Principal's Update April 17, 2020

Good evening,

Teachers have worked some of the kinks out now and things seem to be running fairly smoothly. We are still at the beginning of this journey and we are all learning. Please ensure that your child communicates any challenges they are having to their teachers.

Report cards will be completed next week. Our initial plan to email them home is not an option at this point so we will be going 'old school' and mailing them via Canada Post. Students' standing on this April report card will provide them with a baseline to work from as they complete the year. They need to be engaged in their current classes as Final grades will be based on learning demonstrated before <u>and</u> after Spring Break.

There have been a number of statements made in the media about students potentially returning to classrooms before the end of June. My fingers are crossed for this, but I do not have any information about if or when this will be possible or what it might look like if it does happen. When I do get more information, you will be the first to know!

Our Admin team and After Grad Committee Parent Chairs are working on a 'Plan B' to ensure that our amazing Grade 12s get some sort of recognition/celebration should our regular events get cancelled. Stay tuned for more information regarding this.

<u>Lockers:</u> We are NOT doing a locker clean-out at this time! However, if your child really needs something from their locker, have them email me and I will arrange it.

Thanks for your patience and support. Stay safe and enjoy the weekend.

Todd Clerkson

Principal

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