

BROOKS BROADCAST

June

STUDENT WEEKLY MEMO:

June 15, 2020

DATES TO NOTE THIS WEEK

Monday, June 15
 Tuesday, June 16
 Wednesday, June 17
 Thursday, June 18
 Friday, June 19
 Saturday, June 20

Drive-thru drop-off continues (textbooks and library books)

9:00-12:00pm Student locker access
 Deadline for District Authority Scholarships



DATES TO NOTE NEXT WEEK

Monday, June 22
 Tuesday, June 23
 Wednesday, June 24
 Thursday, June 25
 Friday, June 26

Drive-thru drop-off continues (textbooks and library books)

1:00pm – 6:00pm Brooks / SD47 Graduation Day 1
 1:00pm – 6:00pm Brooks / SD47 Graduation Day 2

9:00-12:00pm Student locker access

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

We have had two weeks of in-person instruction already and I'm so pleased about the positive impact on learning and success through this short time. Much of the feedback from students and teachers is that it's a great time to get some help with their learning. I want to thank all families that continue to pre-register for each day. This greatly helps us. I encourage each of you to continue to come in and have a chance to work on your assignments and get direct help from our staff. If there are any students that still have work to complete, please be aware that time is running out in June. Along with the learning June brings the celebration of the year and none more important than Graduation. Please put June 23 and 24 on your calendar as days to take a pause and celebrate our Grade 12s. Take care.

RE-OPENING SCHEDULE WEEK 3

Attached you will find the **schedule for the week June 15-19**. We are offering a number of sessions that would allow for flexibility of both our junior (8-9) and senior (10-12) students, recognizing transportation, work and other schedules may play a role in ability to attend to in-person support.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	June 15, 2020	June 16, 2020	June 17, 2020	June 18, 2020	June 19, 2020
9:00-11:30	Grade 8-9	Grade 8-9	Grade 10-12	Grade 10-12	Learn at home
12:30-3:00	Grade 10-12	Grade 10-12	Grade 8-9	Grade 8-9	Learn at home

During this time, Brooks will operate in an Open Centre (OC) model accessing the upstairs Great Hall and classrooms. Teachers will be available to provide in-person support for the remote/online learning provided for all students. *No traditional or regular classes will be running.* We strongly encourage any students that still have outstanding work or were not passing before Spring Break and still have not completed enough assignments to put themselves to at least a minimally meeting expectations. Please note that for the week of June 22nd will be morning for a number of reasons the primary one being the Graduation is Tues/Wed in the afternoon. This last week is reserved for any students failing of still have outstanding work. We recommend that all students not passing take advantage of this time to get caught up.

ATTENDANCE : In-person support is optional and voluntary. All remote learning opportunities will continue through this time. If you are planning on sending your child to any of these sessions June 15-19 please email Tanya.larkin@sd47.bc.ca.



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GRADUATION 2020

Graduation Lawn Signs

We attempted to deliver Graduate Lawn Signs to as many as we could. Unfortunately we didn't make it to everyone but did make it to over 90% of them. If you did not receive a lawn sign please either call or come by the school to get yours.

What to expect for Grad so far:

- You need to arrive 10 minutes ahead of your time as that is when you will be marshaled through the gym entrance and towards the Max Theatre.
- While you are crossing the stage the live stream will be capturing every moment along with a few other video captures. We have hired Powell River Film School for all of this including the live-stream; guest speech videos, and putting together the edited movie memory of Graduation 2020 for all of you to watch over and over again.
- Grad Day Photos: After you go across the stage you will be heading to the Great Hall where Edge Photography will be set up to take your Grad Day Photo. The entire class will have their photos and each of you will be receiving a graduate composite by the end of September. This is also the photo that goes on the wall of Graduates downstairs along the lower hall in front of our library. They will provide you with an access code and you can purchase your individual grad day photo directly from them.
- We have a number of other added value items such as the decorations and photo spots, and gifts more announcements to come from our Graduation Committee including our special guest speakers, emcee, readers, and special grad performances.
- To review your spots you can: *Click this link to see our 2020 Brooks Grad Sign up:* <https://signup.com/go/dMUPTDy>
- The livestream websites have been created:
- Live stream links for Grad:
- June 23: <https://youtu.be/L5EIC6vCaSM>
- June 24: <https://youtu.be/aIEwjD04eaM>

Scholarships

Please note that June 20th is the deadline for District Authority Scholarships. There are 37 scholarships to hand out, with a value of \$1250, so make sure to apply. Please visit the Brooks website for more information. The scholarship link is under the counselling dept.

<https://www.sd47.bc.ca/school/brooks/ProgramsServices/counselling/scholarship/Pages/default.aspx#/=>

Student Pick-Up and Drop-Off Station at Brooks School Extended

The station will now be open Monday – Wednesday 9:00am – 3:00pm; Thursday 9am-2:30pm and Fridays 9am – 1:00pm Please email Mrs. Larkin directly to make arrangements to drop off and pick up items during these hours:

Tanya.Larkin@sd47.bc.ca

Technology Returns

For any computer equipment returns for those who have borrowed laptops:

Dates and times are: Tues and Thursday's 1:00-3:00 from now until June 25th (the last day), via the downstairs library doors that open to the parking lot.



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IMPORTANT LINKS

Brooks Q&A: [https://www.sd47.bc.ca/school/brooks/Pages/FAQ.aspx#/="](https://www.sd47.bc.ca/school/brooks/Pages/FAQ.aspx#/=)

MyEdBC Online Tutorials & FAQ: <https://bit.ly/2IVj1Iy>

MyEdBC Email Support: parentsupport@sd47.bc.ca

COUNSELLING TEAM BLOG

Please check out the Blog from our counsellors here: <https://brookscounsellingblog.weebly.com/blog>

BROOKS CLUBS

CLUB NAME	MAIN STAFF CONTACT	INFORMATION
<i>Stu-Crew:</i>	<i>Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. McSween</i>	<i>Contact Mrs. Ellis or Mrs. McSween (see below)</i>
<i>Environment:</i>	<i>Mr. Dyck, Mr. Cocksedge</i>	<i>Meeting weekly at 1:00pm on Fridays</i>
<i>Graduation:</i>	<i>Mrs. Larkin, Mrs. Ellis</i>	<i>Contact Mr. Larkin or Mrs. Ellis</i>
<i>GSA</i>	<i>Ms. Dunlop</i>	<i>Contact Ms. Dunlop</i>

