

# FKSS WEEK AT A GLANCE – February 16-20, 2026



<b>Mon, Feb 16</b> <b>FAMILY DAY</b>	<b>Tues, Feb 17</b> <b>BADC Day 1</b>	<b>Wed, Feb 18</b> <b>CQDAB Day 2</b>	<b>Thurs, Feb 19</b> <b>DCBA Day 1</b>	<b>Fri, Feb 20</b> <b>AFBCD Day 2</b>
-Schools are closed for Family Day.	-Grad council Library. -Pac Mtg 7pm library.	-Q block today. -Public health nurse <i>not</i> in today. - Ross Cup at Kerry Park. Schedule below.	-Ross Cup.	-Ross Cup.

## **PARENTS:**

**Monday, February 16th, is Family Day.** Schools will be closed.

**Please Join Us**

**FKSS PAC Meeting.**

**Tuesday February 17th 7:00pm**

**FKSS Library.**

**All Parents/Guardians are Welcome!**

Come and have a say in how we support the school.

Check out our Facebook Page for Updates

**Frances Kelsey Secondary PAC**

Minutes can be viewed on the FKSS Website Under the Parent Section

## **GRADS:**

**GRAD PHOTOS:** Here are the dates and times for Prestige’s upcoming community Pop Up Studio days if you missed your grad photos. Prestige photo sessions are for graduates only.

### **Nanaimo area Pop Up Studio**

4355 Jingle Pot Rd, Nanaimo, BC

Prestige Grad Sessions

March 9<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am to 3:00pm

Booking Link

[https://booknow.appointment-plus.com/1dqpqss6/?e\\_id=13271](https://booknow.appointment-plus.com/1dqpqss6/?e_id=13271)

### **Victoria area Pop Up Studio**

G. R. Pearkes Recreation Centre

3100 Tillicum Road, Victoria, BC

Prestige Grad Sessions

March 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am to 4:00pm

Booking Link

[https://booknow.appointment-plus.com/1dqpqss6/?e\\_id=13181](https://booknow.appointment-plus.com/1dqpqss6/?e_id=13181)

### **STUDENTS:**

On the 17<sup>th</sup> of February, Tuesday, at 11:13 am, we are inviting all classes to participate with as we are going to march to support the Missing Women's Memorial. We are going to walk around the school loop and raise awareness for missing girls, women, and elders. Please wear red if you can to show support.

**Auditions for Oediyus Rex** will be on Tuesday at lunch and after school 3:30-5:30pm, Wednesday at lunch.

### **Ross Cup Spirit Week February 18-20**

*Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup>:* Colour wars

- Grade 8s: red
- Grade 9s: purple
- Grade 10s: green
- Grade 11s: pink
- Grade 12s: white/ grad t-shirts
- Staff: black/ staff tees

*Thursday the 19<sup>th</sup>:* Jersey Day & “make some noise” - wear a jersey and bring your noise makers to the game (if your class is going) to cheer Kelsey on!

*Friday the 20<sup>th</sup>:* Kelsey colours - dress and accessorize in gold and blue to support our team!

**Looking for a club to join at school?** FKSS Clubs schedule is posted on our website

<https://fkss.sd79.bc.ca/clubs-activities/>

**Please come by to write a message for the yearbook** Wednesday/Thursday at lunch in the Dome. Messages of kindness, advice for future students, fond memories, doodles and jokes- all welcome.

## Seek & Sort Tuesdays—now in Room 125!

Starting Feb.10, swing by Tuesday mornings in B block for help getting organized with Ms. Windecker & Ms. Barker. Lost papers welcome. Jokes encouraged.

### HEY!

Is organization not your thing? Is your binder a black hole that disappears assignments? Do you even have a binder? *If this is you, we can help!*

Join us for the weekly Kelsey  
**Seek & Sort**



**When?** 9:15 am every Tuesday (B block)

**Where?** Room 125

**What?** Support getting organized

**Why?** Because getting organized is a skill, NOT a superpower!

**Fundraising Committee will be hosting bake sales** lunchtime every Friday from February 6 to March 6 to fight racial discrimination. Enter to win a \$30, \$20, or \$10 Kelsey Kafe/ Munchies gift card when you purchase a \$2 treat. A Freestyle Dance Competition will be held on the last bake sale day (March 6) where the top three performances can win a Kelsey hoodie, \$20 cash, or \$10 cash. Enter by purchasing a \$2 treat. Duos and solos are welcome and will be asked to dance to a random song. Dances will be rated by a panel of three judges.

**Two food safe courses** this year. April 27<sup>th</sup> and May 8<sup>th</sup>. 9am -3pm in the library. The cost is \$55 per person. Non-refundable if you don't show up.

Yearbook Photo Schedule below. Don't miss out on your timeslot.

**SPORTS TEAM PHOTOS – OUTSIDE OF ROOM 229**

PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS ONLY ONE OPPORTUNITY FOR A TEAM PHOTO TO BE TAKEN. ONCE THE PHOTO IS TAKEN, THERE ARE NO REDOS. DO NOT MISS YOUR TIME SLOT.

Date	Monday, March 2	Tuesday, March 3	Wednesday, March 4	Thursday, March 5	Friday, March 6
Time/Block	D (2:08-3:15)	D (12:31-1:51)	D (11:03-12:10)	D (9:00-10:20)	D (2:08-3:15)
Team/ Group *Yellow goes first, blue goes second	Grade 8 Girls Volleyball Grade 9 Girls Volleyball	Grade 10 Girls Volleyball Senior Girls Volleyball	Cross Country Girls Field Hockey	Junior Boys Soccer Rugby	Spring Soccer Track & Field

**SIBLING/ FAMILY PHOTOS, FRIEND PHOTOS – IN THE DOME**

A backdrop will be set up in the dome for friend and family photos (this includes sibling photos) during lunch throughout this week. Once the week is over, there will be no other opportunities for these photos to be taken.

Date	Monday, February 23	Tuesday, February 24	Thursday, February 26	Friday, February 27
Time/Block	Lunch (12:10-12:55)	Lunch (11:43-12:28)	Lunch (11:43-12:28)	Lunch (12:10-12:55)
Group	Sibling/ Family Friends	Sibling/ Family Friends	Sibling/ Family Friends	Sibling/ Family Friends

**CAR & DRIVER PHOTOS – GRAD LOT**

SEE QR CODE ON GRAD LOT DOOR TO SIGN UP. PLEASE NOTE THAT ONCE YOU HAVE SELECTED A TIME SLOT, THAT WILL BE YOUR ONLY OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE YOUR PHOTO TAKEN.

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**SPORTS:**

Ross Cup Feb. 18-20.

Wednesday February 18: at KP

9:30 Sr arrive KP, 10:30-12:00 Sr vs SLS

1:00 Sr arrive KP, 2:00-3:30 Sr vs Kitsilano

2:30 Jr arrive KP, 3:30-5:00 Jr vs BCS

Thursday February 19: at KP

9:30 Sr arrive KP, 10:30-12:00 Sr vs Earl Marriott

2:00 arrive for Skills Competition (Jr & Sr), 3:00-4:30 Jr & Sr Skills Competition

Friday February 20: at KP

8:00 Sr arrive KP (if 1st in A or 2nd in B), 9:00-10:30 Sr (1st in A vs 2nd in B)

9:30 arrive KP (if 1st in B or 2nd in A), 10:30-12:00 Sr (1st in B vs 2nd in A)

12:00 Sr arrive KP if in Final, 1:00-2:30 Sr Final Game

Friday February 20 at Shawnigan Arena:

6:00 Girls arrive SLS, 7:00am-3:00pm Girls Jamboree at SLS

3:30 Girls banquet at BCS.

**CAREERS:****DUAL CREDIT – Grade 11 & 12 Students**

Earn high school elective credits *and* post-secondary credits at the same time by taking approved college courses or trade certificate programs—tuition-free through Cowichan SD79. *Note: Students are responsible for textbooks, tools, and any required program fees.*

Students interested in taking Dual Credit courses or programs for the 2026–2027 school year should apply now. **Book your appointment in the Career Centre today—spaces fill quickly!**

**uStart lets high-achieving SD79 students take UVic courses during Grade 12.**

You earn both high-school elective credit and UVic university credit, with tuition covered by SD79. If you're interested, connect with [FKSS career centre](#) early in Grade 11, we can help you with the application process.

**The Trades Awareness, Skills & Knowledge (TASK program) is now open for 2026–2027 applications!**

If you're interested in a career in trades, TASK will help you make an informed decision about which trade is the best fit for you. Explore four trades areas: carpentry, electrical, metal trades and plumbing. Drop by the Career Center to apply—**limited seats available**. Selections happen in **May 2026**, so don't wait!

**WEX Students**

If you have completed the WEX seminar with Ms. Webb, please return your Unit 3 form signed by your employer to the Career Center as soon as possible.

**Want to Earn Credits for Working or Volunteering?**

If you have a job or volunteer position outside of school hours, you may be eligible to earn Work Experience (WEX) credits. Sign up today in the Career Center!