



NEWS & REMINDERS: MORVEN

May 3, 2019

**Message from the Head of Morven**

Dear Morven Families,

Congratulations and deepest appreciation to the Collingwood Spring Fair organizers and volunteers. It was a privilege to see the Morven campus transform seamlessly under the expertise and care of so many community hands, and to enjoy the day with our students, their parents and grandparents: each who came together to enjoy and celebrate our community. Thank you. The spirit and commitment of our families is palpable. We have much to be grateful for.

Last week we sent families a detailed calendar of upcoming May and June dates that will bring us to the June 21 close of school when Term 3 Final Report Cards are sent to families. Grade 8-12 students continue to remain focused to acquire and importantly apply key learning skills and concepts as we approach [Final Exams](#) June 10-18 and as many students enter their AP examination window May 6-17. At Morven we are committed to offer a rigorous, relevant and relationship rich learning curriculum for our students. We thank our parents again for your support to ensure your child arrives to school on time and that appointments are scheduled outside school hours to allow your child an optimized learning opportunity during these key months at school.

In addition to our forward focus, at Morven we thoughtfully reflect on the 2018-19 school year programs and are in the midst of an exciting build for 2019-2020. The program build is focused by our commitment to the skills and dispositions our students need to hone today and for their next learning and life steps after Morven. We look forward to detailing further about how communication/literacy, collaboration, and authentic problem-solving skills are honed and practiced and applied to the highest level.

**Upcoming May dates:**

May 6 - May 17: AP Exams. Students and Parents of students enrolled in AP courses received exam schedule and exam location details in March and early April. If you have any questions please contact the senior school office.

May 13 - 17: Grade 9 Project Week

May 20: Victoria Day – school closed

May 21 - May 24: Drama Production 7:00pm "Witness for the Prosecution"

May 22: Visual Arts Show 4:00 – 6:00pm

May 27: Grad Transition Presentation in Mentor Classes

May 28 - May 29: Spring Dance Show 7:00pm Kay Meek Theatre

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Beverley von Zielonka  
Head of Morven



**Spring Fair 2019**

A thousand thank you's to all our volunteers for their time leading up to and including the Fair! Everything went beautifully – the weather behaved and, given all the big smiles everywhere, fun was had by all! Success!!!

For those of you with lawn signs still in hand, they can be brought to either campus to be recycled. Simply prop up the signs by the front entrance doors.

With Appreciation,  
Dani & Pauline  
Spring Fair Co-Chairs, 2019

**Got Glasses**

Armaan Gill has partnered with the [Third World Eye Care Society](#) to collect used eyeglasses for donation to developing countries. TWECS teams provide basic eye care and distribute recycled glasses to those living in poverty and lack availability to eye care services. Read more about this service initiative [here](#).

*Please drop any unused or unwanted eye glasses to the collection boxes located at the Morven Campus between May 21 to June 7.*

**WVPD Speaker Series**

Morven Campus

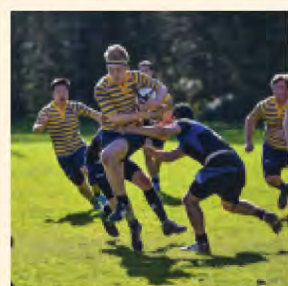
These talks are hosted by our West Vancouver Police Department in coordination with our Parents' Council in order for parents to gain current information on relevant topics.

Our second session is Thursday, May 9 at 9:00am in the Karim Library Classroom in the Morven Campus. Come and find out what programs our local WVPD have to offer local families to build a strong and safe community.

Visit [here](#) to register and for all the details on these upcoming talks.

**Important Dates:**

**Come Cheer Us On!**



**Hatch Shield Rugby Game**

May 9  
Klahanie Park  
4:00pm Kick-off

**May 20**  
Victoria Day  
School Closed

**Drama Presentation**

Witness for the Prosecution  
Morven Campus  
May 21-24  
7:00 - 9:00pm

**Alice in Wonderland**

Gr. 5-7 Musical  
Wentworth Campus  
May 22-23  
6:00 - 7:00pm

**Gr. 8-12 Spring Art Show: Spotlight**

Morven Campus  
May 22  
4:00 - 6:00pm

**Gr. 8-12 Spring Dance Show**

(featuring dancers from Wentworth)  
Kay Meek Theatre  
May 28-29  
7:00 - 9:00pm

**Gr. 8-12 Exam Schedules**

Posted [here](#).

**Upcoming University Visits**

[Franklin University Switzerland](#)  
May 6  
1:20-2:00pm

Visit [here](#) for more information.

[School Calendar](#)

[Athletics Calendar](#)

**Summer Intern Opportunity in Peru**

Pan American Games in Peru are looking for student interns.

Are you looking for work experience? Are you interested in business? Do you enjoy major events, sports and travel? Intern this summer for two weeks - view [the flyer](#) for more details. For more info talk to Ms. Weiss or Ms. Bosa.

**Service**

For all Service opportunities and events, visit [here](#).



**Photo of the Week**

It was wonderful to see everyone last weekend at our annual Spring Fair! For more photos from the day, visit our gallery [here](#).

For more photos of all Collingwood School activities, follow us on [Facebook](#) & [Instagram](#)!