



# Oak Bay High School

## This Week @ Oak Bay High

### Week of December 3-7, 2018

#### Student Report Cards

Report cards will be distributed to students to take home on **Friday, December 7** at the end of the school day. Administrators review student report cards electronically prior to distribution, but the report cards sent home will not be signed by an administrator.

#### Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent Teacher Conferences are on **Thursday, December 13** from **2:00 to 7:00 p.m.**

On line booking of appointments **opens** on *Friday, December 7 at 8:00 a.m.* and **closes** at *noon on Wednesday, December 12.* Directions for booking appointments are on the school website under "[Quick Links](#)". Teacher names are required and can be found on report Cards. Instructions will also be emailed to parents/guardians.

While we encourage and appreciate families requesting interviews, please keep in mind that some teachers do get fully booked fairly quickly. Please consider making appointments with only those teachers you really need to see (concerns from the Interim Report, work habits, assignments and/or learning concerns, etc.).

If you require assistance booking appointments, please contact the school at 250-598-3361 or oakbayinfo@sd61.bc.ca

#### Community Resource Fair

During Parent-Teacher Conferences on December 13th, Oak Bay High will be hosting a Community Resource Fair for parents to learn about opportunities and/or support available within our community. This Fair will take place in the social space and hall directly in front of the Competition Gym. Please visit the community booths to learn about each organization. Community organizations in attendance are:

- YMCA - Youth Community Health Programs
- AVI – Aids Vancouver Island
- Island Sexual Health
- Trans Care BC
- Foundry Youth Clinic
- Family Smart
- Oak Bay Recreation
- Boys & Girls Club
- Need2
- Canadian Mental Health Association
- Project Respect
- Discovery
- SALTS
- Victoria Friendship Centre
- Oak Bay Police Department
- 2-1-1
- Phoenix
- Single Parent Resource Centre
- Volunteer Victoria
- Umbrella Society

#### PAC December Meeting

PAC welcomes Police Liaison Officer, Constable Sandrine Perry to our December 10 PAC Meeting and Social. Cst. Perry will be explaining her role as a School Liaison Officer.

Join us at the December 10 PAC Meeting and Social at 7:00 p.m. in Room 202.

#### Upcoming Dates

##### December 3

Colonist Cup at 3:40

##### 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

##### December 7

Conference Manager opens for booking appointments

##### December 8

Tuba Christmas 1:30-4:00 Market Square

##### December 6

Grad Ugly Sweater B'fast

##### December 10

PAC Social 7 pm Room 202

##### December 10

Ukulele Concert 6:30 p.m.

##### December 11

OB Band Parents Meeting 7 pm in Band Room

##### December 12

Holiday Choir Concert 7 pm

##### December 13

Parent Teacher Conferences 2:00 to 7:00 p.m.  
Students dismissed at 12:25

##### December 13

Grad Photo Retakes

##### December 24-January 4

Winter Break

## Connect to Care

Connect to Care is a **student lead** group whose mandate is to start conversations about crucial topics that our youth are facing and to connect our youth to the knowledge and support services they may need.

This group will be asking students to complete a few surveys over the next couple of months. The surveys are anonymous and are NOT asking for any personal information that would lead to identifying individuals. Instead, Connect to Care is hoping to gather information about issues and the knowledge needed around such topics as healthy relationships, consent, mental wellness and harm reduction. For example, today in Advisory, students were asked to complete a survey about Consent & Sexual Assault.

Our counsellor, Linda Tate ([ljtate@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:ljtate@sd61.bc.ca)), and Vice-Principal, Melanie Paas ([mpaas@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:mpaas@sd61.bc.ca)), are the staff leads who are working with Connect to Care. If you have any questions, please reach out.

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## KIDS FOR A CAUSE

**STOP!** Imagine what it would be like having cold and wet feet 24/7! Please help “Kids for a Cause” make a difference in the community and give back. Donate a pair of new socks and warm up someone’s holiday.



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## Senior Boys Volleyball Team at the BCs

Congratulations to the Sr. Boys Volleyball Team for their strong finish at the B.C. Championships this week, at 7th place. Following a close loss to #4 Moscrop in the quarterfinals (19-25, 25-27, 24-26), the boys had little to give later that day in the consolation semi-final vs. Mt. Baker of Cranbrook. They rebounded with a very convincing win vs. rivals Argyle of North Vancouver: the grade 12s won the first set 25-23, the grade 11s and 10s almost won the second set 24-26, and the 12s came back on to dominate the third 15-5. Congratulations to setter Diego Maffia who was named a BC 2nd all-star.

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## Senior Girls Volleyball Team at the BCs

Congratulations to the Senior Girls Volleyball Team who competed in the B.C. Championships this past week. The top 20 teams in AAAA in the province battled their way through a 3 day tournament in Penticton to make it through to the championship round. The girls made it through to the top 8 by beating #3 ranked Earl Marriot in 4 exciting sets. They met #4 ranked Lord Tweedsmuir in the quarter final and battled to 5 sets . . . but lost 15 – 12. They faced Handworth in the next round and won convincingly, but then lost to Lord Byng to place 6th overall. The coaches are very proud of the team’s efforts and their many wins over the season.

Best wishes to the two graduating players – Grace Denham and Ella Mickelberry, and also to Talia Hill who won best Libero for the B.C. Championships and to Ella for earning a 1st All Star Award.

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## Senior Girls “B” Volleyball Team Competes at BC Championships

Congratulations to the Senior Girls B Volleyball team for their 7th place finish at the BC Tier 2 tournament.

Great performance from all the girls, including all-star Kaila Nagati.

Many thanks to community coaches Katie Fetting and Chelsea Strandlund.



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## Shoe Box is here!

This year OB Leadership students are working with **The Shoebox Project**. They aim to help local single mothers. The donation criteria is different this year. They are mainly looking for small warm clothing like gloves or socks and hygiene items like floss or soaps. For more details, check out <http://www.shoebboxproject.com/> Donation drop off is in the office.

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