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KING GEORGE SECONDARY SCHOOL



# King George Dragons Monthly Newsletter



With deep gratitude and respect, we are honoured to be learning and unlearning on the ancestral and unceded lands of the xwməðkwəýəm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish Nation) & səlilwətał (Tsleil-Waututh Nation).

#### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:



Dear Students and Families.

As we wrap up another incredible school year, I want to take a moment to thank each of you for your hard work, resilience, and enthusiasm throughout the past months. It has been a year filled with learning, growth, and unforgettable memories.

Our recent graduation ceremonies were a true celebration of achievement and community. Congratulations to all our graduates—you've made us proud, and we can't wait to see what you accomplish next!

The yearbook captures the spirit of the year with photos, stories, and highlights from every corner of our school. We also had a blast at the end-of-year carnival! Thank you to all the volunteers, staff, and community partners who helped make it such a fun and festive event for everyone.

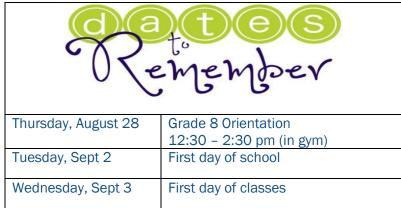
As we head into summer, I encourage you all to take time to relax, recharge, and enjoy the sunshine. Whether you're traveling, reading a good book, or simply spending time with loved ones, I hope your summer is filled with joy and rest.

We look forward to welcoming you back in the fall, refreshed and ready for another exciting year. Warmest wishes for a safe and happy summer!

Sincerely,

Tyler Evans, Principal





### **Semester 2 Final Learning Updates**

Student Learning Updates were published on the MyEd BC family portal yesterday. Please login to your child's account to view their Learning Update for final marks for Semester 2.

Please note the following information regarding access to MyEd BC over the summer:

- Semester 2 final Learning Updates will be available online in your child's account until July 24, 2025 please ensure to login to the account to view and download the Final Semester 2 Learning Update prior to that date.
- All MyEd BC Student Family accounts will be suspended by 11:59pm August 8, 2025. Students attending the Summer Learning program should view and download their Learning Updates upon course completion.
- There will be no access to accounts or the published learning updates after August 8, 2025. Students and/or parents should download, save and/or print a copy of the Learning Update for their records.
- Returning students' accounts will be reactivated on the first day of school. Accounts will be accessible by their last successful login ID and password.
- Any issues accessing your child's MyEd BC account prior to August 8 can be resolved by contacting the King George office by email at <a href="kinggeorge@vsb.bc.ca">kinggeorge@vsb.bc.ca</a>.

#### **Graduating Students and Students Leaving VSB**

Effective July 1, Microsoft 365 login accounts for graduating students and those leaving the Vancouver School Board (VSB) will no longer be operational. Students should ensure they transfer any OneDrive files to a personal account before this date. SpacesEDU allows users to retain login access by changing their email to a personal one through the account settings.

Canva accounts can also be converted into personal accounts by applying for conversion in the account settings. Once converted, data and account access will be released. For added protection, all Microsoft data will be permanently deleted on August 1, 2025.



Thank you to Ms. Pearce for another incredible KG Rocks concert! Your passion, dedication, and tireless work behind the scenes made it all possible. The energy on stage and the joy in the audience were a true reflection of your commitment to our band and music program. Thank you for giving the students a stage to shine, grow, and rock out!



#### SCHOOL CARNIVAL

Despite the unexpected rain, our school carnival turned out to be a fantastic success! What could have been a washout turned into a warm, lively celebration thanks to the resilience and enthusiasm of our students and staff,

With exciting games and great food, keeping everyone entertained. The turnout was amazing, and the positive spirit of our school community truly shined through. Rain or shine, we made it a day to remember!

Thank you to Mr. Yee, Ms. Lam and our Student Council for putting on this great event.

## Hello Elementary and Secondary! Our season finale of After the Bell is now live!

In this episode, we turn the conversation over to the people who make our District so special — the students and staff! Learn about some of their best and proudest moments by listening to the episode <a href="here">here</a>, or find it on Spotify, Apple Podcasts, or wherever you listen to podcasts by searching VSB: After the Bell.

#### Student Leadership in Action: Robotics Competition Brings Schools Together

Congratulations to Emily Ghazizadeh Ehsaei and Leah Galpin, recipients of a VSB Student Leadership Grant, for organizing an exciting home-grown robotics competition between King George and Killarney Secondary Schools!

The event brought together 17 enthusiastic students, including Krishi Krishnan and Inara Chee, along with Emily and Leah representing King George. Two teams from Killarney joined the challenge, and the energy was amplified by the support of five dedicated parents who came to cheer the students on.

It was an afternoon filled with innovation, collaboration, and fun. Students had the opportunity to showcase their robotics skills, connect with peers from another school, and engage in meaningful conversations about STEM ideas and future possibilities.

Well done to all participants and organizers for making this event a memorable success! Thanks to Mr. Au for supporting our students in this endeavour!

