

**FKSS WEEK AT A GLANCE – DEC 11-15, 2023**



| <b>Monday, Dec 11</b><br>Day 1, ABCD | <b>Tues, Dec 12</b><br>Day 2, BADC | <b>Wed, Dec 13</b><br>Day 1, QCDAB                                 | <b>Thursday, Dec 14</b><br>Day 2, DCBA | <b>Friday, Dec 15</b><br>Day 1, ABCD |
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| -Grad Photos 11-20 <sup>th</sup> .   | -Regular classes.                  | -School Nurse in.<br>-Q block today.<br>-Ugly holiday sweater day. | -Regular classes.                      | -Regular classes.                    |

**THIS COMING WEEK:**

The Interact Club will be hosting a bake sale at the Munchies stand from Wednesday, Dec 13<sup>th</sup> to Friday, Dec 15<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds will be used to purchase and then donate toys to the children and women's shelter. There will also be a bin outside the Counselling office to donate any new or lightly used toys.

Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> is Ugly Holiday Sweater Day. Let's see which staff and students have the most creative sweaters.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

Purchase tickets for the Musical Theatre show- Once Upon a Mattress

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/frances-kelsey-theatre-presents-once-upon-a-mattress-tickets-771574559277?aff=ebdshpsearchautocomplete>



## **UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS BEYOND THIS WEEK:**

**December 11-21** – Grad Photos. Need to book an appointment online.

<https://schedule.prestigeportraits.ca/schedule/home.html?BC&Victoria>

**December 22** – Last day of classes before Winter Break

## **CAREERS:**

Career website: <https://www.careersandtransitions.ca/>

Gustavson School of Business at the University of Victoria has a free online workshop Adulting 101: personal finance for students planning for college and university. It is a great workshop for all students in grades 10-12 to plan for post-secondary.

The online session has two options: **December 12th at 6:00 pm (PST), or December**

**13th at 9:00 am (PST).** Dr. Michael King. Michael will be covering some key components like budgeting for your first year of education, how to establish your credit scores, and more. Please sign up here: <https://uvic.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYtcOGrpzwiHtE6pOmVspRe9xR2NXGArOfD#/registration>

### **POST-SECONDARY**

Final chance to apply to post-secondary programs for September 2024 intake; many PSIs have Jan-Feb deadlines! If you need help with your application process, please stop in at the FKSS Career Centre.

### **DUAL CREDIT**

#### **VIU**

Attention Grade 11 and 12 students, seats are available for VIU ECE 130 - Principles and Practices of Wellness at the VIU Cowichan Campus, starting February 2024, Wednesdays from 4-7pm.

If you are planning on attending VIU after graduation this is a good opportunity to have a course paid for and credits towards your degree. Please stop in the FKSS Career Centre to find out more.

### **WEX**

Reminder to students that have signed up to WEX to get your Unit 3 signed by your employer and start logging your hours, once you have logged 90 hrs please bring your papers to Careers to pick up the final units to complete the package and receive a prize.

### **UPCOMING EVENT**

Canada Revenue Agency Students and Financial Literacy Presentation  
Thursday, January 11 - B block - in Room 215.

#### **Sign up in the Career Centre.**

This information session is a great stepping stone for students as it will help them understand their own responsibilities as taxpayers and will demystify the process of doing their own taxes. The following information will be covered in the presentation:

- Doing your taxes pays off
- Starting the first job
- Underground economy
- Ways to do your taxes and free tax help
- Benefits and Credits
- Canada Revenue Agency services and tools
- Scam Awareness

### **GRADS**

GRAD GEAR ORDERING IS NOW OPEN!!

Options include Hoodies, (two styles- see examples on the Grad Team), crewnecks, sweatpants (Screened logo) and Hoodies and Beanies (Embroidery for logo). Colours

choices are White, Sport Grey, Navy, Black and Forest Green for hoodies and crewnecks. Order on the FKSS website under the PayOnline tab on the top bar. (same as where you pay your school fees). Deadline for ordering is January 9, 2024.

## **SPORTS**

Congratulations to the Jr boys' basketball team on their championship victory at the Glen Lyon Icebreaker Tournament, last weekend. As a total team effort, they won their first 4 games of the season on route to the championship game victory.