

# This Week @ Oak Bay Nation

Week of September 14–18, 2015



## “This Week @ Oak Bay Nation” Newsletter

This year we will continue with our format of a weekly one-page school newsletter. “This Week @ Oak Bay Nation” will be emailed to parents each Monday. The newsletter will have timely news and links to keep everyone better informed and more connected.

### Volunteer Driver Information

As of September 2014 there is a new District policy regarding volunteer drivers. Each volunteer driver will be required to provide a copy of their driver’s license, vehicle insurance, driver’s abstract and criminal record check. More information is available on the school website: [Volunteer Driver Information](#)

### Ministry of Education Curriculum Changes

Please read the attached letter from Mike Bernier, Minister of Education, about the upcoming changes to the BC curriculum. [More information](#) is also available on the Ministry of Education website.

### LINKS OF INTEREST

**Morning Announcements:** Reminder that parents can view the Daily Announcements by clicking the link in the bottom left of the main school web page. Announcements are updated each morning at approximately 9:30 am: [Daily Announcements](#)

**Oak Bay Athletics:** For news and information on Oak Bay Athletics, please check the following link: [Oak Bay Athletics](#)

**PAC Information:** Follow this link to the PAC page on the school website: [Oak Bay PAC](#)

**Staff Directory:** For a list of Oak Bay Staff including staff emails follow this link: [Oak Bay Staff Directory](#)

### DATES OF INTEREST

#### September 15

BC Transit Student Bus Pass Photos

#### September 16

Student Council applicant Meeting at lunch

#### September 16

First Meeting for Musical

#### September 17

Team Planning/Study Hall Day

Block rotation is: study hall from 8:25 to 9:21, then blocks 8, 1, 2, 4(No Block 3)

#### September 19

C4C Relay Event

#### September 21

Non-Instructional Day (No school)

#### September 23

School Student Photos—all students should have their photo take in order to get a school ID card

#### September 24

C4C Head Shave in Competition Gym

**YouthPass PHOTO SHOOT | ONE DAY ONLY!**

Oak Bay High School  
Tuesday, September 15  
12:00 - 1:30

The YouthPass is a photo bus pass for youth, aged 6 to 18 years, offering unlimited travel throughout the transit region. For added convenience to students and families, BC Transit will take YouthPass photos at your school for one day only.

For the school photo shoot, the student must bring:

- a cheque for \$315.00 made out to BC Transit
- valid I.D. that shows the student's date of birth
- a completed application form (attached to your September newsletter). The form must be signed by a parent or guardian.

YouthPasses will be distributed by the school office at the end of September.

This YouthPass is valid from Oct 1, 2015 - Jun 30, 2016  
Visit [www.bctransit.com](http://www.bctransit.com) for details about other YouthPass options.

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