



# Oak Bay High School

## This Week @ Oak Bay High

### Week of November 19-23, 2018

#### HAVE YOUR SAY: Catchment Boundary Review

Catchment boundaries are the geographical areas that determine which students are eligible to attend a specific school. The Greater Victoria School District is seeking public input on important considerations when re-evaluating catchment boundaries.

Due to increasing enrolment and limited space in some of its schools, the District must align registration with schools' capacities. Some schools are full and enrolment projections indicate an additional 1,800 students may enroll in the District over the next 10 years. To accommodate the growing student population, the District must balance registration across the District with the space available at each school.

As part of the Catchment Boundary Review, The Greater Victoria School District is asking parents to participate in an online survey to provide valuable feedback to the Board of Education. The online survey is available at [www.sd61.bc.ca](http://www.sd61.bc.ca) until Friday, November 30, 2018.

It's important the School District hears from you. Thank you in advance for providing your valuable feedback.

#### Swim Team News from the BC Championships

Our girls got a gold and brought home a trophy for their 400 free relay and the silver in 200 free relay! Congratulations to Johanna and Annika Weir, MacKenzie Larkin, and Bailey Moore. We also placed in 7 other events, and got a 7th, 9th, 11th, 2-14ths, 15th, and 16th. Congratulations to all the swimmers this weekend.

- Boys 200 Medley Relay (Nick Lund, Steven Yu, Hayden Moore, Ethan Moen) came in 14th
- Girls 50 Free Annika Weir came in 9th (technically she finished in 8th, but the rules are weird)
- Girls 400 Free Relay (Johanna Weir, MacKenzie Larkin, Bailey Moore, Annika Weir) got the gold! We brought home a trophy!!
- Boys 400 Free Relay (Navie Singh, Seamus McDonald, Mehtaab Gill, Ethan Moen) came in 14th
- Boys 50 Breast Nick Lund came in 11th
- Girls 100 Free Annika came in 7th
- Mixed 200 Medley Relay (Anouk Dreier, Nick Lund, Hayden Moore, Paulina Delgado) came in 16th
- Girls 50 Fly Johanna Weir came in 15th
- Girls 200 Free Relay (Johanna Weir, MacKenzie Larkin, Bailey Moore, Annika Weir) got the silver!

#### Upcoming Dates

- November 20**  
Grade 10 Survivor at lunch
- November 21**  
Grade 9 Survivor at lunch
- November 21-23**  
Boys Soccer to Provincials
- November 22**  
Team Planning (no blk D)
- November 23**  
Pro-D Day
- November 26**  
Application to Post  
Secondary 7 pm Theatre
- November 26**  
PAC Meeting 7 pm
- November 28**  
Survivor Finale at lunch
- November 28-30**  
Boys Volleyball to Prov.
- December 1**  
Golden Gnome Debate
- December 6**  
Team Planning (no blk B)
- December 6**  
Band Concert 7 pm
- December 6**  
Grad Ugly Sweater  
Breakfast
- December 7**  
Report cards sent home  
with students

## KIDS FOR A CAUSE

### Sock Drive

We have an exciting new club that has just started up at Oak Bay High called “Kids for a Cause” and our first mission is to collect 1400 pairs of socks! These socks will be donated to help those in need stay warm all winter long. Our goal is one **new** pair of socks from each student and staff member but if you would like to donate more than one by all means please do! Please send the **new** socks with your student, there will be lots of boxes around the school for the socks to be dropped off in. We will be collecting the socks from now until December 3rd. Thank you for your contribution!



### Battery Drive



Oak Bay High is having a USED battery drive from November 19th to December 2nd. Please make a difference and bring in your used batteries! The battery drive helps us reduce the amount of electronic waste going to landfills and to help save the lives of many children. Every AA battery contains the same amount of zinc that is needed to save the lives of six children. Zinc deficiency is a global health challenge – more than 450,000 children die every year from complications associated with zinc deficiency.

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### How to Apply to Post-Secondary

**Monday, November 26th @ 7 pm** in the Theatre, Mr. Alexander is holding an information night on How to Apply to Post-Secondary .

ALL parents and student are encouraged to be there (especially if grade 12's have not been coming to scholarship class!). It's designed to be an info night for parents and grade 12's around the process of deciding what post-secondary (s) to apply for.

Please come and bring your questions!

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### LINKS OF INTEREST

- ◇ **Daily Announcements:** The school daily announcements can be viewed by clicking the link in the bottom left corner of the Oak Bay High School web page. Announcements are posted each morning at approximately 9:30 a.m. [Daily Announcements](#)
  - ◇ **Remind App:** Also, students and parents can sign up to receive the daily announcements via email through Remind App. To receive announcements via email, send an email to [oakbaya@mail.remind.com](mailto:oakbaya@mail.remind.com). More information is available at this link [Remind App](#)
  - ◇ **Oak Bay Athletics:** For news and information about athletics at the school, 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 members, including staff emails, follow this link [Oak Bay Staff Directory](#)
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