

Friday, June 25th, 2021

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Students,

We did it! It's been an extraordinary year and we have so much to be thankful for as our entire school community worked together to make this year, in spite of the many challenges, successful. Thank-you students, parents and staff for your commitment to this unprecedented year. It goes without saying, we are all looking forward to the summer break and the easing of PHO restrictions.

- **Grade 8 Transition:** It was nice to see our “new grade nine” students from Royal Oak Middle School take a tour around the school on Friday. It was also nice to have so many amazing grade 9 and 10 student leaders acting as tour guides. ROMS students were given their draft timetable for the following year this week. If students notice something of concern on their timetable, please make a copy of the timetable (or take a photo of it) and then write the requested changes on the reverse side and deliver it to the Claremont front office.
- **Student Timetable 2021/22:** The first draft of student timetables for next year have been distributed to students. It is important for students to preview their timetable to ensure the right courses have been scheduled. If changes need to be made, the student should take a picture of the original schedule with their cell phone, and then write the requested changes on the reverse side of their timetable and leave it at the front office.
- **Monday June 28th:** This will be our final Course Completion Day. We will have some students in attendance using this day to finish overdue assignments or complete assessments. Teachers will also use this time to finalize report cards.
- **Report Card Pick-Up:** Like last June, report cards will be available for pick-up at the front of the school near the bandroom. Report cards will be sorted by grade level and last name, and then distributed over two days next week by staff:
  - 1) Tuesday, June 29th (8:30am-10:00am)
  - 2) Wednesday, June 30th (10:30am-2:00pm)
- **Textbook Return:** Please look around your home for any Claremont textbook, novels, etc... All books can be returned to the Learning Commons or our front office.
- **Yearbooks** - Most yearbooks have been distributed. If you did not pick yours up they will be available when students pick up their report cards. There are still copies for sale at \$45.00 per book, please contact Wendi Marshall in accounts if you wish to purchase a copy: [wmarshall@saanichschools.ca](mailto:wmarshall@saanichschools.ca)

- **Awards:** Unfortunately we were unable to hold any Awards ceremony that would include a large group of audience members. Instead, individual ceremonies have been scheduled. A list of our school service/citizenship award winners can be found here: [List of Service and Citizenship Awards Winners](#)
  
- **Office Hours for the Next Two Weeks ( Accounts, Front Office & Admin ):**
  - **June 28 - June 30th** 8:30am - 3:30pm
  - **July 1st** Closed for Canada Day,
  - **July 2nd** 8:30am - 3:00pm
  - **July 5th - July 9th** 8:30am - 3:00pm
  
- **June / July Calendar - Important Dates:**
  - \* June 28th: School Award Ceremony @ 2pm in Theatre, 15 students recognized
  - \* June 28th: Grad Social / Activity Day ( 9:00am-1:00pm )
  - \* June 29th: Grad Walk Through ( 10:45am-2:00pm )  
Grad Ceremony Video ( link goes live at 6:00 pm on our website )
  - \* June 29-30: Report Cards available for pick-up

From our Claremont family to your family. Have a wonderful summer break.

Sincerely,

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