

# THE QUADRA WEEKLY BRIEFING

Dear Quadra Community,

In less than 48 hours, a small, volunteer army of opticians and eye care specialists completed vision screening on over half of the students in our school. Ross Sherwood and his team were not only incredibly efficient and professional in their demeanour; they also were fantastic with our children. I would like to thank them for their incredible dedication to providing students with free eye care. Over 40 of our students will be receiving free glasses and many others have follow up care appointments suggested for them. We are so incredibly grateful for **Onesight** and the service they provided our community!!! I would be remiss if I did not also mention the efforts of Ms. Liz Post, our PAC Chairperson. Ms. Post single handedly prepared lunches for our 15 Onesight volunteers on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday! Thank you so much Ms. Post for your continued efforts in making our community a welcoming place.

Quadra's Got Talent is right around the corner, so make sure you get your submission in to [quadrashines@gmail.com](mailto:quadrashines@gmail.com). We would love this year's show be the best ever but that won't happen without your support!!

Many of our grades 3-5 students represented Quadra school at the annual regional track meet this past Monday. As vision screening was taking place at the same time, I was not able to attend this event, however, I heard great things about our student athletes and how they conducted themselves while at UVIC. We also had some students compete in the zone finals on Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup>. A huge congrats to all our student athletes and best wishes for those who are representing Quadra at the zone finals. I would also like to thank Mme Humphries, Mme Clausen, Mme Cargnelli and Mme Hoefer, as well as Ms. Julia Zhang for organizing our track team here at Quadra. This event was also made possible by a few, hard working parent volunteers...thanks for your help!!

Please be aware that PAC will be holding another bottle drive this Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup>. If you have any extra bottles and or cans, our PAC volunteers will be on hand at the school from 10 – 2 pm.

## **Catch-up Grade 1 and 2 Immunizations**

To make routine immunization more accessible to children, Island Health is trialing in-school immunization clinics for students in grades 1 and 2 at select schools. Eligible grade 1 and 2 students will be receiving a consent package through the school shortly (**first week of June**). If your child receives a package, follow the instructions included and return the signed consent form to the school. Parents/guardians may provide consent or refusal for each/all immunizations. Parents/guardians are welcome to be with their child at the school; however, there is no expectation to be present.

Please note: This clinic will **not** include COVID-19 immunizations.

Immunizations will be provided at Quadra Elementary School on Tuesday June 20, 2023. Contact the Victoria Health Unit at 250-388-2200 if you have any questions.

## **Quadra Celebration of Song Concert Schedule:**

### **Mrs. Pollet's Concerts: Divs. 1- 12 Performing**

#### **Concert for Family and Friends:**

June 8, Thursday- 1:30- 2:30 pm

### **Mrs. Whyte's Concerts Divs. 13- 27 AND Quadra Strings Ensemble**

#### **Concert for Family and Friends:**

June 14, Wednesday- 9:15 am

## **Looking Ahead**

- **June 4**
  - PAC Bottle Drive
- **June 6**
  - PAC Meeting
- **June 8**
  - Ms. Pollet's Concert
- **June 9**
  - Quadra's Got Talent
- **June 14**
  - Mrs. Whyte's Concert
- **June 19**
  - FRIMM Bamberton Field Trip
- **June 20**
  - Grade 1 & 2 Immunization Clinic
- **June 23**
  - Grade 5 Celebration
- **June 28**
  - Grade 5 Leaving Ceremony
- **June 29**
  - Last Day of School

## **News from Our Wonderful PAC**

We are seeking parent volunteers for the below noted events. More hands make light work and we appreciate your support.

☆ Grade 5 Year End Celebration on June 23

[volunteersignup.org/DL4W9](https://volunteersignup.org/DL4W9)

☆ Bottle Drive on June 4

[volunteersignup.org/PCWEC](https://volunteersignup.org/PCWEC)

## **Quadra's Got Talent (QGT)**

Thank you to everyone who submitted their amazing QGT videos this year!  
We are VERY excited to share this event with you on Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup>. Details to come.

Have a wonderful, safe weekend!

Connor McCoy  
Principal