



Lambrick Park Secondary School

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Please remind your kids to conduct the [DAILY HEALTH CHECKLIST](#) before coming to school each day, and to stay home if they are not feeling well.

Students should continue to follow the Health Guidelines at school & in the community

*****Please remind your student to bring a mask and a backup every day*****

April 12 – 16 - Literacy Assessment 10
April 12 – 16 - Numeracy Assessment 10
April 16 - Q3 Ends
April 18 - Q4 Starts
April 30 - Report Cards published

SUPPORT ONE OF OUR CAPSTONE GROUPS!

Three Lambrick Park students and three Saanich Firefighters are working together to hit 200 home runs. They are trying to raise \$200 (\$1 per home run) and also collecting non-perishable food items. Donations will be collected until April 16th.

All of the money/donations will be going to the Mustard Seed.

How to Donate:

- 1) Drop non-perishable donations in the box in the office.
- 2) Donate to Gofundme: <https://gofund.me/03e7b7b0>

[Lambrick Park School Daily Announcements](#) and other important information.

LP Families:

Thanks to everyone that helped support our 2nd Annual Academy Golf Tournament on Friday April 2nd. Also thanks to everyone who bid on silent auction items, congrats to those that were the highest bid. We appreciate your support.

Everyone is well aware of the rising cases of Covid recently. It has been good to see the students take masks seriously. That said, we are still reminding some students to wear their masks properly, to sanitize their hands when they arrive to school, and also to not congregate in the halls with their friends.

I realize we are all getting tired of the rules and protocols, but we need to continue to do all we can to keep the LP Community safe.

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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

Our school will be participating in the 2020-21 COMPASS survey. Researchers from the University of British Columbia will ask students to complete a 30-minute questionnaire about healthy eating, physical activity, sedentary behaviour, smoking, alcohol and drug-use, academic achievement, and mental health. While this survey is usually conducted in class, due to the current pandemic, it will be conducted online this year. It will also include some questions about how youth are dealing with the COVID-19 pandemic. The survey is confidential and the name of your child(ren) will not be linked with their survey responses. The survey data will be stored on secure servers at the University of Waterloo for a minimum of 7 years and only research staff will have access to them. While your child(ren) will not benefit directly by participating, survey responses will help researchers gather details about youth health, and this information will be shared with our school to help improve school policies and practices related to health, which can benefit many students. Both the school board and our school have given approval to conduct the study. The survey is repeated once each year, following the same students. There are no known or anticipated risks to participation in this survey.

On Wednesday, May 12, 2021, students in grades 9 to 12 with parental permission will be emailed a link and asked to take part in the online survey. Students are free to refuse to participate or to withdraw from the survey at any time, without penalty. You are encouraged to talk with your child(ren) about the importance of completing this survey. The link will remain active for two weeks.

If you do not wish for your child to participate, please contact the COMPASS Research Coordinator, Kelly Wunderlich, at kelly.wunderlich@ubc.ca or by phone at 604-822-4940 by Tuesday, May 11, 2021. Permission will be assumed unless you notify us otherwise. In your email, please include:

- your child's name,
- your child's grade,
- the name of your child's school

If you have any concerns or complaints about your rights as a research participant and/or experiences while participating in this study, contact the Research Participant Complaint Line in the UBC Office of Research Ethics at 604-822-8598 or if long distance e-mail RSIL@ors.ubc.ca or call toll free 1-877-822-8598. This project has been reviewed and received ethics clearance through a University of Waterloo Research Ethics Committee (ORE #30118) and the UBC Office of Research Ethics.

To view a copy of the survey questions or for more information about the COMPASS project, please visit www.compass.uwaterloo.ca, or contact COMPASS Research Coordinator, Kelly Wunderlich, at kelly.wunderlich@ubc.ca

Good afternoon parents/guardians,

As the Greater Victoria School District starts preparing the 2021-2022 budget, it is seeking input to develop a budget that reflects the needs of its learning community. The District is asking families, staff, students and educational partners, how they can prioritize areas to support student success for all.

The District has launched an online engagement where participants can share their thoughts on budget priorities, view the ideas of others, and rate all ideas as they are posted in real-time.

Join the conversation: <https://my.thoughtexchange.com/346444921>

*The online forum will close on Monday, April 12, at 4:00 p.m. We encourage people to visit the online platform more than once to build on each other's ideas and to rate any additional thoughts.

All input provided will be presented at the Board Meeting on Monday, April 26, 2021, and posted on the District website. The input received will be used to guide decision-making for the 2021-2022 budget process.

Annual budget development allows an understanding of current investment in areas of success for students: literacy, numeracy, health and well-being and the path to reconciliation, while at the same time identifying areas of opportunity and emerging need to advance student success.

The Greater Victoria School District is comprised of 47 schools that serve the communities of Esquimalt, Oak Bay, Victoria, View Royal, portions of Saanich and the Highlands, along with the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations. It is proud to provide quality education for more than 20,000 students—including 1,000 international students from across the globe and over 650 adult learners.

For more information about the District's annual budget visit:

<https://www.sd61.bc.ca/our-district/financial/>

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PARENT SURVEY 2020/2021

Parents of students in Grades 10 and 12 are asked to take a few minutes and complete a survey developed by the Ministry of Education. Your responses help the school, the district, and the ministry get a parents perspective about Lambrick. Please take some time and complete the survey before April 30, 2021.

The survey can be completed electronically and can be accessed on the Internet at http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat_survey. Any computer with an Internet connection can be used, and access to the e-survey is simple and secure. The survey can be accessed through the link with or without an anonymous logon code by selecting the school district and school name where your child attends school. Provincial, District and School Reports for previous years can be viewed at the same site under the *Results* section.

LAMPAC NEWS:

Thrifty Foods **SMILE CARDS** are available for pick up in the Lambrick Park office.

Thank you so much to everyone who has contributed to the donation drive. We are continuing to accept donations under the "Make A Donation" tab on the school website.

Please make sure to select Lambrick Park Secondary-PAC [Make A Donation](#) .

CAREER CENTER:

CAREER CENTER NEWS & EVENTS

LIBRARY NEWS!

LAMBRICK PARK LIBRARY

[TWITTER.com/SelenaJensen61](https://twitter.com/SelenaJensen61)

GRAD 2021 UPDATES

Grads and Grad Families:

As we head into spring most of our grade 12's are thinking about GRAD.

At the beginning of the year we had really hoped that restrictions would be lifted by June and that we would be able to return to UVic for our grad ceremony; in our optimism we actually booked the facility. It is clear that we will not be permitted to hold any large gathering for either a grad ceremony or banquet.

All our secondary schools in our district have been consulting to find alignment and consistency and we have been working with our grad committee student members to plan an alternate solution that adheres to provincial health orders.

Right now we are looking at a similar process as last year where we held several small group ceremonies that allowed the grad and 2 family members to attend with the addition of a livestreaming element that will allow other family members and friends to virtually attend.

WE are hopeful that we can provide more details in the coming weeks.

APRIL SNAPSHOT

This month's snapshot offers information and resources to support your family in navigating grief and loss

[April 2021 Secondary Snapshot – Helping Teens Cope with Grief](#)