



KSS ROBOTICS CLUB

The KSS Robotics Club attended the "First Robotics Competition" in Victoria. This was an amazing competition with people from all over the world attending. KSS had 16 students attend along with teacher Mr. Harris.









GRAD FEES



KSS Commencement Ceremonies will be on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>June 8 at KSS Gym</u>. There are two ceremonies: one for last names beginning with A-L at 10:30 a.m. and one for last names beginning with M-Z at 2:30 p.m. The Commencement Ceremony is the cap and gown ceremony where students will receive their diploma.

KSS Graduation Commencement Fee of \$75.00 was due on April 1st. Payment may still be made in School Cash Online. If you do not see the fee in School Cash Online, please check your History to see if it has already been paid. If you are experiencing financial difficulties, please contact your Alpha VP to discuss.

Commencement Tickets will be distributed with grad gowns in late May. Each student will receive 6 tickets. Students requiring extra tickets will be able to request them when picking up their cap and gowns in late May.

The Commencement Fee must be paid in order for students to receive their Prom tickets.

Grad Walk & Prom will be on Friday, May 17th. The Grad Walk (promenade) will take place downtown (meeting at the Dolphins) followed by the Prom dinner and dance at the Delta Grand Okanagan Resort. Prom dinner & dance is for Grade 12 students only. More information will come.

Prom tickets will be sold in the MPR during lunch in May. Students should listen to the daily announcements for more information.

Upcoming Dates..

Apr 9	KSS PAC Meeting via Zoom
Apr 15-19	Ministry Assessment Week
May 2	Student Written Learning Updates
	published in MyEd Student Portal
May 6-10	Teacher Appreciation Week
May 9	Cultural Performance
May 14	KSS PAC Meeting & AGM in LLC
May 16	Moose Hide Campaign
May 17	Prom
May 20	Victoria Day—NO SCHOOL

KSS SPIRIT WEAR!



KSS merch is up for sale again.



Show your school spirit and order soon!

<u>DEADLINE IS APRIL 14</u>

ORDER HERE

KSS SPRING SPORTS

It's not too late to sign up for Tennis or Track & Field!

If you are interested in joining the Tennis Team, and have some previous experience, please see Mrs. Corrado in the Career Centre for more information.

If you are interested in Track & Field, please see Mr. Gallo to sign up. No experience is necessary!

For all KSS Athletics information and gym schedule, please see link HERE.

Congratulations to Jackson Cann and Kayley Gawley, grade 11 students, who had an epic weekend representing Okanagan Gymnastics Centre at Trampoline Gymnastics provincials at the PNE forum.

Kayley:

1st DMT L5 15+

3rd Tramp L5 15+

Jackson:

1st tumbling L7

2nd tramp L7

3rd DMT Senior

2nd all around for National level.



They are off to Elite Canada in Calgary this week and then Nationals in Quebec in June. Good luck!





KSS PAC

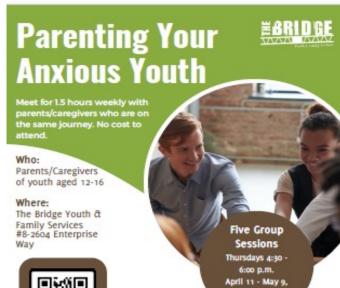
The next PAC Meeting is

Tuesday, April 9 at 6:30 p.m. via Zoom

If you have already attended a KSS PAC meeting in the 2023 -2024 school year, you will receive a zoom link for this meeting closer to the date.

If you would like to attend the PAC Meeting Zoom, please email: KSS.PacPresident@sd23.bc.ca, along with the name of your student and grade, saying you wish to be added to our PAC meeting notification list. You will then be emailed the zoom link

Tuesday, May 14th is the Annual General Meeting and the election of the 2024-2025 PAC. This meeting will be held in person at KSS LLC (Library) at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome to attend - we hope to see you there!



- We will talk about:
- · How to better understand your youth's experience.
- · Skills to help you and your youth cope.

· What anxiety is and how it works.

- · Skills to communicate with your anxious youth.
- Skills to manage situations in which your youth's anxiety impacts daily life.

PLEASE JOIN US ~ LIVE VIRTUAL EVENT



WHITE HATTER

Tuesday ~ April 23rd, 2024 ~ 6:30 PM

YOUTH ONLINE AGGRESSION, CYBERBULLYING, THREATS, AND VIOLENCE

Types of aggressors ~ The forms of aggression can take - stalking, aggressing messages, hacks, doxing ~ How to protect from common aggression forms ~ Identifying situations that need responses ~ Assessing the risk ~ Working with law enforcement and your child's school ~ What information you should/need to collect and provide ~ Recovery Process ~ Tools available to you as a caregiver ~ Monitoring for any future encounters ~ Legal actions

LINK: https://app.sli.do/event/bnPLXKEBxX9rjMpUsX9SW2/live/questions PASSWORD: 9822

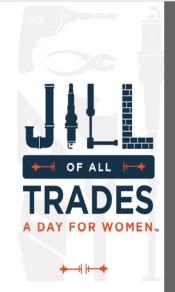
Due to platform limitations, access will be granted to the first 950 participants who log in on the day and time of the event. Therefore, we encourage you to mark your calendars and join us to secure your spot!

Recordings will be available for 48 hours after the event using the event link

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Wednesday May 15, 2024

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Okanagan College Kelowna Campus 1000 KLO Rd. Kelowna BC V1Y 4X8

Registration/Continental Breakfast

8:30 am to 9:00 a.m.

This amazing event will include an array of hands-on workshops led by female mentors designed to help young women develop a better understanding of the potential of skilled trades careers.

Additional highlights will include an incredible lunch, information booths, facility tours, guest speakers and mentorship.

We hope you can join us.

For more information and an application form, see the KSS Career Centre DEADLINE TO REGISTER

IS FRIDAY, APRIL 12TH

*We have an inclusive view of the word "female" and we welcome trans, genderqueer, and non-binary participants."





TICKETS: \$35 + processing fee

Bring a friend or a few and enjoy a delicious burger and a beer while visiting and shopping the SILENT AUCTION!

Mid-Town Station Address: #200 — 1615 Dickson Ave