
JQ E-Bulletin - Nov 8

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Safe Arrival Tel. No.: 604-713-5159 Ext. 39

Friday, November 9 - Curriculum Implementation

Day: No school for students. Teachers will be participating in workshops for Curriculum Implementation.

Monday, November 12 – Statutory Holiday for Remembrance Day: School closed.

Grade 6 Immunization Consent Forms: A reminder to return forms by **Tuesday, November 13** for collection by the School Nurse. The Immunization Clinic will be held on **Tuesday, November 20th**. If you have any questions regarding the immunization forms, please contact Public Health Nurse, Audrey Williams RN, at 604-261-6366, ext. 3378.

Parents of students in other grades may also have received an Immunization Consent Form if catch-up immunizations are required.

Photo Retake Day: Photo Retake Day will be **Thursday, November 15th**. If you would like your child to have a retake of their individual student photo, please remind your child and child's teacher.

Lockdown Drill: The school will practice its first lockdown drill on the afternoon of Thursday, November 15th at 1:10 pm. A lockdown is used in response to an intruder within the school.

All classroom doors will be locked/secured, all lights will be turned off and students will be asked to remain silent and directed to an area of the classroom where they cannot be seen. The drill will last for approximately 5 to 10 minutes. If you need to pick up your child for an appointment, please come before this time.

Code of Conduct: Attached is a copy of the School's Code of Conduct, a letter from the Principal and a Code of Conduct Commitment Card. Teachers will be reviewing the code with students over the next few weeks. Parents are also requested to review the code with their child/ren and return the signed Commitment Card (please print off attached copy or pick-up a hard copy from the School) and return to the classroom teacher by **Friday, November 23rd**.

Forms Return: We have a number of families who have not returned the forms packages sent out at the end of September. Could you kindly return these as soon as possible so that we have up-to-date contact information for emergencies and family reunification. Thank you.

Dress for the Weather: Please make sure that your child has a spare change of clothes at school as they are often needed during the rainy season. Your child will appreciate having something warm and dry to change into. Please also ensure your child is dressed for the weather...it's starting to get chilly out there! Thank you.

Remembrance Day Assembly: A school assembly was held today at 11:00 am for Remembrance Day. Thank you to Choir Director, Colleen Cotton and the JQ Senior Choir for their moving performance as well as Loic Cruz Iqbal, a former JQ student, for his solo performance and parent Jonathan Michalak for playing the Last Post.

Reminders to Grade 7 families:

VSB Mini-Schools – Grade 7 students and parents: Application for the mini-school test is **today at midnight** (www.vsb.bc.ca/programs/mini-school-registration). Mini-School Cognitive Skills test will be held on November 20th from 1 – 4 pm, location to be announced through email to applicants. Application to programs deadline is: Friday, December 20th by 3 pm.

Hoodies - Hoodie order forms were distributed today, sizing will take place next week and payment of \$30 is due by November 14, on School CashOnline.

Senior Trip Form and Deposit - Permission form is due back on **Tuesday, November 13th** and the first deposit of \$350 is due by **Friday, November 23rd**.

Dates to Note:

Tuesday, November 20 – Gr 6 Immunization Clinic

Friday, November 23 – JQ Silent Auction and Gala

Wednesday, November 28 – Kindergarten Dental screening

Thursday, November 29 - Vision screening

PAC NEWS

JQ Gala & Silent Auction

It's A Party And You're Invited!

The kids get Halloween...we get an Electric Luau!
Please shrug off your pj's and join the entire school
community for a fun filled Gala and Auction.
Mark the date:

Friday, November 23rd
7pm till Late

Tickets are \$25 [here](http://fundraising.jqpac.com/product/2018-luau-dance/) or purchased at the door for \$30.
(<http://fundraising.jqpac.com/product/2018-luau-dance/>)
Dress code is casual. Think Hawaiian shirts, flip flops and
Lei's.

- Welcome Mai Tai and hors d'oeuvres included.
- Cash bar
- All kindergarten families from both QEA and JQ will
receive complimentary entry tickets (coming your way
shortly).

A huge thank you to our Grade 7's who are putting on this
special evening for us!

All proceeds to to the Senior Trip.

See you There!

Halloween Party: Thank you to this year's grade 7
families for organizing a fun and "spooktacular" party on
October 26th and a huge thank you to all who supported
this fundraising event.

Extracurricular Coordinator needed:

- We need a PAC Extracurricular coordinator immediately. Our much loved and appreciated lead, Valerie is leaving us for Victoria in a couple of weeks.
- The job has already been fine tuned, a calendar and emails have already been drafted.
- We know you are busy, we are too.
- If we do not get someone, we will have to cancel our Extracurricular programs.
- no special skills are necessary.

If you are interested email: jqpacexec@gmail.com Thank you!

Direct Donation:

Your direct donation money DOES NOT go toward:

- pizza parties
- extracurricular activities
- Walk and Wheel and Bike to School prizes come from donations from businesses
- any activity, supply or program that does not benefit the whole school

Your direct donation money DOES go toward:

- sports equipment (soccer balls, ultimate frisbees, basketballs...)
- library books
- Educational programming for kids that in the past has included anti-bullying, internet safety...
- Fun programming for students that in the past has included hip hop, water polo, tennis and Circus Kids...
- Cultural programming that in the past has included dance troops, the maple syrup man, etc chosen by teachers
- Technology (ipads, laptops, document cameras and charging devices)
- Raised garden bed maintenance (consistent with the new curriculum and working into a possible future food literacy program) Also made those gorgeous rainbow benches possible
- provides subsidies so ALL children are included in field trips and choir.

- A grade 7 graduation fund for graduation day
- Subsidizes parent education
- Allows us to bring the community together for coffee mornings, Carnivals and BBQ's.

In essence you can see there is **NO child that is untouched** in some meaningful way by your donation. And your money is NOT spent on frivolous things but rather programming and supplies that are aimed at enriching your child's education or educational experience during school hours, all this school year.

What you DO NOT have to do

- Spend your money nor your precious time to:
 - Bake cookies, cakes, muffins and brownies,
 - ask neighbors and family to buy wrapping paper
 - go door to door selling plants, or chocolate bars.

- procrastinate in making your donation (just checking to see if you were still reading!)

What you can count on:

- a responsible and energetic team invested in OUR children's success
- your suggestions, ideas and comments to be welcomed and put into action

Please support our efforts to enrich your child's education at JQ by directly donating to PAC.

- by cheque: drop it in the box across from the office. Mark your child's division in the memo
- by etransfer:
 - email: jqpac.treasurer@gmail.com
 - security question: What is the name of our school
 - answer: julesquesnel
 - message: please note the division and name of your student(s).

THANK YOU very much for your donations!

As always we welcome your feedback: jqpacexec@gma

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Letter to Parents re Code of Conduct - Nov 2018.pdf

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Code of Conduct Commitment Card.pdf

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