

EMCS WEEKLY MESSAGE FOR May 25 2018



As the weather improves and this school year nears its end, it is important to remember that there is a lot of work to complete before the end of June. Students need to stay focused on attending their classes so they do not miss out on important instruction and ensure all assignments are completed. For our graduating class, please remember that when you make it to the grad list, you have not yet graduated. You are simply on track to grad, so don't fall off track!! Get the best marks you can and prepare for any final exams. You will be glad you did. The main dates for school events are highlighted below; don't hesitate to contact the staff at EMCS if you have any questions or concerns.

Congratulations!

Congrats to the boys' rugby team who finished third in the city championships, finishing the day with two wins and a loss. The boys now prepare for the provincials at Brentwood College June 8-9.

Congrats to Rori Wood who is currently at Shawnigan Lake School training with the senior woman National rugby team!

Upcoming

Grad practice is Thursday, May 31st. **All students on the grad list must attend.** Busses leave at 9am sharp and we anticipate traffic to delay us so please be sure to be on time.

Sooke Fine Arts Show 2018

Deadline for entries to the Student exhibit at this year's Sooke Fine Arts show is approaching. There is a small entry form available from Ms. Garat that must be filled out for each entry. Please have your pieces with the entry form attached, to Ms. Garat by June 1st.

EMCS Musical Theatre, Film and Art present 'Grease' - June 6-9 at the EMCS Theatre

Tickets are \$10. They can be purchased in the office with cash or cheque made payable to **SD#62**. Tickets are also available for purchase through our school cash program: <https://sd62.schoolcashionline.com/>

Yearbooks are available for pre-order either online at www.schoolcashionline.com or by cash or cheque made out to SD62 in the office.

French Immersion Grad

June 14, 2018

5:30pm to 7:00pm

EMCS Lower Commons

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Important Information for Grads

The school is buzzing with excitement as grade 12 students approach their graduation date. To help your students finish strong, please take note of these important upcoming deadlines and requirements:

1. Rehearsal for the Grad Ceremony is on Thursday, May 31st during school hours. **Students will not be permitted to participate in the actual Grad Ceremony without attending the rehearsal.**
2. **The deadline to be on the Grad List and participate in the Grad Ceremony is this Friday, May 25.** Students should speak with their counselors ASAP if they are unsure of what they are missing.
3. **The deadline for submitting Prom Consent Forms is also this Friday, May 25.** Students will not be permitted to attend prom without the submission of this form.
4. Students must pick up their caps and gowns during lunch hour next Monday, May 28 in the upper humanities area.
5. There will be an important assembly during homeroom next Monday, May 28 to discuss Grad and Prom.

Attachments:

EMCS Musical Theatre, Film and Art present 'Grease' – see attachment

Grad Ceremony Tickets - see attachment

EMCS Program Office

New classes are starting – see attachment

Scholarships and Bursaries

The EMCS Awards database has been updated. Three new scholarships have been added:

- **Reid Kyfiuk Memorial Scholarship** (*application due Thursday May 31 at NOON to Mr. Phipps*)
- **Ron Warder Memorial Scholarship** (*application due Monday May 28 to Mr. Phipps*)
- **Constable Sarah Beckett Memorial Scholarship** (*application due June 30*)

Other applications due in May

- Sooke Minor Fastball Finn Kennedy Bursary

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- UFCW & OFG Joint Diversity Scholarship
- The Federation of Community Social Services of BC Youth Education Bursary
- Janice Lee Blue Wave Bursary
- Sooke Principals' and Vice Principals' Association Scholarship
- CST Scholarships and Bursaries
- Judy Bourne Memorial Scholarships
- Orchid Bursary

Transitioning to Camosun this fall? Your first semester could be FREE! If you are considering Camosun this September, please come and see Kristy Caldwell in the seminar room on Monday, June 4th between 11:30 – 2. The sign-up sheet is in the office or you can email Kristy Caldwell at kcaldwell@sd62.bc.ca

Important Upcoming Dates:

May 25 – Deadline for Grad List
 May 26 – Spring Bottle Drive
 May 31 – Grad practice at UVic – busses leave EMCS at 9am
 June 2 – Graduation Ceremony at UVic
 June 4 – Prom tickets go on sale (must be on the Grad List)
 June 6-9 – Musical Show (Grease)
 June 13 – PAC Meeting
 June 14 – French Immersion Grad & Major Awards Ceremony
 June 15 – Prom
 June 28 – Last Day of School