



Whoo's News



November 18, 2022

On-line Report Cards at KSS

Report Cards are due to be released digitally to the MyED student portal on November 24 after 3:00 p.m.

All students should log in and make sure they have access before that time. Instructions are below and a more detailed powerpoint is also available [here](#) on the KSS website.

Student MyEd Portal link: [CLICK HERE](#)

Login ID: stu23firstname.lastname

Password: copy and paste from e-mail sent to your @learnaccount (Passwords are case sensitive)

- ♦ Creating a password: Your password can't contain any parts of your name or birthday, and must include a capital letter, lowercase letter, number and symbol.
- ♦ After too many unsuccessful attempts, your account will be disabled and you will need to e-mail the office to have it reset during school hours: KelownaSecondary.School@sd23.bc.ca

Once your student is logged in to the student portal they will see their student schedule under Published Reports (see below)

This is also where they will see their report card when it is published on November 24th.



Early Bird pricing ends Dec. 1!

Buy yours ASAP for **\$30.00**

(\$35 personalized)

[Purchase NOW](#)

After Dec. 1st cost is \$35 and \$40

Upcoming dates . .

November 24

Report Cards released digitally @ 3:00 p.m.

November 29

COBSS Applications open
7:00 p.m. KSS Jazz Band in the MPR

December 1

Jazz @ the Laurel 7:00 p.m.





KSS Athletics

Visit the KSS [Athletics Website](#) for more information



Congratulations to four of our varsity football players who were selected as AAA East Conference All-Stars!

These players are T.O.U.G.H. and we are so proud of their accomplishment!



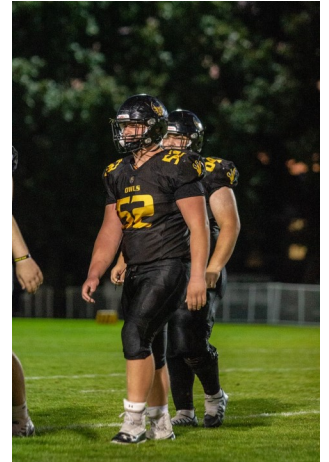
#14 Easton Fenske - Defensive Back



#2 Max Gainey - Linebacker



#54 Rocco Williams



#52 Zach Barnard



**4A Girls OVSA
Championships 2022
Friday November 18**

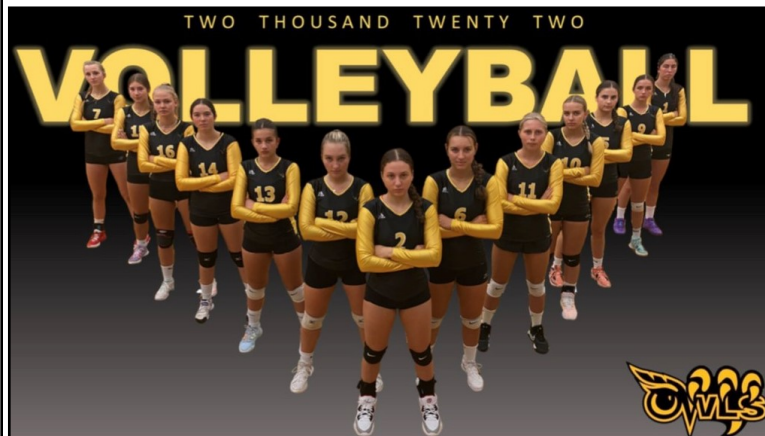
Semi-Finals (at KSS)
615pm - MBSS vs Winner of
Pen Hi / SASS - (Game 3)
800pm - KSS vs Winner of
OKM / RSS - (Game 4)

Saturday November 19

Bronze Medal (at KSS)
100pm - Loser Game 3 vs
Loser Game 4

Gold Medal (at KSS)
300pm - Winner Game 3 vs
Winner Game 4

All matches are best of 5;
5th set to 15 (no cap)
Okanagan receives 2
berths + host (OKM)



**3A Boys
Volleyball OVSA
Championships
@MBSS
Nov. 18th and 19th
Times TBA**



Anyone interested in
Curling please contact
[Pam Price](#) right away!



Anyone interested in
Wrestling for the
winter season please
contact [Al Mcavena](#)
or 250-212-4969

2022 Post Secondary Institution Representative Visits to KSS

Date	PSI Name	Time	Location
November 21	Thompson Rivers University	11:30 am- 12:30 pm	MPR
November 29	Western University	11:30 am- 12:30 pm	MPR
November 29	Acadia University	11:30 am- 12:30 pm	MPR
November 29	Vancouver Island University	11:30 am- 12:30 pm	MPR
November 29	University of Guelph	11:30 am- 12:30 pm	MPR



StudentTranscripts Service

Information For Students

StudentTranscripts Service (STS) is an online application for students to view their school marks, transcripts, scholarships and send transcripts electronically to post secondary institutions and employers.



Get Started

To register for STS students will need:

- Personal Education Number (PEN)
- Full legal name
- Date of birth
- Email address

Step 1 Go to the Ministry of Education's **Transcripts and Certificate website** at <http://www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca>.

Step 2 You **must sign up** for a BCeID before you can use the StudentTranscripts Service.
 For BCeID signup, you need to:

Sign Up for a BCeID

- Complete the fields to register for a basic BCeID
- Select your password reset questions and answers
(remember these as you will need them if you forget your password)
- Follow the system prompts and sign up for StudentTranscripts Service.

Step 3 Log-in to StudentTranscripts Service using your BCeID.
 When registering for the Student Transcript Service using your BCeID, you will be prompted to:

- Enter your student information used by your school (see **Get Started** information above)
- Read the personal data collection info and complete the process by clicking "submit"
- An email will be sent to the email address provided and must be activated within 24 hours of receipt or you will need to complete the registration process again
- Once activated, you will be able to log onto STS using your BCeID and password.

Log In with BCeID

Step 4 From your STS Dashboard, you can choose your post-secondary institutions (PSIs) selections, preview, send and order transcripts, view exam and assessment results and view scholarship information. Please note that all transcripts previewed in the STS are considered unofficial, but official transcripts will be sent out when ordered.

You will need to consent to the STS privacy notice which enables the ministry to send your transcripts to your selected PSIs by paper or electronically depending on how the PSI is able to receive transcripts. Printed copies of transcripts may take up to 3 weeks for processing and delivery to your selected PSIs.

Troubleshooting:
 For BCeID questions: <https://www.bceid.ca>
 For StudentTranscripts questions: servicebc@gov.bc.ca.

Grad 2023 Clothing is Ready to Order!

Please follow this link to order clothing for the 2023 grad year: <https://kssgrad231.itemorder.com/shop/sale/>. The sale is on until December 31, and items will arrive at the end of January. When orders arrive, students will be notified via the Whoo's News and in-school announcements.



Grad 2023 Winter Formal Information

We are excited to see as many grads as possible on Wednesday, November 23 at KSS. A few things to remember:

- Grade 12 KSS students only
- Tickets must be purchased in advance
- Lunchtime November 21 and 22 in the MPR and library
- \$15, cash or debit, includes light refreshments
- No outside food or drinks permitted
- Students must present photo ID when checking in
- Doors open from 6:30-8pm; no later entry
- Do not bring vapes or e-cigarettes
- KSS administrators will be checking bags upon entry
- All students may leave coats and bags in the bag check
- Once students leave, they may not re-enter
- Students suspected of intoxication will not be admitted and parents/guardians will be contacted immediately

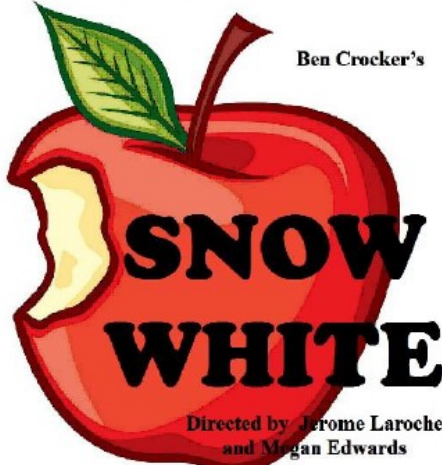


Above all, be prepared with comfortable footwear



THEATRE KELOWNA SOCIETY PRESENTS

Ben Crocker's



SNOW WHITE

Directed by Jerome Laroche and Megan Edwards

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

7 pm, November 24-26, 30/December 1-2
2 pm matinees, November 26 and 27

Mary Irwin Theatre, Rotary Centre for the Arts

Tickets: Adults - \$30, Kids 12 and under - \$20
<https://rotarycentreforthearts.com/events/event/135602/>



OKANAGAN SYMPHONY YOUTH ORCHESTRA

OSYO 22 23 DENNIS COLPITTS & ROSEMARY THOMSON CO-CONDUCTORS

fall CONCERT

OSYO SPONSOR
HARMONY ACURA

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS
Interior Savings
Habitat for Humanity

GOVERNMENT & COMMUNITY FUNDERS
We acknowledge the financial support of the Province of British Columbia.

FEATURING
JULIAN LAO BASSOON
DOMINIC CALDERER OBOE
SAM SHEA CELLO
MEREDITH ALLEN STUDENT COMPOSER

VAUGHAN WILLIAMS | KABALEVSKY | BIZET | SIBELIUS | VIVALDI

The OSYO is the flagship program leading all OSO Community Engagement Programs

OSO OKANAGAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

VERNON Saturday, Nov 26 3:00 pm
TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

PENTICTON Sunday, Nov 27 2:00 pm
CLELAND COMMUNITY THEATRE

KELOWNA Sunday, Nov 27 7:00 pm
FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

\$20 | \$15 | \$10

ALL TICKETS ONLINE: USE THE QR CODE AT LEFT OR GO TO OKANAGANSYMPHONY.COM/22-23-OSYO/FALL-CONCERT/



Join us for the Grade 12 Winter Formal:

Winter Lights

Wednesday, November 23, 2022

Kelowna Secondary School

1079 Raymer Ave

7:00 - 10:00 pm | Doors open 6:30 pm

15\$ per person | Sold in MPR and Library

No outside food and beverages will be permitted

KSS Grade 12's Only

Winter Formal Ticket Sales

Winter Formal tickets for KSS grade 12 students only will be on sale at KSS in the multi-purpose room at lunch from November 14-22. Tickets are \$15 and include light refreshments. We accept cash, cheque, or Visa/debit. Tickets are not available on the day of the dance.



'intheknow'

Connect and Learn

For families and caring adults who are parenting a child or youth with mental health and/or substance use challenges.

EVERY MONTH, WE HOST EVENTS FOR FAMILIES CALLED 'IN THE KNOW'. WE WATCH A VIDEO AND SHARE EXPERIENCES AND STRATEGIES THAT HELP IN THE HARD MOMENTS. WE HELP FOCUS ON STRENGTHENING OUR UNDERSTANDING AND CONNECTION WITH OUR KIDS.

It's Never Too Late: Healing Parent-Child Relational Stress Using Emotion Focused Family Therapy (EFFT)

When we experience relationship challenges with our children, it can be stressful for all involved, leaving parents confused, frustrated, even walking on eggshells. Dr. Adele Lafrance provides techniques to support parents to heal relational ruptures with kids and teens using an emotion-focused approach.

Come together with other families to watch this one hour video presentation followed by a 30 minute facilitated discussion by a FamilySmart Parent Peer Support Worker.

Event Date(s):

Thursday, November 3 at 5:00pm (PST)
Monday, November 6 at 6:30pm (PST)
Tuesday, November 15 at 5:00pm (PST)
Wednesday, November 23 at 12:00pm (PST)
Tuesday, November 29 at 6:30pm (PST)

Registration required:

www.familysmart.ca/events

Cost: Free of Charge



'intheknow'

Connect and Learn

MONTHLY ONLINE EVENTS FOR PARENTS & CAREGIVERS

Every month, we host events for parents & caregivers who are parenting a child or youth with a mental health and/or substance use challenge called "in the know."

SEPTEMBER

Parenting When Anxiety Shows Up As Anger

Speaker: Karen Peters, RCC

OCTOBER

Building Connection With Our Kids When It Feels Impossible

Speakers: Diane Evans & Tammy Music, Parent Peer Support Workers

NOVEMBER

It's Never Too Late: Healing Parent-Child Relational Stress Using Emotion-Focused Family Therapy
Speaker: Dr. Adele Lafrance

DECEMBER

ADHD - The Real Deal
Speaker: Dr. Don Duncan

Join us to watch a video and talk with other families about what helps. Online events are facilitated by FamilySmart Parent Peer Support Workers.

familysmart.ca/events





FREE PROGRAM



JUMPSTART
Employment Program ages 16-30

You get

- ✓ 1st Aid, Foodsafe, SuperHost, WHMIS
- ✓ resume and cover letter
- ✓ job search and interview skills
- ✓ confidence
- ✓ paid while you learn

Reserve your seat now!

2 start dates:
Dec 5, 2022
Jan 16, 2023

Text or call
250-718-6179
Email
mariana.souza@ymcasibc.ca

Virtual Information Sessions
Tuesdays 10:30am or 4:00pm

SCAN ME



Building healthy communities

presented by:



LANDMARK DISTRICT

Saturday, Nov. 26, 2022
Noon-4 pm
Parkinson Recreation Centre

FAMILY Winter FEST

FREE FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Outdoor/indoor activities
Swimming
Crafts
And more!



City of Kelowna



Okanagan





CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH
BRITISH COLUMBIA & YUKON

CPF Info Session
Nov 25th 4pm
Rotary Centre for Arts
Kelowna, BC

SAVE THE DATE

We are visiting Kelowna – connect with us!

Canadian Parents for French is a nationwide, research-informed, volunteer organization that furthers bilingualism by promoting opportunities to learn and use French for all those who call Canada home.

When: Friday, November 25th, 2022 at 4pm – 5:30pm

Where: Kelowna Rotary Centre for the Arts

Please join us to learn about the programs offered by Canadian Parents for French in support of French language students in BC and Yukon. Learn more about the funding available through **Socio-cultural Grants**, as well as our new **Teacher Welcome Project: L'accueil chaleureux** and the benefits of having a Chapter in your community.

Presentations will be followed by a Q&A session. Maybe you have questions or concerns about how to support your child learning French. Or perhaps you have great ideas for fun events CPF BC & Yukon could host in your school. Come and share your thoughts with us.

This is a free family-friendly event and there will be a craft for children. Refreshments will be served.

Register [here](https://bc-yk.cpf.ca/en/event/cpf-info-session/).

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**See your Career Center
to Volunteer!**

CUPE Children's Christmas Party

Trinity Church Parking Lot

December 3, 2022

9:00am Set-Up

10:00am - Event starts

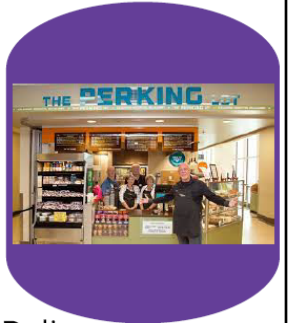
Gain hours towards your
30-hr. Grad requirement

deadline to apply is November 25

Project Placement

sign-up now

KGH VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Royal Bistro and Deli
The Gift Shop
The Perking Lot
Rutland Thrift Shop
Info Desks
Unit helper

**Visit the Career Centre to sign up or to ask for more
information**

Recruiting BIPOC youth (ages 15 to 19) in BC!

Attend events held specifically for youth of racialized backgrounds. Make
new friends and connect virtually to explore the theme of:

**"IDENTITY & BELONGING IN
MULTICULTURAL BRITISH COLUMBIA"**



THE AFRICAN ANCESTRY PROJECT: YOUTH DIALOGUE SERIES

3 EVENTS

NOV 2022 | FEB 2023 | MAY 2023

Register via QR code or email
africanancestryprojectbc@gmail.com to
express your interest. See you there!



BC Black History Awareness Society
OUR ROOTS RUN DEEP

SFU

MORRIS J. WOSK
CENTRE FOR DIALOGUE



**OKANAGAN
GYMNASTICS CENTRE**

Volunteers Needed!

Grade 10-12

December 2 - 4, 2022

Deadline to apply is November 21, 2022

**See your Career
Center for
details**





YMCA of Southern Interior BC
Mindfulness Services

FREE!

**You'll get by with a little help
from new friends.**

Learn how to manage stress, struggles, and anxieties in a
welcoming and judgement-free group setting.

Our instructors deliver sessions online and in person.
Participants get a **free 3-month YMCA membership**.



ymcasibc.ca/mindfulness



**We Are
Families**
and we serve
families

Are you looking for
help or information
about mental
health support and
services for your
child or youth?

We know how important you are, and that you
might need some support now too. We are
also parents of kids with mental health and/or
substance use challenges. We are here for you
and we want to help.

Here are some of the ways we can offer
support to you and your family:

PARENT PEER SUPPORT

We provide emotional support, information,
resources, and help in navigating services
for parents & caregivers of a child, youth or
young adult with a mental &/or substance use
challenge.

EVENTS

Every month, we host events called 'in the
know.' We watch a video and share experiences
and strategies that help in the hard moments.
We help focus on strengthening our
understanding & connection with our kids.
Events are facilitated by FamilySmart Parent
Peer Support Workers. Offered online and in
person in some communities.

RESOURCES + VIDEOS

Our website has free resources and videos on
topics important to families who are parenting
a child or youth with a mental health and/or
substance use challenge.

WORKSHOPS + TRAINING

We offer workshops for parents and caregivers
whose child/youth has been a patient in a
psychiatric unit. It's really tough when your
child is struggling and ends up in crisis - and
we want to help.

We also offer training that brings together
young people, parents/caregivers and
professionals to learn with and from each other
to help experiences between them go better.

OUR SERVICES ARE FREE. NO WAITLIST. WE GET IT.

Email: info@familysmart.ca
Phone: 1 (855) 887 8004

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Start Your Future

Make an impact at one of Canada's
top engineering schools.

UBC Engineering Open House

@UBCO: Saturday, November 19, 2022

10:00am-2:00pm

Sign up online to attend our
on-campus event at: [engineering.ok.ubc.ca/
openhouse](https://engineering.ok.ubc.ca/openhouse)



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