

WSS Grad 2018 Newsletter

October 10, 2017



Grad Write Ups and Baby Photos for the Yearbook

Grad write-ups can be submitted to wssyearbook@student.sd73.bc.ca. The maximum length for a write-up is 500 characters including spaces & punctuation. Abbreviations & initials are permitted, but if any of the write-up is deemed inappropriate, the full write-up will be removed. Because Grad write-ups are published under the authority of the school, they are considered to be public not private communications. Make sure you have your complete name on the write-up. For more information see Mrs. Reed (Rm 14). A written hard copy can be submitted at the office but email is preferred. Write-ups are due Friday, December 15th, 2017.

Baby photos for the yearbook are optional & cost \$25.00. Bring your photo (with your full name written on the back) to the main office or scan your photo (as a highly quality .jpeg image) & submit the image to wssyearbook@student.sd73.bc.ca. Payments can be made to the office. Baby photo captions may be only 25 words. Photo, caption & payment are due Friday, December 15th, 2017. These deadlines are necessary to meet the yearbook publication deadline and are FINAL.

Scholarship Information

If you do not already have a copy of the Scholarship Guidelines and Information, you should probably see Ms. McCauley and pick one up. In addition, be sure to check out the School District #73 Booklet online at www.sd73.bc.ca/amas/

Graduation Requirements

To participate in the June Commencement ceremony a student must be completing graduation requirements by the end of his or her grade 12 year and have completed Planning 10. At midterm of semester two, there will be an adjudication of any students in grade 12 with failing grades. Administration, in consultation with counsellors, teachers, and parents/guardians will conduct this process. Failing students will be warned formally as part of the adjudication process.



Grad Photos

November 6th thru 9th

Times 3:30 to 8:30 pm

Sitting fee is \$30.00. This is for 16 previews, a 8x10 diploma folder with school logo, a certificate, an arch way photo on the evening of commencements and a mini composite of the 2018 Grad Class.



Right Photography Ltd. accepts cash, cheques, VISA and MasterCard.

Sitting Fee must be paid to photographer on the day the photo is taken.

The photographs taken by Right Photo are used for the yearbook & the wall composite that is mounted in the hall at WSS.

SCHOOL GRAD EVENTS

- **Grad/Teacher Banquet**
- **Commencements**



The School Grad Fee is **\$100** and covers:

- Commencement costs (including KEEPER gown, cap and tassel, diploma, and a photo of Grad receiving the diploma).
- Grad/ teacher banquet /BBQ/ decorations/flowers etc.
- School Grad Fees should be paid before spring break, Friday March 16th, 2018

GRAD 2018 DATES & LOCATIONS

- The Grad/Teacher Banquet is on Saturday June 16th starting at 10:45 am – at The Dunes.
- The Commencement Ceremony is also on Saturday, June 16th starting at 2:00 pm at McArthur Island Sports & Events Centre, this is the cap & gown ceremony where students receive their diplomas (approximately 2 hours).
- Each Grad will receive 8 commemorative invitations- Invitations will be distributed starting May 14th. All fees must be paid before invitations will be given out.



PARENT GRAD

The following events are not sanctioned by WSS and all info or fees associated these events will be determined by the committee.

- Grand March
- Dance
- Grad Event

Parent Grad Executive:

Co-Chairs: Susan Tabor & Dani Strank

Secretary – Veronica Kernaghan
Treasurer – Tracy Schmidt

SIGN UP to
receive



PARENT GRAD
INFO via e-mail

Complete release form & return to the office to give consent for WSS to share your email address with the Parent Grad Committee.



**Grand March
& Dance
Sunday
June 17th @
The Dunes
Time: TBA**

**NEXT Meeting:
November 7th
6:30**