




STRIKERS WEEKLY WEEK AT A GLANCE



Sunday October 13	Monday October 14	Tuesday October 15	Wednesday October 16	Thursday October 17	Friday October 18	Saturday October 19
	 THANKSGIVING School Closed		Sukkot <i>Judaism</i> International Pronouns Day PLT 8:30 – 10:10am Grade 12 TVR Distribution Assembly (PLT) New Gym	Sukkot <i>Judaism</i> International Day for the Eradication of Poverty Spirit Day PLT 8:30 – 10:10am Post-Secondary Mini-Fair (PLT) Foyer S1 Interims Published	Sukkot <i>Judaism</i> Persons Day	Sukkot <i>Judaism</i>

EVENTS & UPDATES

Grade 12 TVR Distribution – October 16

We have a mandatory meeting for all grade 12s 9:00 in the Old Gym on Wednesday to distribute TVRs. All 12s must be there.

S1 Interims Published – October 17

Interims will be published via email at 4pm on Oct 17. An email will be going home with more details.

Post-Secondary Mini Fair – October 17

Grade 11 and 12 students are encouraged to come to the foyer on Thursday to learn about different post-secondary programs and applications. Hope to see you there!

Language Challenge Exams

Students wishing to take a language challenge exam, applications are due to your school counsellor no later than October 26. Please go to the following website for more information.

<https://www.deltasd.bc.ca/schools/secondary/challenge-exams>

UPCOMING DATES

- Tues, Oct 22 – Breakfast Club Begins
- Wed, Oct 23 – Grade 12 TVR Signing Assembly (PLT)
- Wed, Oct 23 – Photo Retakes
- Thurs, Oct 24 – Grade 8 StuCo Elections
- Thurs, Oct 24 – Collaboration Time
- Thurs, Oct 24 – Grade 8 / Mentor Assembly
- Fri, Oct 25 – Pro-D Day (School Closed)
- Wed, Oct 30 – GLA 10
- Thurs, Oct 31 – GLA 10

CELEBRATING DIVERSITY

International Pronouns Day – Oct 16:

A day to make respecting, sharing, and educating about personal pronouns commonplace. #MyPronounsAre #ShareYourPronouns on social media.

Sukkot (Judaism) – Oct 16-23:

Sukkot, also known as the Feast of Tabernacles or Feast of Booths, is a Torah-commanded holiday celebrated for seven days, beginning on the 15th day of the month of Tishrei. It is one of the Three Pilgrimage Festivals on which Israelites were commanded to make a pilgrimage to the Temple in Jerusalem.

International Day for the Eradication of Poverty – Oct 17:

This day presents an opportunity to acknowledge the effort and struggle of people living in poverty, a chance for them to make their concerns heard, and a moment to recognize that poor people are the first ones to fight against poverty.

Spirit Day – Oct 17:

Spirit Day is an annual LGBTQ awareness day observed on the third Thursday in October. Started in 2010 by Canadian teenager Brittany McMillan, it was initially created in response to a rash of widely publicized bullying-related suicides of gay school students in 2010, including that of Tyler Clementi.

Persons Day – Oct 18:

This day marks the historic decision in 1929 to include women in the legal definition of “persons” was handed down by Canada’s highest court of appeal.

German Heritage Month, Canadian Islamic History Month, Latin American Heritage Month

This month we celebrate the contributions of our German, Muslim and Latin American Canadians.

Women’s History Month

In October we honour the achievements of women, and celebrate the contributions women have made throughout history.

McRoberts Parent WAAG