

# **BRITANNIA SECONDARY SCHOOL**

# **January Newsletter 2023**



# PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

Dear Parents, Guardians and Caregivers,

We hope you are well.

Please take a moment to read our newsletter which highlights some of the activities and events that have taken place at our school as well as upcoming info on semester turnaround.

In the very near future believe or not, we will begin the process in programing for next year. However, the main focus now is for our students to finish off semester one with a flourish. We therefore appreciate your support in creating space and time for your child to complete assignments and to encourage them to check with their teacher on any work they have missed or need to improve upon. Learning takes effort, perseverance and time, and adults play a huge role in supporting students in being the best they can be.

After a two year hiatus, the excitement is building for next week's Annual Bruin Invitational Basketball tournament. I for one am very excited to be a part of a time honoured tradition and we hope that many families will be able to join us.

Kind regards and Huy Chexw,

Rose Mackenzie

# ATHLETICS

## Senior Girls Volleyball

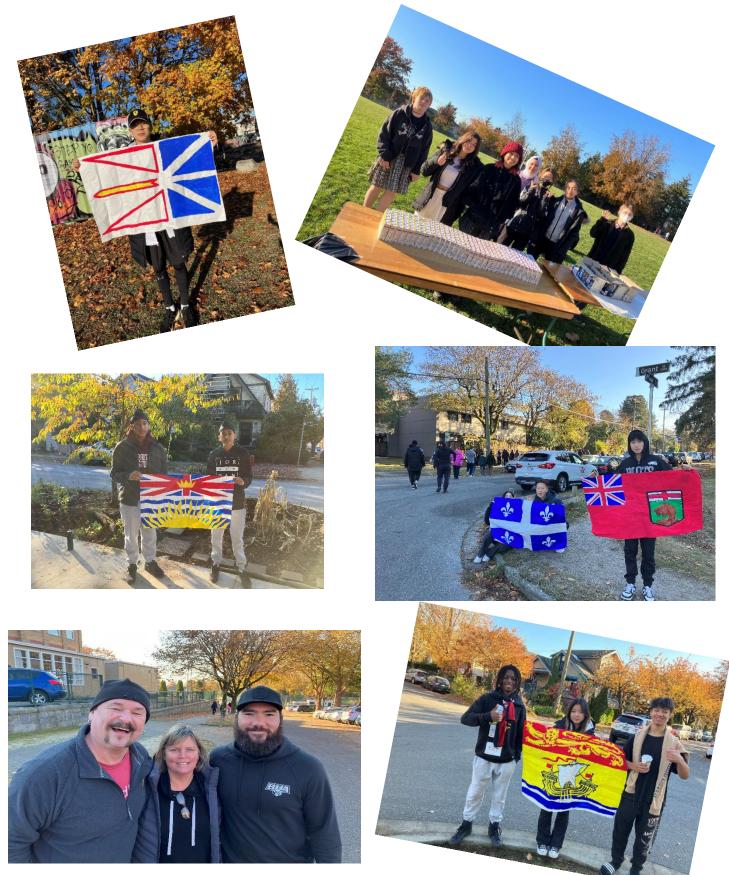
Congratulations to the Senior Girls Volleyball team. They finished the season with a 3rd place BRONZE medal in the City tier 2 championship. Go Bruins!





# TERRY FOX RUN

On the afternoon of Friday November 18, 2022, Britannia Secondary participated in the Terry Fox Run. A beautiful afternoon for a worthy cause. Thank you to all students and staff.



#### COMMUNITY EVENTS

#### Britannia Winter Craft Market

On November 18 & 19, 2022, Britannia hosted the annual Winter Craft Market. Our community had tables of food, jewelry, and art. Many of our students were volunteered in making the event a success. Thank you everyone!





## STREETFRONT

On Friday, November 25, 2022, StreetFront headed to Seattle to run the ½ marathon. It was incredible. There was a total of 17 new runners, which made it even more special. Congratulations everyone!







# WINTER MUSIC CONCERT



VETERAN'S DAY CEREMONY







#### SACY AT BRITANNIA



**BUILDING BRIDGES** A WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS & CAREGIVERS

This 2 hour workshop offers an opportunity to interact and connect with other caregivers to learn, practice and apply skills such as:

- Adolescent development
- Tools to support teens
- Communication and connection
- Responding to risk-taking behaviours

Date: Wednesday, January 18, 2023

Time: 6:00-8:00

Location: Library **Templeton Secondary School** 727 Templeton Drive

REGISTER HERE or SCAN QR Code



#### SEMESTER TURNAROUND

There will a two-day turnaround between Semester 1 and 2 – February 1st and 2nd. As these are instructional days, students are welcome to attend but there will not be formal classes running as the Semester 1 end date is January 31st. The turnaround time is an opportunity for students to complete work and for teachers to support those students who need assistance with work in order to receive a mark of completion. Teachers may request that specific students attend in order to make up required work and the expectation is that those students will be present in their class. The school will be open the usual school hours but there will not be breakfast or lunch service provided on the two days.

Thank you in advance for your patience and understanding.

#### SCHOOL/OFFICE INFORMATION

- January 3School Re-opens after Winter BreakJanuary 12-1448th Annual Britannia Bruins Invitational TournamentJanuary 31Last Day of Semester 1February 1/2Semester Turn-Around DaysFebruary 3Semester 2 Begins
- February 10 Semester 1 Final Marks Published 3pm



# HOME OF THE BRITANNIA BRUINS

Britannia Bruins Girls Basketball Program

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