

Successes

March 15, 2023 Board Meeting

Cordova Bay

- Lunch time rehearsals are underway for the school-wide Willy Wonka Musical which includes 91 grade 4-5 actors and grade 2-5 music classes. Students have been busy learning chorus songs in anticipation of the June production. Claremont Theatre students will be assisting with sound and lights.
- All five of the multi age intermediate classes work every Wednesday afternoon on self-directed research projects based on their personal interests in small groups or individually. These utilize digital literacy skills, interpersonal and organizational skills as we showcase their final project in our gymnasium later this month inviting the rest of the school and their families.

Stelly's

- The Senior Drama Group performed the play called "CLUE". It was a spectacular performance.
- Stelly's Music Department hosted a board games night where everyone had a fun night of game playing!

Claremont

- Claremont hosted a robotics tournament and the entire gym was turned into a "Thunderdome" with over 30 Island teams competing against each other. It was a huge success!
- The Senior Girls Basketball team came 8th at Provincial Championships – their second game went to overtime and they nearly knocked off the #1 seed team!
- Chess Club – over 40 students have been playing chess at lunch over the last few months. Claremont will be hosting the first ever South Island Chess Tournament in May (inviting SD61, SD62, and SD63 student representatives).

Deep Cove

- On March 6 after several provincial selection rounds, Variety BC officially announced that Deep Cove has won a \$5000 grant in matched funding to install outdoor height-adjustable basketball standards (similar to those recently installed at Panorama Rec Centre). These will help inclusify the outdoor play space, and allow all students to successfully participate in sport and basketball - especially at early primary and those with mobility issues. The school PAC is partnering with the school to provide matched funding in this overall \$10,000 investment.

Parkland

- Students organized a staff/student soccer game to raise money for earthquake victims in Syria and Turkey.
- Parkland has two students registered to compete in the Barry Sullivan Cup for Public speaking in April in Vancouver.
- Parkland had several students recognized for their efforts in Trades.