

The Quadra Weekly Briefing

****No school Monday, Sept. 22 for students****

Looking Ahead

- **September 22**
 - Pro-D – no school for students
- **September 25**
 - Meet the Staff Event
 - 5:00-6:00 pm
- **September 26**
 - Terry Fox Run
 - 4/5 classes swimming
- **September 29**
 - Orange Shirt Day – school based
 - X country meet - Lambrick
- **September 30**
 - National Day for Truth and Reconciliation – school closed
- **October 1**
 - Student Photo Day
- **October 11**
 - Choir performance at Victoria Royals game
- **October 13**
 - Thanksgiving Day – school closed
- **October 17**
 - 3/4 classes swimming
- **October 23**
 - PAC Meeting in library – 7pm
- **October 24**
 - Pro-D – no school for students
- **November 4**
 - Photo retakes
- **November 5**
 - Parent-teacher conferences
 - 3-6:00pm
- **November 6**
 - Early dismissal – 11:50am
 - Parent-teacher conferences - 1:00-4:00pm
- **November 11**

- Remembrance Day – school closed
- **November 21**
 - Pro-D – no school for students

Tuesdays - Strings from 3- 3:45 pm in the music room with Mrs. Whyte

Thursdays - Choir in the music room at 8 am.

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Hello Families of Quadra School!

My name is Amy Read and I teach English Kindergarten at Quadra. I am also responsible for Quadra's Garden Spaces. This year we would like to:

-Restore the Indigenous Plant Garden around the Totem Pole carved by Tony Hunt Jr. for Quadra's 100th Anniversary.

-Care for our garden beds at the back of the school where each class has an opportunity for planting. We also want to build a mulch path around the garden beds.

-Continue to remove the invasive English Ivy in the spirit of Reconciliation.

-Care for the front garden spaces - we have plans to add red tulips, a gift from Holland to Canada in thanks for their efforts during WW2, to the front gardens for Remembrance Day, as well as daffodil bulbs and flower seeds from the existing plants.

-Continue to involve students and their families in this work as, "We take care of this place," in our efforts to be good ancestors.

-Water and weed garden spaces as needed throughout the year.

These are big goals and we are hoping for parent volunteers to help us with this work. If any of the above ideas interest you, please email amread@sd61.bc.ca.

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