QUADRA WEEKLY BRIEFING

Friday November 6, 2026

LOOKING AHEAD

Tuesday, November 10 - Remembrance Day Assemblies

Wednesday, November 11 - Remembrance Day - No School

Friday, November 20 - Coffee for parents new to Victoria (see poster below) 8:45 am in the library

Friday, November 27 - No School - Professional Development Day

END OF DAY ROUTINES: PLEASE WAIT FOR THE BELL

The final few minutes of the school day are an important part of students' learning and success. During this time, classes often come together for reflection, circle discussions, reviewing the day's learning, checking understanding, and preparing students for what to expect the next day.

Being present for these routines makes a difference to students learning and helps create a calm, positive transition from school to home.

We ask families to wait for the bell before picking students up. This also helps staff safely and carefully ensure that each student is dismissed to the correct adult at the end of the day.

Thank you for your support in helping us create safe, connected, and successful school routines for our students.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

We warmly invite parents and caregivers who are current or former members of the Canadian Armed Forces to join us for our Remembrance Day assembly as we come together to honour those who have served and continue to serve on Tuesday, November 10 at 9:15 or 10:45

MESSAGE FROM OUR PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

Community Values Coupon Book Fundraiser

A big thank-you to all the families who have submitted payment or returned their coupon books!

A reminder that these **coupon books are not free** and over 100 coupon books have not yet been returned or sold.

Please provide payment for the coupon books via cash or e-transfer or return the coupon books to the office or your child's teacher **as soon as possible.**

Quadra Family Work Party and Bottle Drive

Join us on Sunday, November 29 from 9-12 for a Quadra family work party!

Bring your gloves, grab a shovel, and help our schoolyard and gardens get ready for the winter. Hauling, mulching, pruning, it's all on the table! Gardening and landscaping expertise is an asset, but not required.

If you have a truck and are available to haul away green waste at the end of the party, please reach out and let us know.

This party will coincide with the bottle drive so please bring all your empty bottles for recycling. All are welcome!

MESSAGE FROM OUR PAC CONTINUED

Purdys Chocolates

Our Purdys Holiday Chocolate Fundraiser is officially here, and we need your help to make it a sweet success!

Stock up on delicious holiday chocolates, grab some teacher gifts, or treat yourself!

Up to 30% of every purchase goes directly toward supporting the Quadra PAC and greater school community.

Shop here:
https://fundraising.purdys.com/fundraising/campaign/000039495/shop

Order deadline: December 1st 2026

Thank you for spreading a little holiday cheer and helping us reach our fundraising goal of $2000.

Loonie Emporium

We're excited to bring the Loonie Emporium back to Quadra this year! We're looking for volunteers and donations to help make this event a success.

Donation Drop-Off Times:

- Friday, December 4: 2:37–5:00 PM
- Sunday, December 6: 9:00 AM–3:00 PM

We're accepting gently used, clean, giftable items for all ages, especially gifts for dads! Please, no clothing.

Volunteers Needed! We could use helping hands for donation collection, sorting, setting up, and helping students shop on December 7.

Sign up here:
https://volunteersignup.org/DKYJW

Thank you to everyone helping make this special event possible!

MESSAGE FROM OUR PAC CONTINUED

Quadra School Spirit Wear

Quadra School Spirit Wear is still available until November 8!

Check out our great collection of hoodies, sweatpants and hats for purchase online at store.passionsports.ca/QESES.

PAC has a small bursary available to support the purchase of spirit wear should you need assistance. Please email connect@quadrapac.net if you would like more information regarding this.

Get Involved with PAC

We're always looking for more parents and caregivers to get involved, whether by volunteering at an event or helping to organize a PAC activity.

Please reach out to us anytime at connect@quadrapac.net if you have questions or would like to get more involved!

COFFEE FOR FAMILIES NEW TO QUADRA AND VICTORIA

Quadra Parent Coffee and Connect

For families new to our school and Victoria

Friday, November 20
8:45 am to 10 am
in the library



Join us for coffee and conversation.

Meet community partners from the Intercultural Association of Victoria (ICA) and Victoria Immigrant and Refugee Centre (VIRCS)

Languages Spoken at Quadra

Tagalog Arabic Spanish Mandarin Punjabi Tigrinya Bengali Japanese
Thai Dari Cebuano Hebrew Hindi Welcome Pashto Russian Afrikaans
Amharic Armenian Cantonese Farsi Gujarati Ilocano Korean Malayalam Nepali
Serbian Sinhala Tamil Turkish Urdu Vietnamese