets are on sale for the Grade 8/9 dance. Student Council campaigning is fully underway. Badminton ended their season and the Grads voted for their valedictorian. I would like to congratulate Eknor Dhillon and Gurik Janjua as being voted as the Valedictorians of the 2023 Grad class.

Take care and enjoy the fine weather.

PAC

Attention: Sequam Parents! Our final PAC meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 30th at 6:30 p.m. in the room 1104. We are in need of the following positions to be filled:

Chair
Vice Chair
Secretary
Treasurer

Our school relies on the community gaming grant money that we apply for every year but without a full PAC Executive we are ineligible to receive this money (approx \$30,000). These funds go a long way to subsidize our athletics programs, theatre improvements, as well as many clubs that Seaquam offers.

If anyone is interested in any of these positions, please email seaquampac@gmail.com or come to the meeting on May 30th.

The Delta Careers coordinator, Lisa Chapieski and several district students have created a video discussing the career options in Delta!! Lisa is doing an amazing job with our Careers program and if you have a chance to share this with your parents & caregivers it would be amazing to support her work.

Here is the link to the video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Snq2Xoq66X0>

I hope you are all doing well and look forward to seeing you all for our last meeting of the year on June 19th @ 7pm.

Grad and Dry Grad Information

I send an email home on Wednesday with some updated information around Red Carpet, Commencement, and Walk Across the stage speeches. Please read the email and attachment.

Also, the Seaquam website has lots of information about Grad. Check it out.

Seaquam Football

Want to play football? Make friends? Learn teamwork? Have fun?

Football Facts:

- Offer football for grades 9 to 12
- Our coaches are certified
- Equipment is provided
- Our motto is Safety First
- Everyone makes the team
- Season starts in September, ends in December
- New to the game? We teach you the proper and safe way to play the game.

Football registration information:

- Registration fees includes:
 - All equipment (helmet, shoulder pads, jerseys, pants, mouth-guard, etc.)
 - Transportation costs
 - Referee fees and athletic fees (BC School Sports, BC High School Football, etc.)
 - Funding assistance is available through KidSport Canada www.kidsportcanada.ca

For more information, please contact:

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Cafeteria

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| May 29 - June 2 | |
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Seaquam Café Menu

| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Special #1 | Chicken Caesar Wraps | Chicken & Bell Pepper Fajitas | Pulled Pork Sandwich | Meatball Subs Onion Rings | Breakfast Burrito Hashbrowns |
| Special #2 | Baked Penne Alfredo House-made Focaccia | Creamy Beef Macaroni | Thai Chicken Satay Pineapple Fried Rice | Pizza Day | Sweet Chili Chicken Basmati Rice |
| Special #3 | Chicken Schnitzel Spaetzle | Honey Garlic Chicken & Veggie Stir-Fry | Beef Empanadas | Pork Tonkatsu | Assorted Sushi |

May Career Newsletter - click [here](#) to access all the information.

Highlights in this issue:

1. [Career & Hiring Fair](#) - June 8
2. [UBC Geering Up](#) - Summer Camps
3. [NASA Career Talk](#) - May 6
4. [Delta Police Academy](#) - July 2023
5. [VCAD Open House](#) - May 23
6. [BCIT Biomedical Info Session](#) - May 26



See your school Career Program Facilitator for more information on the high school programs!

Calendar events

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| May 30 | PAC meeting and elections |
| May 31 | One Act plays Collab Day |
| June 1 | One Act plays Grad Games – Softball |
| June 5 | Fire Drill |

June 7 Grade 8/9 Dance
June 8-10 BC Track and Field Meet
June 10 Red Carpet and Banquet
June 14 Grade 7 BBQ and open house
June 15 Music Concert
June 20 Provincial Assessments catch-up
June 23 Commencements at South Delta Baptist Church
 Last day of regular classes for students
June 26 Awards Night
June 26-28 I Days
June 29 Report Cards posted

Sincerely,

Mark Robinson,
Principal

Ian Close,
Vice Principal

Vlad Nikic,
Vice Principal

Maggie Callander (next year)
Vice Principal