



June 3, 2022

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear ACSS students and families,

This week at ACSS...our school community was treated to various forms of talented presentations. On Monday evening our Grade 11 AVID class, who have been working on their own spoken word skills, travelled to Vancouver to see famous Canadian poet, Shane Koyczan perform. Later in the week, at the school, Aldy's Got Talent was the highlighted event. Big thanks go out to Student Council who organized the event. Big thank also go out to the eight acts who performed over the two days. ACSS students definitely are talented and creative in their artistic pursuits, as was seen at the Talent Show.





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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE cont'd.

Yesterday and today, our Girls' Rugby team is competing at the provincial championships. We send our best wishes to our team and cheer them on from school.

Next week at the school several significant events are happening – we are holding a scholarship luncheon for all scholarship recipients, Grad 9 & 10 students are receiving their immunizations (non-Covid) from Fraser Health, the ISP Careers class is hosting an international food extravaganza, and some student-athletes are competing in the provincial track and field championships. As always, lots going on at ACSS!

Please see the information presented in this week's newsletter to know what is happening at ACSS in June. We are very excited to be able to hold multiple events that recognize the wonderful achievements of our students.

Wishing everyone in our community a safe and healthy weekend. Thank you for reading this week's newsletter. See you next week!

Please check our social media outlets (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter) and our school website regularly for school event information. Thank you.

Mr. M. Palichuk
Principal
Aldergrove Community Secondary School

For the most up-to-date information regarding school events and happenings please visit:

Website: www.acsstotems.ca
Instagram – @acss.totems
Facebook - @aldergrovecommunitysecondary
Twitter - @acsstotems





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Key Upcoming Dates:

June

- June 13 – Grad Forms due
- Jun 13 – 17 – Provincial Assessments
- June 13 – 17 – Grad Gowns Distributed
- June 15 – ACSS Athletics Evening
- June – 16 ACSS Music Concert
- June 17 – Locker Clean out
- June 20 – Grad Rehearsal & Grad Walk
Grad Ceremonies (6pm – 9pm)
- June 22 – Academic Awards Night (7pm)
- June 23 – Dry Grad (11pm – 4am)
Strawberry Tea (3:30pm – 5pm)
Grad Dinner and Dance (5:30pm – 11pm)
- June 24 – Last day of school for students
- June 29 – Final Report Cards
- June 30 – Administration Day (*students not in school*)

School calendar: [ACSS School Calendar](#)

Grade 9/10 Immunization Catch-up Clinic

Fraser Health will be coming on June 7, 2022 to provide immunizations for grade 9 and 10 students who were absent at the immunization clinic held at school in February.

- No additional consent forms have been sent out. They will use the consent forms that were returned by students back in February.
- If students did not return a consent form, they can still be immunized if they return their previous consent form or provide mature minor consent. See this link for more information on mature minor consent: <https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/sites/default/files/documents/healthfiles/hfile119.pdf>
- No COVID-19 vaccinations will be provided at the school.
- Parents who would like to provide consent for their child (if previous consent form not returned) or have questions can phone and leave a message at 604.539.2900 ext. 743057.



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Summer Session Information



The ongoing goal of Summer Session in the Langley School District is to provide short term educational opportunities for students to support them in their long term educational development, and to inspire them to reach their full potential. Every year, Summer Session provides an opportunity for grade 1-12 students from Langley and neighbouring regions to explore areas of interest, get extra help, and stay connected with their learning during the summer.

Registration and full course lists will become available in late Spring 2022. Check back for more information.

General Information

The 2022 Summer Program will run for the following dates:

- **Elementary/Middle Program:** July 11, 2022 to July 29, 2022 from 9:00am – 12:00pm
- **Secondary Program:** July 4, 2022 to August 5, 2022 from 9:00am – 12:30pm

Other Information

- All Summer Session classes are based on sufficient enrolment and are subject to cancellation.
- Registration for Summer Session cannot be done by phone or e-mail. If you have questions please email us at summersession@sd35.bc.ca. If you would like someone to call you, please indicate that in your email, with a call back number.

Summer session information is available at www.sd35summersession.ca





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ACADEMIC AWARDS

Save the
Date

JUNE 22ND, 7PM

invites to come...



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GRAD 2022

NEWSLETTER

Friday, June 3 2022

Grad news provided by Ms. Caines - for any questions, please email kcaines@sd35.bc.ca or call 604-856-2521

STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT HANDED IN FORMS OR PAID THE \$50 GRAD FEE WILL BE UNABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN GRAD EVENTS.

Important Info:

- Grad interviews were conducted by Mr. Kilvert. Fees have been added to each grad account unless otherwise specified.
- June 3-onwards banquet table selection.
- June 3-10 Grad Ticket Distribution from Library
- June 13-17 Grad Gown handout (all outstanding forms must be paid in order to get gowns.)
- June 20 9am Grad Rehearsal Be in the library in your blue gowns, caps & stoles (dress comfy under your gowns!)
- June 20 1pm Grad Walk through Parkside, Shortreed, Betty Gilbert, and ACSS
- June 20 6pm Grad Ceremonies at CLA in Langley
- June 23 3pm-4:30pm Strawberry Tea @ ACSS Gym
- June 23 5:00pm-11pm Banquet @ Clarion Hotel Langley
- June 23 11:30pm-?? Dry Grad @ Aldergrove Credit Union Community Centre (grads not attending Dry Grad will be returned to school for parent/guardian pickup at approx 11:30pm)

GRAD STUFF TO DO

- Nominate the ceremony exit song <https://bit.ly/ACSSong22> otherwise, you're getting teacher choice and it won't be High School Musical! :)

Important



Dry Grad Info

- There are some great prizes for grads attending the Dry Grad event. There's a 50" TV, an iPhone 11, a laptop computer, and gift cards. The first 100 guests in will receive custom made Grad 2022 swag!
- Parent volunteers are still required for the after banquet-Dry Grad event on Thursday, June 23rd. Interested? Please reach out to Dry Grad moms Becky Adams badams72@shaw.ca or Julie Pool juliepool@icloud.com



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Dry Grad 2022 Update

Dry Grad is just around the corner!

GRADS

Purchase your dry grad ticket NOW! Only \$25.00 for a fun filled evening of entertainment and prizes.

Prizes for grads only include: Iphone 11, Laptop Computer, and TV!

First 100 grads will receive a GRAD 2022 SWAG BAG

You won't want to miss out

PARENTS

June 23, 2022 (Dry Grad) 10:00pm TO 4:00am – PARENT VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL NEEDED! Security, set up, clean up etc. We will need parents to stay and help clean up as we need to be out before the facility opens at 6:00am.

Mechanical Bull – If your child plans on using the mechanical bull a **WAIVER FORM** MUST be filled out and signed by parents. Would be a good idea even if they don't plan on it at this time to have the form completed as they may change their mind once they see their friends having fun riding. Please return these to the school office ASAP so we can have them all collected and organized for the Dry Grad. (Form attached)

Final Meeting: June 8, 2022 at 6:30pm in the school library. If you have volunteered to help at Dry Grad please attend this meeting.



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DRY GRAD TICKET PURCHASE FORM

Please detach & return with your \$25 payment. Payment can be made by cash or Cheques made payable to ACSS Dry Grad 2022

Student Name:	
Parent Name:	
Phone Number:	
Email: *REQUIRED*	
Available to volunteer at event	Yes or No please circle one





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#29 - 1833 Coast Meridian Rd, Port Coquitlam, B.C. Canada V3C 6G5 Phone (604) 474-0359 Fax (604) 474-0379

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK STATEMENT

In consideration of Houle Games and Entertainment Ltd. (hereafter "Houle") allowing my/my child to participate in its activities:

AS A PARTICIPANT OR PARENT/GUARDIAN, I UNDERSTAND AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT:

Houle provides equipment for activities including but not limited to Mechanical Bull Ride, Kids Bouncers and Slides, Inflatable Games, Carnival and Picnic Games, Casino Rentals, Arcade and Video Games, Sports Simulation Games, Laser Tag, Sports Bar Style Table Games, Money Booth and Photo Booth Rentals, Specialty Artists and Entertainers, Music Services (referred to herein as "activity"). More information on the activities can be found on our website at www.houlegames.com.

Participation in an activity entails known and unanticipated risks that could result in physical or emotional injury or damages to my/my child, to property, or to third parties. Such risk cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the activities.

The risks of these activities include but are not limited to sprains, torn muscles and/or ligaments; fracture or broken bones; dental damage; eye damage; cuts, wounds, scrapes, abrasions, and/or contusions; dehydration; oxygen shortage (anoxia); head, neck, and or spinal injuries; shock; paralysis and/or death.

These risks may be caused by falls, collisions and close contact with other participants and fixed objects, fatigue, psychological stress, equipment failure, and my/my child's sense of balance, physical coordination, and ability and willingness to follow instructions. Some participants experience an increased heart rate and other symptoms of anxiety and stress due to physical exertion, reliance on other participants, or a fear of heights.

All of the activities are voluntary.

It is the responsibility of the participant to limit his or her participation in any way he/she deems appropriate. Houle does not make a determination of a participant's fitness for an activity; rather, the participant represents to Houle and verifies that he/she is physically fit and ready for an activity, and that the activity is suitable for the participant.

The participant agrees to comply with all rules and directions made or given by Houle and its employees, volunteers, assistants and contractors in connection with the activity.

I am aware that Houle does not carry medical or dental insurance for the participant, and it is my responsibility to arrange for insurance for the participant as I see fit.

For the parent: I have discussed these risks with my child. My child understands and acknowledges these risks. My child also understands that he or she assumes these risks in the event he or she decides to participate in an activity.

Please read and complete page 2 of this form

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK STATEMENT AS A PARTICIPANT OR PARENT/GUARDIAN, I AGREE:

In the event of an accident requiring medical attention at an activity supervised by Houle, I authorize Houle and its agents to render or seek emergency or first aid assistance for my/my child and to release medical information and incident reports to insurance providers and other persons or authorities deemed appropriate by Houle.

To the use of my/my child's image in any photograph, video recording, or Web page of Houle.

Should any part of this acknowledgement be declared unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this acknowledgement shall be in full force and effect.

Participant Name (PRINT) _____

(H) Phone () - - (C) Phone () - -

Address _____

City _____ Province _____ Postal Code _____

Age _____ Gender _____

Booking/Organization Name: Aldergrove Community Secondary School

Invoice Title: 2022Aldergrove0623E

Event Date: Thursday, June 23rd – Friday, June 24th, 2022

EMERGENCY CONTACT (PRINT) _____

(H) Phone () - - (C) Phone () - -

By signing this document, I acknowledge that I have read and fully understand both pages of this document and that the information I have provided is disclosed accurately and truthfully.

I UNDERSTAND THAT PARTICIPATION IS AT ONE'S OWN RISK.

Participant Signature _____ DATE ____/____/____

Parent Signature _____ DATE ____/____/____

PARENT SIGNATURE REQUIRED IF PARTICIPANT IS UNDER NINETEEN (19) years of age.



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ALDERGROVE
YOUTH SOCCER CLUB



FALL 2022/2023 EVALUATIONS

Boys & Girls Ages 11–14

June 1–June 13

SEE WEBSITE FOR
AGE GROUP DATES & TIMES

Our Goal is “Fitness & Fun”

AYSC – INSTILLING TEAMWORK, HEALTHY LIVING & LIFELONG FRIENDSHIPS

Evaluations for Fall 2022/2023 U11-U14 will be taking place over the next few weeks. The evaluations will provide Club Coaches and team coaches an opportunity to determine the best fit for players if there are more than one team / level (e.g. Division 1, 2, 3) in any age group.

www.aldergrovesoccer.com/eval





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ALDERGROVE
YOUTH SOCCER CLUB



FALL 2022/2023 REGISTRATION

Boys & Girls Ages 4–17

September–February

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

DON'T MISS THE DEADLINE – REGISTER NOW!

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AYSC – INSTILLING TEAMWORK, HEALTHY LIVING & LIFELONG FRIENDSHIPS

The Aldergrove Youth Soccer Club (AYSC) is a duly registered BC non-profit society operated by volunteers that develops, promotes and organizes community soccer for boys and girls.

- AYSC players come together across school and neighborhood boundaries (Aldergrove, Langley, and West Abbotsford)
- very reasonable registration fees – quality soccer programs and coaching
- strong emphasis on community soccer – every child is given an opportunity to play, regardless of skill level or physical development
- AYSC players have received soccer scholarships to universities such as TWU, UFV, and UNBC
- instills teamwork, healthy living and lifelong friendships

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IS YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION UP TO DATE??

Are you moving or leaving the District? The District is reminding families to ensure they have accurate and updated information in the MyEDBC parent portal. Information such as parent/guardian contact details and home address are examples of data required by staff to plan enrolment, transportation services and other programs. Please contact your school office if you have questions about updating student information. The District appreciates your cooperation as this helps plan the next school year.



SCHOOL DISTRICT

Langley

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROGRAM



Come as a Visitor, Leave as a Friend

HOMESTAY FAMILIES NEEDED

Have a life changing experience and welcome an international student into your home!
Homestay families are provided **\$950/month** to offset costs!

CATCHMENT AREA SCHOOLS:

- Aldergrove Community Secondary
- Brookwood Secondary
- Langley Secondary
- Walnut Grove Secondary
- Langley Fine Arts Secondary
- Langley Fundamental Secondary
- R.E. Mountain Secondary
- D.W. Poppy Secondary

HOW TO APPLY:

Please visit our International Student Program website (Homestay section): www.studyinlangley.com and complete the online Homestay Application!

FURTHER INFORMATION:

Please contact:

Langley School District
International Students Program
Tel: 604-534-7891

We are located at the
Langley School Board Office
4875 - 222 Street, Langley, BC