



WHOO'S NEWS

NOV 7, 2025

NOV 10

1 / 2 - 3 / 4

Quarter 2 begins
Remembrance Day Ceremony

NOV 11



NO SCHOOL
Remembrance Day

NOV 12

5 / 6 - 7 / 8

Student Wellness Clinics AM

NOV 13

1 / 2 - 3 / 4

NOV 14

5 / 6 - 7 / 8



**The first day of Quarter 2
is Monday, November 10th.**

Student Schedules will be published to the
MyEd Parent Portal on Friday, November 7th.
Schedules are not printed by the office.

11 NOVEMBER
REMEMBRANCE DAY

Lest we forget



STUDENT PHOTOS

Student ID Cards and Photo Packages from re-takes are in the KSS office for pick-up.

Grad 2026 Photo Appointments may be reserved between November 26 - January 18. [HERE](#) is the link to register.

UPCOMING DATES

Nov 18	KSS PAC Zoom Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
Nov 20	Harmony Day
Nov 21	Student Written Learning Updates published
Nov 24-25	Multicultural Expo in the MPR
Nov 25	COBSS Online Application opens
Nov 25-26	Post Secondary Prep #2 in LLC at lunch
Nov 26	IH Student Wellness Clinics (AM)
Nov 26-29 / Dec 3-6	Night Owl Theatre presents: "Queens"
Dec 1-2	Music Concerts in the Gym - 7:00 p.m.
Dec 4	Jazz at the Laurel - 7:00 p.m.
Dec 10	IHA Student Wellness Clinics (AM)
Dec 10	Choral Concert at St. Michael's Cathedral - 7:00 p.m.
Dec 17	Locker Clean Out - 9:00 a.m.
Dec 18	Grad Winter Formal
Dec 22-Jan 2	Winter Break - NO SCHOOL



Harmony Day

November 20, 2025

"How can there be peace without people understanding each other and how can this be if they do not know each other?" - Lester B. Pearson

Harmony Day recognizes that citizens of the Central Okanagan come from all over the world. It provides a yearly opportunity for the community of Central Okanagan Public Schools to celebrate our culturally diverse society and commit ourselves to mutual respect.

Night Owl Theatre Presents its Mainstage Production of 'Queens' by Kristen Doherty, a dark and whimsical retelling of King Henry the 8th and his 6 wives.

The show will run from November 26th to the 29th and December 3rd to the 6th at 7:00 pm in the KSS theatre.

Tickets will be available soon; \$10 for students and \$15 for adults.

Come support KSS excellence in the Arts!





GRAD CLOTHING STORE IS OPEN!

Parents and Guardians, if you want to purchase something to celebrate your child's achievements, take a look at the offerings on our grad clothing site. Orders are **open until 11:59pm on November 16th** to make sure clothing will be delivered before winter break. A portion of the proceeds will go towards lowering the cost of prom for our grads.



ORDER HERE



Graduation Fees

A non-refundable commencement fee of \$60.00 has been attached to all grade 12 students in School Cash Online. This fee has been reduced this year. The fee covers cap, gown and stole, rental & decoration of the venue and security.

This \$60.00 commencement fee, as well as any other fees, must be paid in order to purchase tickets to winter formal, grad banquet as well as to pick up grad gowns.

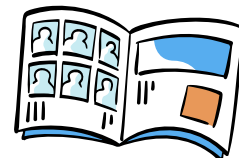


Fees are paid online at School Cash Online—[HERE](#) or in the KSS main office.

Yearbook early bird pricing ends December 1!

The cost is \$30.00 or
\$35 for personalized.

Yearbook fee is online
and may be purchased [HERE](#).
or purchase at the KSS main office.



Grade 12: Class of 2026

POST-SECONDARY PREPARATION

KSS offers Grade 12 students 3 **optional** Post-Secondary Preparation Sessions (PSP) to help prepare for education after high school. All 3 sessions are identical. If you must miss class time, plan ahead with your teacher as early dismissal is required.

The first session was in October.

PSP #2

NOV. 25 & 26
11:30 am
KSS LIBRARY and



- ✓ Funding
- ✓ Central Okanagan Bursary & Scholarship Society: COBSS
- ✓ Scholarships / Awards

PSP #3

April 22
11:30 am
KSS LIBRARY



- ✓ Post-secondary calendar
- ✓ Updates & deposits
- ✓ Course planning
- ✓ Course registration



CROSS COUNTRY

The 3 KSS Cross Country team athletes fared well at the BC High School Cross Country Championships in Parksville on Saturday. After the 12 hours of steady rain, the senior boys and girls 5 km course quickly became very muddy and slippery.

Amy Lamoureux placed 15th out of 162 AAA senior girls with a time of 20:08.

Out of 174 senior boys, **Coen Kissmann** placed 6th with a time of 16:08 (tied time with 5th place) and **Coulter Sieben** placed 12th with a time of 16:50.



Jr Girls Basketball Try-outs

KSS Gym



Monday, Nov. 10, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 13, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 17, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.



Evolve

International Business Simulation Competition

KSS had five teams enter this international competition at the beginning of November. Teams were competing against Universities, Colleges and other High Schools from around the world. The first prize was won by a University in Mexico, the second in Ireland and the third in Thailand.

Congratulations to the KSS Three Musketeers Team:

Serafim Spekhalskiy

Shaeyllan Beardmore

Zander Stirling



This team placed 1st in High School Category and 13th overall!





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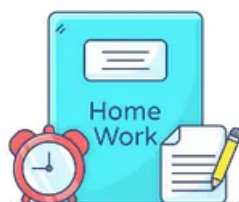


WELCOME CIRCLE

Every Mondays, Wednesday and Thursday | at
lunch time | Room 182 (ELL room)

Join us for a lunch program for newcomer youth:

- Make new friends
- Play games
- Talk to your SWIS
- Learn about your school and community
- Free Snacks



Homework

DROP-IN HOMEWORK CLUB

Everyone is Welcome!



- Get help with your homework
- Learn new skills
- Work with friends
- Ask questions to your SWIS



3:20 PM - 4:30 PM



Every Thursday



Room 182 (ELL Room)

Peer Networking CLUB

Every Monday, Wednesday and
Thursday at lunch | Room 182 (ELL room)

Join us for a lunch program for newcomer youth:

- Learn how to be a leader
- Plan fun activities
- Help other students
- Share your ideas
- Make new friends



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