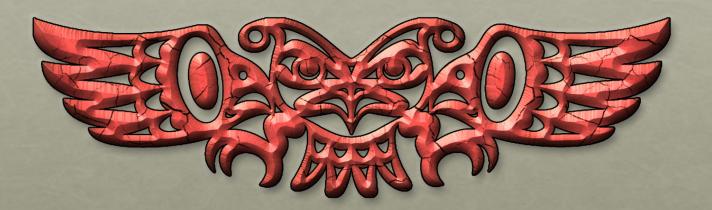


COWICHAN SECONDARY Friday File: Sept 11, 2020

IMPORTANT DATES/EVENTS

- Wednesday, Sept. 16 PAC Meeting at 7:00 (More info to come)
- Monday, Sept. 21 District Pro-D Day (no classes)
- Wednesday, Sept 30 Orange Shirt Day (In recognition of the legacy of Residential Schools)



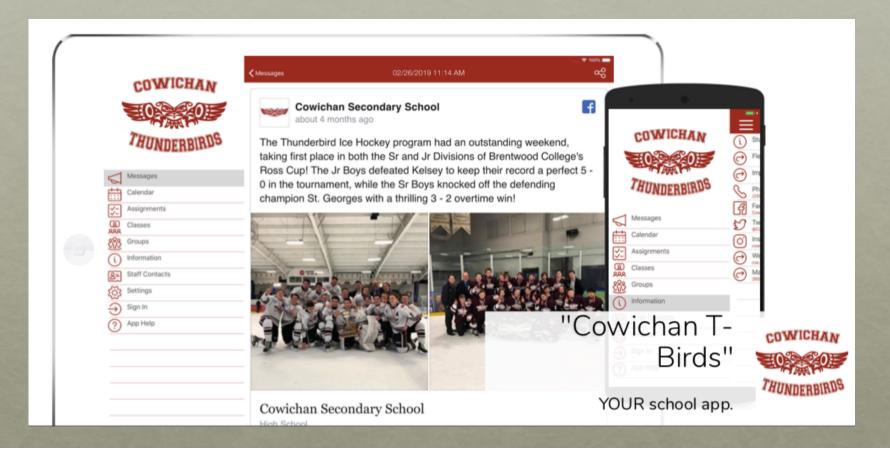
PARENT-TEACHER COMMUNICATION



- Parents and guardians will hear from their child's teachers early in the quarter. However, you do not have to wait for teachers to initiate contact to ask about your child's progress.
- If you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact teachers. Our staff email list is on our website under the "Contacts" tab (css.sd79.bc.ca). You can also phone and request an appointment with your child's teachers.



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Open the "App Store" or "Google Play" app. Search for "Cowichan T-Birds". Tap "Get" (iPhone/iPad) or "Install" (Android). It's free!

Windows/Mac:

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GET STARTED!!

☐ Tap the menu button (" " icon at the top left). ☐ In the menu, tap "Sign In". Use your school account if you have one. Otherwise: If you have not signed in before, "Sign Up" for a new account. ☐ Tap "Classes" in the menu, then tap the gear to select your classes. ☐ Tap "Groups" in the menu, then tap the gear to select your clubs, teams, and other groups that you belong to. ☐ In the menu, tap the " " with your name next to it, and pick how you want to receive notifications.





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SCHOOL DISTRICT 79 INDIGENOUS EDUCATION

Uy'skweyul! Tansi! Welcome to another fantastic year of growth and learning. Indigenous Education staff work throughout the district to foster inclusive classrooms where every student feels a sense of belonging and experiences academic success.



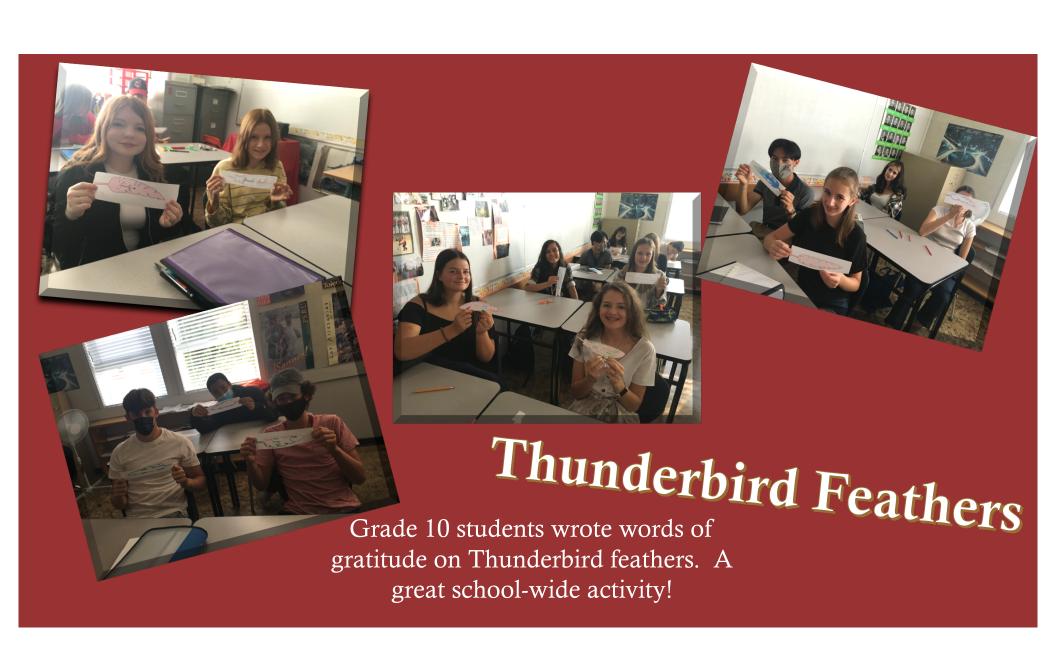
As you may know, in 2017 the Federal Government changed from using the term Aboriginal people to using Indigenous Peoples when referring to First Nations, Metis, and Inuit peoples. This change acknowledges the rights of Indigenous Peoples as outlined in the U.N. Declaration of the Rights of Indigenous Peoples. It will take us some time to transition to the new language so you may see the terms Indigenous and Aboriginal both used.

TERRY FOX RUN!!



Participate wherever you are! Around your neighbourhood, backyard, down the street, or around the block. Sadly, Cowichan Secondary will not be able to organize a school-wide Terry Fox run. However, community members are encouraged to do a virtual run. More info can be found at: https://terryfox.org/





Yearbook Survey

Do you plan on buying a CSS yearbook this year? If so, can you please fill out the quick survey monkey on the following link to help plan for this?

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PFZVGB3





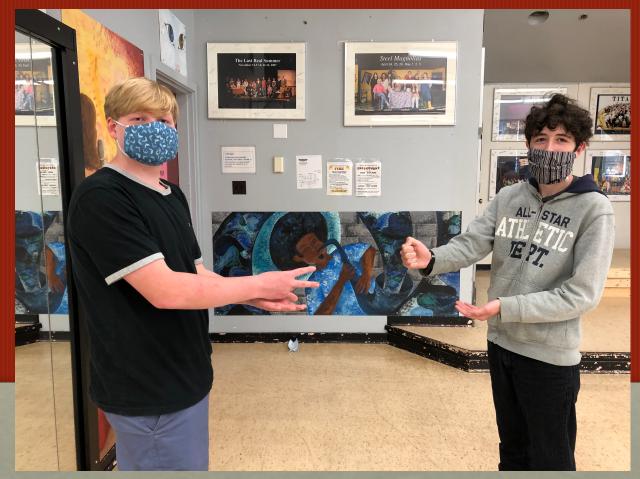
Our Grade tens were treated to freezies and a Cow High shirt on Thursday.

Gelato Truck



Staff sampled some yummy *gelato* on our first day back. Delizioso!!





Students in Mrs. Jackson's class doing the Scissor, Rock, Paper challenge. What Fun!!