



# Oak Bay High School

## This Week @ Oak Bay High

### Week of October 29 - November 2, 2018

#### Lockdown Drill

On **Tuesday, October 30th**, we will be having a lockdown drill at the school. This drill, like both our earthquake and fire drills, is something we do on an ongoing basis to best ensure the safety of our school community. We know that sometimes lockdown drills can cause anxiety among students. If you have any particular concerns about your son or daughter, please do not hesitate to connect with us. Although we wish all of our students to participate, we are happy to make accommodations to ease any potential anxiety or concern.

#### Oak Bay Cross Country Team

The cross country team competed at the Island Championships on October 24th with both the Senior girls and boys winning. Congratulations to Jack Amos who won individual gold, Alisa Lyesina individual silver and Delaney Chan bronze. The Junior boys finished in 2nd place.



#### Yearbook Purchases

The early bird deadline for purchasing a school yearbook at the reduced price has passed, but students who still wish to order a yearbook can do so.

Yearbooks can be purchased online through [SchoolCashOnline](#) for \$65.00.

#### School Student Fees

Parents and guardians are asked to check [SchoolCashOnline](#) to see if their student has fees owing. Please ensure all outstanding fees are paid by November 30.

#### Winter Clothing Drive

Oak Bay High School's Community Leadership students are having a winter clothing drive from **October 29 to November 2**.

Boxes will be situated outside the office and all donations go to Our Place!



#### Upcoming Dates

**Oct 29-Nov 2**

Winter Clothing Drive

**October 30**

Lock down drill after lunch

**October 30**

Careers Evening 6:30-7:30 at Reynolds High School

**October 31**

Dr. Tilman Ruff presentation in afternoon

**October 31**

Dodgeball in Gym @ lunch

**November 6**

Oak Bay Jazz Affair #38  
All Jazz and R&B Bands  
7 pm in the Theatre

**November 8**

Team Planning (no blk C)

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Comm 12 Mock Exam

**November 9**

Remembrance Day assembly

**November 11**

Brass Ensemble at the Oak Bay Cenotaph

**November 12**

Remembrance Day

**November 13**

Grade 12 Survivor @ lunch

**November 13**

OB Band Parents Assn Mtg  
7 pm Band Room

**November 14**

Grade 11 Survivor @ lunch

**November 14**

"Take Your Kids to Work"  
Day for grade 9s

### Grad Photo Retakes

Grad photo retakes will be on Thursday, December 13. This will be the last opportunity for Grad photos retakes or for grade 12s who missed the first session.

The online schedule will be available 2-3 weeks prior to December 13. Grade 12s will be able to book a photo retake session online through the Mountain West Studios website at [mountainwest.ca](http://mountainwest.ca)

More information will be sent to grade 12 students and parents once the online schedule is available for booking.

If you have questions about grad photos, please contact Mountain West Studios at (604)433-0551 Ext. 126 or email [grads@mountainwest.ca](mailto:grads@mountainwest.ca)

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### Reminder to Parents/Guardians of Grade 9s

Consent forms and information about "Take Our Kids to Work" Day were sent home with grade 9 students last week. Parents are asked to sign the form and return them as soon as possible. "Take Our Kids to Work" Day is Wednesday, November 14.

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### Pathways & Partnerships Information Evening

Reminder of the information evening hosted by the Pathways and Partnerships team. This year's information session is open to middle and secondary students and parents. Various career, trade, dual credit, and transition opportunities, combined with a panel presentations of current and graduated students will be showcased.

**Tuesday, October 30, 2018**

**6:30 to 7:30 p.m.**

**Reynolds High School Theatre, 3963 Borden Street**

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### Jack Wallace Memorial Track Resurfacing Project "Keeping the Community on Track"

The Oak Bay High track was refurbished as training grounds for the 1994 Commonwealth Games and is now 25 years old and needs to be resurfaced. Oak Bay High is looking for community support to raise \$250,000 to resurface the track and provide access and training areas for athletes with disabilities.

#### ***Are you interested in supporting the refurbishment of the Jack Wallace Memorial Track?***

Please consider donating through the school website: <https://oakbay.sd61.bc.ca/> under the "Make a Donation" link. Indicate Oak Bay High School and in the memo section note "Track Refurbishment".

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### **Want to know how your child did on the Provincial Numeracy Assessment? or Their GPA? or Take a look at their transcript? or Look at their attendance?**

This can all be done through the **Student Portal in MyEd**. Sit down with your child and ask them to [login to MyEd](#) using their student number and the password that they created last year. If your child has forgotten their password, they can try **up to 4 times** to remember and then use the "I Forgot My Password" icon to be prompted to answer their security question and reset their password. NOTE: *Accounts are disabled after 5 invalid log in attempts.*

If your child has never logged in to MyEd, they can retrieve their computer generated password by following the steps outlined [here](https://oakbay.sd61.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/sites/37/2018/09/MyEd-Instructions-to-log-in-w-password-retrieval-Student-Portal.pdf) (<https://oakbay.sd61.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/sites/37/2018/09/MyEd-Instructions-to-log-in-w-password-retrieval-Student-Portal.pdf>).

Need some guidance navigating MyEd? [Click here](#)

*If you or your child needs assistance with this, please ask them to contact their Advisory Teacher.*

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