

## **News from the Nest**

April 25-29– For Parent





### Spotlight on Learning: Science Fair Silver Medal

Caio de Figueiroa competed in the Fraser Valley Regional Science Fair and won a silver medal, the Langley Environmental Partners Society Award, and a UFV Entrance Scholarship worth \$4000. Caio's investigation, "To pee or not to pee", examined whether human urine could be used as an effective and viable fertilizer to grow radishes. He undertook this project because his interests lie in the development of a greener, more sustainable world future. Congratulations, Caio!

### We R Hawks Week

April 25-29 is our We Are Hawks week where we celebrate everything that it means to be a Hawk.

- Monday Celebration of Arts: Improv show in the theatre at lunch. Art show begins in the library lab. Teachers can sign their classes up to visit.
- Tuesday Celebration of Mouat Sport. Wear your jerseys. Athletes forum after school.
- Wednesday School wide BBQ. Come grab a hotdog at the front of the school, while they last.
- Thursday Celebration of Academics. Wear your Mouat merchandise. Grade 12 scholarship winner recognition.
- Friday Celebration of French Immersion program. Come to the cafeteria at lunch for a Carnival.

### **Ecology Web of Life**

Mr. Pryma's Block B students were in the LLC on Wednesday to learn about "Indigenous Perspectives and Interconnectedness in an Ecosystem." Students watched a couple of short videos to review Science 9 Ecology vocabulary and concepts they had been introduced to in class. They answered questions about biotic/abiotic organisms and the impact of the environment on an ecosystem. To reinforce their understanding through kinesthetic learning and to incorporate First People's Science Principles, students split into two groups and participated in the "Web of Life" activity. Thank you to Mrs. Dyck and Sameera for facilitating. The students enjoyed the experience.



### **April Literacy and Numeracy Schedule**

Provincial graduation assessments will be held on April  $25^{th} - 29^{th}$ . The highest priority is our grade 12 students that need to complete these assessments by June to graduate. Below is a schedule of assessments for April. We will have all our grade 12 English courses write in addition to all our grade 10 math classes.

In June we will have all our first and second semester English 10 classes write (first semester was missed in January due to the assessment session being cancelled). I will send out a complete list of students next week.

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Start	End	25-Apr-22	26-Apr-22	27-Apr-22	28-Apr-22	29-Apr-22
8:15 AM	11:15 AM	Taylor (A) Powell (A)	Turner (D) Powell (D)	Carroll (A) Bennett (A)	Matty (D) Jaswal (D)	Grade 12 English
12:15 PM	3:15 PM	Lawrence (C) BOOY (EFP 12 Sem 1)	Taylor (B) Matty (A)	Numeracy 10 (Current 12s)	Literacy 10 (Current 12s)	Homoncik (A & B)
Block Order		ABCD	CDAB	BADC	DCBA	DCBA

### Expand Your World – Host an International Student

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#### **Girls Rugby Action**

The girls team dominated their Mission counterparts on Wednesday but showed their real toughness as a team when injuries impacted the squad and they rallied to show true Hawk spirit. Well, done team! Photos provided by Coach Radons taken at the Timberwolves game. We look forward to your next match.





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## Coming Up Next Week

### Monday, April 25

- ABCD
- Literacy and Numeracy Exams
- We R Hawks Week Celebration of the Arts
- 3:30 Sr Girls Soccer vs Brookswood
- 7pm PAC Meeting
- Tuesday, April 26
  - CDAB
  - Literacy and Numeracy Exams
  - We R Hawks Week Celebration of the Athletics
  - Boys Rugby vs Hansen

Wednesday, April 27

- BADC
- Literacy and Numeracy Exams
- We R Hawks Week Celebration of the Mouat Spirit – BBO lunch
- 3.30 Girls Soccer vs GW Graham
- Grade 8's Parent Information Night
- Thursday, April 28
  - DCBA
  - Literacy and Numeracy Exams
  - We R Hawks Week Celebration of the Academics

Friday, April 29

- DCBA
- Literacy and Numeracy Exams
- We R Hawks Week Celebration of the French Immersion with Carnival

