



# Oak Bay High School

## This Week @ Oak Bay High

### Week of September 17-21, 2018

#### MEET THE STAFF EVENING

Thursday, September 20  
6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

All parents and guardians are invited to attend Oak Bay High School's Meet the Staff Evening this Thursday, September 20 from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. The evening will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the competition gym.

The purpose of the evening is to provide parents an opportunity to put a face to a name and hear about the curriculum content, evaluation approach and teacher expectations. This is not an opportunity for individual appointments. Parent Teacher Conferences will take place on December 13.

Parking space will be at a premium. A parking map is located on the school website - [parking map](#).

#### Cops for Cancer (C4C)

The next event is the **SILENT AUCTION** on **Thursday, September 20 from 5:30 - 8:30 p.m** at the school. This is the same time as the Meet the Staff Evening, so stop by and place a bid.



#### Future Events:

- September 22 - Bottle Drive 9 am - 2:30 pm
- September 27 - Head Shave
- October 4 - Tour de Rock riders arrive



#### News From the Career Centre

**Practice SAT** - Grade 11 students are invited to write the Practice SAT if they are considering a US university after high school. The exam will take place on Wednesday October 10th from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm in the cafeteria. There is a \$25 fee to write the exam and students must sign up with Mrs. Giesbrecht in the Career Centre. Exams are limited and will be offered on a first come first serve basis so don't delay signing up.

**Canadian Universities Event** - Oak Bay will be hosting the **Canadian Universities Event on September 25th** from 8:30 am to 11:30 am. All Oak Bay students will have the opportunity to speak with representatives from 48 universities during this time. Grade 12 are invited to the gym during block "F" and grade 11 during block "G". All students are welcome to attend during Focus Block. Please refer to the Quick Link "[Canadian University Event](#)" on our website to see the attending universities.

#### Student Forms

On the first day of school, all students were given several forms to take home for parents/guardians to read, sign and return to the school. Your help in signing and returning these forms to the school is really appreciated. These forms are needed to update student information in our computer system and for student safety in case of emergency.

#### Upcoming Dates

##### September 17

Pro-D Day (no classes)

##### September 18

Grade 10 Assembly

##### September 18

Fire Drill at 11:50  
(note change of time)

##### September 18

Band Parent/Student BBQ  
& AGM 6:00 p.m.

##### September 19

Grade 11 Assembly

##### September 19

Strings Retreat

##### September 20

Grade 12 Assembly

##### September 20

Club Day at lunch

##### September 20

Meet the Staff Evening

##### September 20-21

Grade 9 Band Retreat

##### September 21

Dance Troupe Auditions

##### September 24

PAC Meeting 7 pm Library

##### September 25

CUE Event

##### September 25-27

School Musical Auditions

##### September 27

Team Planning (No Blk. D)

##### September 27

Grad Breakfast

##### October 4

Tour de Rock Riders 10 am

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## Kids Plus™ Accident Insurance

Our school board is offering parents the opportunity to voluntarily purchase student accident insurance through the Kids Plus™ Accident Insurance program, underwritten by Industrial Alliance Insurance and Financial Services Inc. (iA Financial Group).

Kids Plus™ Accident Insurance provides protection against unexpected costs arising from accidental injuries. The program is especially valuable for families who:

- do not have medical or dental plans,
- have limited plans, as it may help supplement health and dental benefits, or
- have active children who enjoy sports and outdoor activities.

Kids Plus™ Accident Insurance has a selection of plans to suit most budgets. Benefits include coverage for:

- The full school year (September to September), 24 hours a day, while at home and in school;
- Expenses that are often limited or not covered by private or group insurance plans, or Provincial Health Insurance Plans, such as ambulance, physiotherapy, private tutoring, counselling, and much more;
- Injury-related dental treatment (including future dental treatment up to age 26);
- Out-of-province or country emergency medical expenses.

If your address changes during the school year, your Kids Plus™ Accident Insurance plan is transferable from school to school, anywhere in Canada.

Insurance premiums for children are \$14.50 or \$33.50 per year, depending on the plan selected. A discount is available for families with 3 or more children. Adults age 20 to 64 can also be insured for \$32.00 per year.

For more information or to apply online, please visit [kidsplus.ca](http://kidsplus.ca), or speak with a Kids Plus™ Client Service Administrator at 1-800-556-7411.



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## News from the Band Room

Hello Band Families,

You are invited to the Oak Bay Band BBQ and Annual General Meeting of the Oak Bay Band Parents Association (OBBPA) on Tuesday, September 18 at 6:00pm.

The BBQ and introduction to the OBBPA will start at 6:00pm in the cafeteria. Please bring your whole family and enjoy a complimentary burger and drink.

We will convene the AGM around 6:30 and have you home before you know it!

### Our current executive is:

Ross Curtis (President), Anne Pappas (Vice President), Marianne Kettlewell (Secretary), Jason Holmes (Treasurer), Molly Sullivan (Communications), Tyler Hodgins (Director at Large), Clare Anderson (Director at Large), Jeff Weaver (Band Director), Nathan Jacklin (Band Teacher).

This year, we have new ways of keeping in touch with band families!



Please like, follow and bookmark our pages so you can stay informed and be involved with all of the amazing activities and events that Oak Bay Band has to offer!

We're looking forward to seeing you on September 18th!

Molly Sullivan  
OBBPA Communication

