

March 1, 2023

Dear Students, Parents, and Guardians;

We are very excited to share news about upcoming Graduation activities and events! Our graduating students continue to demonstrate focus and determination in working to achieve their goals this year, and we are looking forward to celebrating their accomplishments!

We are happy to announce that this year's Graduation Commencement ceremony will take place on Sunday, June 11 at the UVic Centre Farquhar Auditorium. There will be a morning and an afternoon ceremony, and 4-5 guest tickets will be available for each student at a cost of \$5 each.

The Grad fees for Commencement will be \$40, payable on School Cash Online starting on Wednesday, March 1st, and ending on March 17th, 2023. We are fortunate to be able to lower our fees from \$50 this year as the government has provided some one-time funding to schools to support families.

Prom (dinner and dance) will take place during the evening of Saturday, June 24th at the Crystal Garden, located downtown. Tickets will go on sale for this in April with more detailed information to come for both students and families.

Our PAC is planning a Dry Grad event as well. If you are interested in supporting the Dry Grad event or have questions, please contact our Vice Principal, Stephen McHugh (smchugh@sd62.bc.ca).

We look forward to celebrating our students through each of these activities. I you have any questions, concerns, or would like to support our grads, please reach out.

Thank you for your continued support of our Grads,

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