





# NOVEMBER 7 – 11, 2016

Monday November 7 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday November 8 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday November 9 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday November 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday November 11 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Day 1</b> 8:30-3:00	<b>Day 2</b> 8:30-3:00	<b>Day 1</b> 8:30-2:20	<b>Day 2</b> 8:30-3:00	<b>Remembrance Day</b>  <b>School Closed</b>
<p><b>HALLOWEEN FOR HUNGER CAMPAIGN EXTENDED:</b></p> <p>The Social Justice Club will continue to collect food donations this week. Students are encouraged to bring a non-perishable food item to their Period 1-1 class. The Period 1-1 class that collects the most food items will win a pizza lunch. Students not enrolled in a period 1-1 class will join the Office in competing with the other classes.</p> <p>Strikers, show your competitive and caring spirit by bringing a food donation. All donations will benefit the Richmond Food Bank.</p>				 <p><b>LEST WE FORGET</b> FOR THOSE BRAVE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES SO WE COULD LIVE OURS</p>

## McRoberts Week at a Glance

### EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION

#### Holiday Support for Families

Each year, there are community agencies that provide assistance to low income families during the holiday season. If your family needs extra support this holiday, please contact your child's counsellor.

#### Daylight Savings Time Ends – November 6

Daylight Savings Time ends this Sunday. Remember to set your clocks back one hour.

#### Dry After Grad (DAG) Meeting – November 8

Parents/Guardians of grade 12 students are invited to attend the next Dry After Grad (DAG) meeting on Tuesday, November 8 at 7:00 PM in the school library. The Dry After Grad event on June 29 requires many volunteers to help organize and plan. We encourage all parents to come out and assist with this exciting and culminating event.

While this event is most important for grade 12 students and parents, DAG is open to all McRoberts parents to ensure that Dry After Grad will be sustained in the years ahead. Grade 11 parents are encouraged to attend as this will be an opportunity to learn about the event and what it entails in preparation for when your child graduates the following year.

#### Remembrance Day Ceremonies – November 10

Two Remembrance Day ceremonies will be held in the New Gym at 9:35 AM and 10:55 AM on Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. Staff, students and parents are welcome to join us in honouring the contributions made by our servicemen and women both past and present.

#### McRoberts Wear – Orders due November 13

The McRoberts Store is now open. You will be able to purchase your McRoberts clothing online at:

[https://hughmrobert.itemorder.com/sale?read\\_message=true](https://hughmrobert.itemorder.com/sale?read_message=true)

The deadline to place your order is **November 13, 2016**. Delivery will take place 2-4 weeks after the close of the sale.

If you have any questions, see Mr. Schmidt.

#### Post Secondary Day – November 16

A variety of trade schools, colleges and universities will have representatives at McRoberts for our annual Post Secondary Day. The event is open to all grade 10-12 students and parents. Come join us in the front foyer from **2:30 – 3:30 PM**. For more details, see Ms. Millar, Career Information Advisor.

### DATES TO REMEMBER:

<b>November 6</b>	Daylight Saving Time Ends (turn your clocks back 1 hour)
<b>November 8</b>	DAG Meeting @ 7:00 PM
<b>November 10</b>	Remembrance Day Assembly
<b>November 11</b>	Remembrance Day
<b>November 14</b>	Block Rotation (2, 1, 4, 3)
<b>November 16</b>	Post Secondary Day @ 2:30 PM
<b>November 16</b>	PAC Meeting @ 7:00 PM
<b>November 18</b>	Curriculum Implementation Day
<b>December 5</b>	Professional Day

#### Curriculum & Assessment Parent Session – November 15

Do you have questions about the new curriculum?

Join us for the next parent information evening on November 15, **6:30-8:00 PM** at MacNeill Secondary School.

BC's new curriculum is preparing children for success in a changing world. How we communicate student learning is changing as well, as we look to new and enhanced means of sharing learning with students and their families. We want to hear from parents, their questions, thoughts and input as to current and future methods of communicating student learning.

RSVP to Lisa Urata by email, [lurata@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:lurata@sd38.bc.ca), with number of people attending. Chinese Interpreters will be available.

#### Public Forum: Drug Overdoses – November 16

The Richmond School District is hosting a public forum on "DRUG OVERDOSES" on Wednesday, November 16, **7:00 - 8:30 PM** at Richmond Secondary School. The forum will include an educational session on drugs, such as fentanyl, in our community. A question and answer period will be open to parents, students and the public. Speakers and guests from Richmond School District, Vancouver Coastal Health, RCMP, Richmond Addiction Services, Richmond Fire Rescue and BC Ambulance Services will be in attendance.

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