



DELVIEW SECONDARY SCHOOL

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May 2, 2025

Dear Delview Students & Families,

They say April showers bring May flowers and with the recent increase in temperature and sunshine exposure, I hope this weekend provides all of you the opportunity to be outside and enjoy the weather with family and friends. At the end of the month, we will be celebrating our graduating students with our annual **Red Carpet and Dinner & Dance on Friday May 23rd**. **Red Carpet will begin at 3:30pm**. Come out and help us celebrate and honour our Graduating Class of 2024!

In addition to this letter, information can be found on our school website: <https://dl.deltasd.bc.ca/>. Please see the important information items below:

Important Dates:

- May 1 - Report Cards available on MyED/Parent Connect (3:00pm)
- May 8 - High School Job Fair @ Burnsvew Secondary (3:30 – 5:30pm)
- May 16 - Non-Instructional Day (no classes in session)
- May 19 - Victoria Day (Statutory Holiday – no classes in session)
- May 23 - Grad Red Carpet (3:30pm, Large Gym) & Grad Banquet & Dance (5:30pm – 10:30pm)
- May 23 - Delta North Dry Grad Event (11:30pm – 5:00am, North Delta Rec Centre)
- May 27 - Delview PAC AGM Meeting & Elections (7:00pm, Library)

PAC AGM Meeting & Elections – Tuesday, May 27th @ 7:00pm:

Please save the date. **Our Parent Advisory Council (PAC) has its Annual General Meeting at 7:00pm in our Library.** At the AGM, we will be electing next year's PAC Executive. **To access BC gaming funds (approximately \$17,000), a school must have a PAC Executive that consists of a PAC Chair, Treasurer, and Secretary.** *These funds typically go towards extra-curricular programs, events and activities like Athletics, Theatre, Music, school clubs, extra-curricular enhancements and school beautification projects and upgrades.*

To express your interest in a position with the Delview PAC, please complete the form available at the following link: <https://forms.gle/WpDdYoyFiDyWmKuVA>

For more information, email delviewsecondarypac@gmail.com

Mid-Semester Report Cards "Written Updates":

Yesterday, mid-semester 2 report cards were released on MyED and Connect. If you have not seen your child's report card, please review them with your child and if there are any concerns please reach out and connect with your child's teacher.

As we start the second half of semester two, a reminder of the importance of finishing the year strong and we are asking parents to communicate with their child about:

- seeking out opportunities for additional supports and assistance from their subject teachers (Flexible Learning Time),
- setting aside time at home each night to review concepts or practice their foundational skills in numeracy and literacy,
- and following up on your child's attendance if they are marked late or absent from a class.

For any inquiries, please contact your child's counsellor:

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| • Last Name A – G | Ms. Pooni | rpooni@deltaschools.ca |
| • Last Name H - M | Ms. Sharma | rsharma@deltaschools.ca |
| • Last Name N – Z | Ms. Hughes | lhughes@deltaschools.ca |

Raider Athletics – Spring Athletics is upon us:

As we enter May, many of our athletic teams are wrapping up league play and beginning playoffs for district, regional and provincial championships. Good luck Raiders! For our athletics calendar and information visit our athletics website: <http://delviewraiders.weebly.com> . You can also follow our athletic teams on our Athletics Instagram account [@delviewathletics](https://www.instagram.com/delviewathletics)

Delview Raiders Athletics

- May 5 - Junior Badminton South Fraser Championships
- May 6 & 7 - District Track & Field Championships (North Delta Secondary Track, 3:30pm)
- May 13 - District Individual Badminton Championships (Delview Secondary, 3:30pm)
- May 15 - District Junior Badminton Championships

If you have any athletic questions or inquiries, please contact our Athletic Director Mr. Kyle Smellie by email kmsellie@deltaschools.ca or at the school. ***We are currently in the process of recruiting coaches for the 2025-2026 Athletics Season for Fall (volleyball, soccer) Winter (basketball) & Spring Sports (badminton, soccer).*** Please contact Mr. Smellie if you are interested.

Electric Scooters and E-Bikes

As the warmer weather approaches, students will have more opportunities to engage in bike- and scooter-related activities like commuting to school. Please find below a reminder of the provincial regulations regarding electric kick scooters and electric bikes (e-bikes).

Electric kick scooters should not be used by students travelling to school or while on the school grounds. Despite their popularity in our province, electric kick scooters remain illegal for use on public roads, bike lanes and sidewalks across most of B.C., except in a handful of cities that are taking part in a [pilot program](#) to test the use of them. The City of Delta is not part of the pilot program. Even in the pilot program cities, it is illegal for a person under 16 years of age to operate an electric kick scooter. You can view the provincial rules here: [Electric Kick Scooter Pilot Project Regulation](#).

E-Bikes: In B.C., it is illegal for students under 14 years of age to ride e-bikes. Students can operate light e-bikes at age 14 and standard e-bikes at 16. Parents or guardians of students below the minimum age must not knowingly permit them to ride an e-bike. For more information, including the definitions of a light e-bike and a standard e-bike, please visit: [E-Bike Rules of the Road](#)

Career Education & Programs:

Please see the district's March Career Education Newsletter and the opportunities available to students and their families: <https://deltalearns.ca/careers/newsletters/> . Please see your Career Program Facilitator Ms. Kaur (jakaur@deltaschools.ca) at your school for more information.

Highlights:

- **Aquatics leadership:** [accepting applications](#)
- **Are you working with a red seal journey person?** Get high school credits
- **Career Panel Playback** [available now](#)

High School Job Fair – Thursday May 8, 3:30 – 5:30pm, Burnsvew Secondary

- *Do you own a business or know of someone who is seeking high school students for employment? We're looking for passionate employers and community champions to connect with tomorrow's workforce today!*
- *Meet enthusiastic students ready to work and promote your part-time, summer, or full-time positions at the High School Job Fair. Please contact Sue at sswitzer@deltaschools.ca for details.*

In closing, we as a school community, would like to acknowledge and respect that our BC Government declared today the official day of Remembrance and Mourning for the victims of the tragedy at the *Lapu Lapu Day Festival* that took place in Vancouver on April 26, 2025. Please take some time today to honour all of those who are affected and hold pace for everyone in our community who may be grieving or hurting. Our thoughts are with all those affected by this tragic event.

Sincerely,

Mr. John Pavão,
Principal
(Grades 11 & 12)

Ms. Christine Oliver,
Vice Principal
(Grade 8 – 10)