

GARIBALDI SECONDARY SCHOOL



REBELS



**Welcome to
Garibaldi!**



Garibaldi Secondary

A World IB- School



I would like to acknowledge that we are having this meeting on the shared traditional and unceded territories of Katzie First Nation and Kwantlen First Nation.

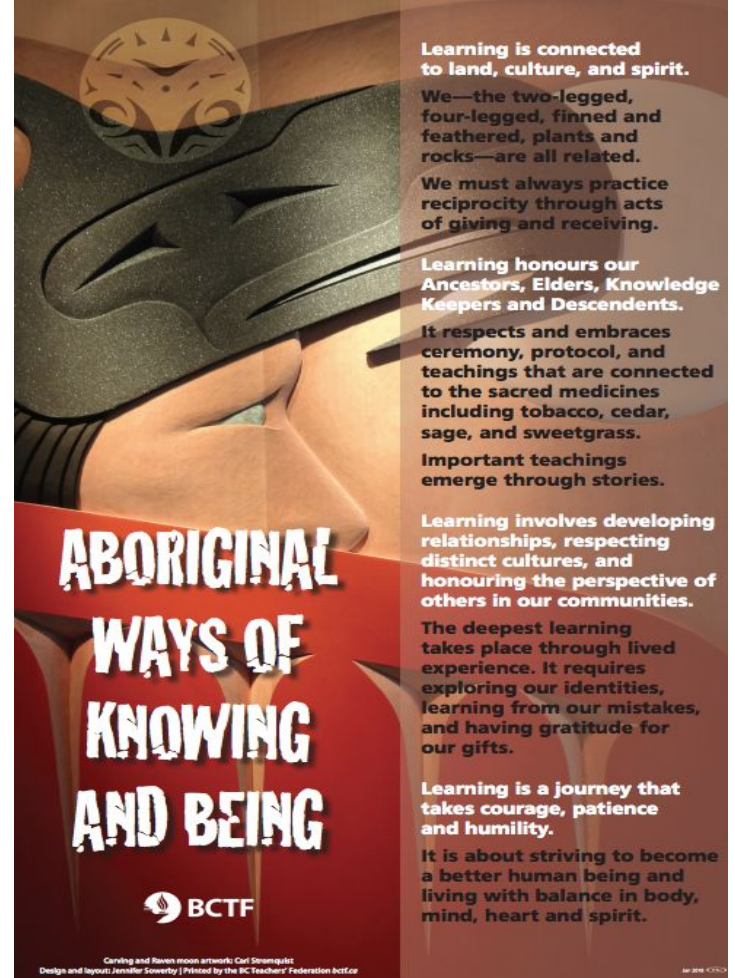
I also welcome and recognize all of our First Nations, Métis, and Inuit students and families in our schools and community.

As well, I want to welcome and recognize the many different cultures that are represented in our schools and community.



Welcome

Learning is holistic,
reflexive, reflective,
experiential, and relational
(focused on
connectedness, on
reciprocal relationships,
and a sense of place)



Learning is connected to land, culture, and spirit.

We—the two-legged, four-legged, finned and feathered, plants and rocks—are all related.

We must always practice reciprocity through acts of giving and receiving.

Learning honours our Ancestors, Elders, Knowledge Keepers and Descendants.

It respects and embraces ceremony, protocol, and teachings that are connected to the sacred medicines including tobacco, cedar, sage, and sweetgrass.

Important teachings emerge through stories.


Learning involves developing relationships, respecting distinct cultures, and honouring the perspective of others in our communities.

The deepest learning takes place through lived experience. It requires exploring our identities, learning from our mistakes, and having gratitude for our gifts.

Learning is a journey that takes courage, patience and humility.

It is about striving to become a better human being and living with balance in body, mind, heart and spirit.

**ABORIGINAL
WAYS OF
KNOWING
AND BEING**

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Teacher Intro's



First People

FIRST NATION CEMETERY 96 Avenue

On Whonnock Reserve lands just east of the municipal cemetery are the remnants of a small Roman Catholic burial ground dating back to 1874. Only one or two grave markers have survived.



Women and children in dugout canoe on Fraser River, circa 1890. [Charles Trott Dunbar, photographer. CVA In P137]



Early Settlers



William Jr. and Birdie Ansell, with their daughter Edith in 1908. [MRMA P02929]



ANSELL RESIDENCE
24750 Dewdney Trunk Road
circa 1909

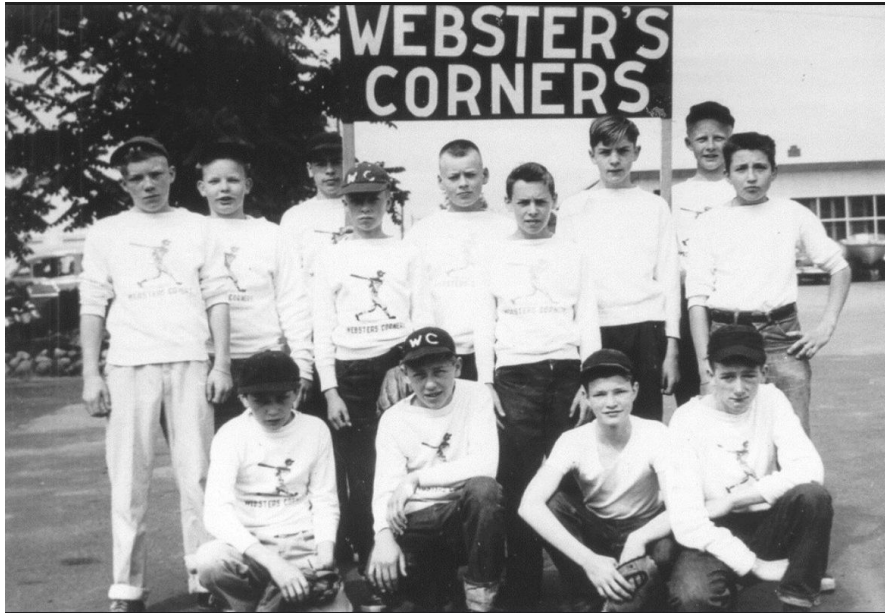


Hawaiian family who settled in British Columbia, ca. 1890

Ruskin / Websters



Websters Corners



Garibaldi History



DEDICATION

R. E. G. Langton

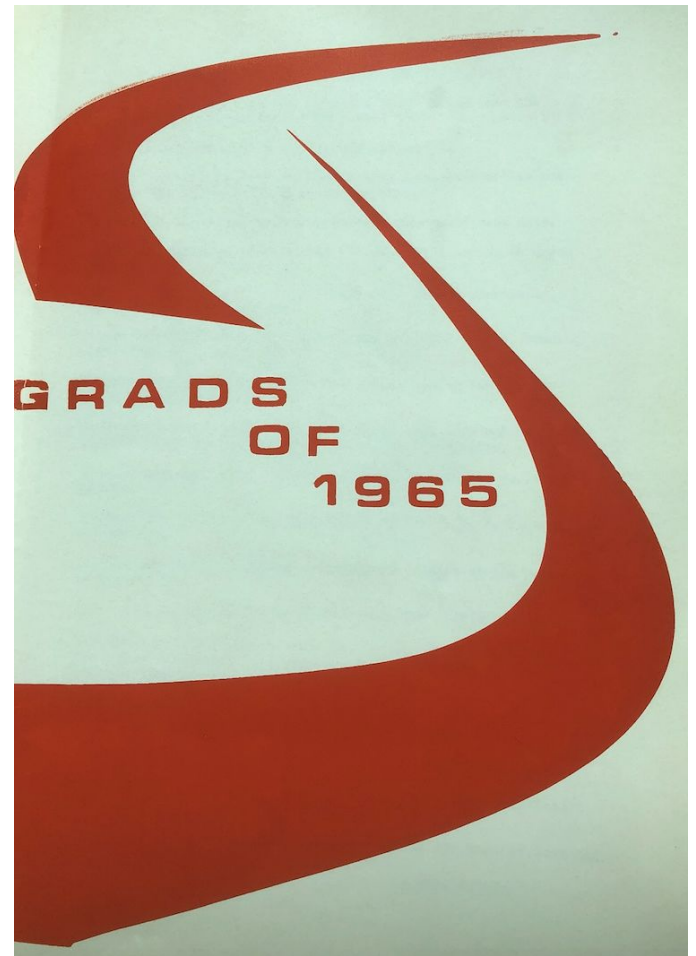


The first principal of Garibaldi School was a man who inspired confidence and respect in everyone who knew him - the late Mr. Eric Langton. His teaching and efficient administration have helped establish the school for generations of students yet to come.

He was born and raised in Maple Ridge; later he attended U. B. C., where he received a Master's degree in Physics. During World War II, he served in the Physics Department at this same university.

Among his great variety of interests were gardening, the sciences, and, of course, education. Always, he had an unflinching enthusiasm for life and for everything it held.

Garibaldi History First Grad Class 1965



Garibaldi Grads

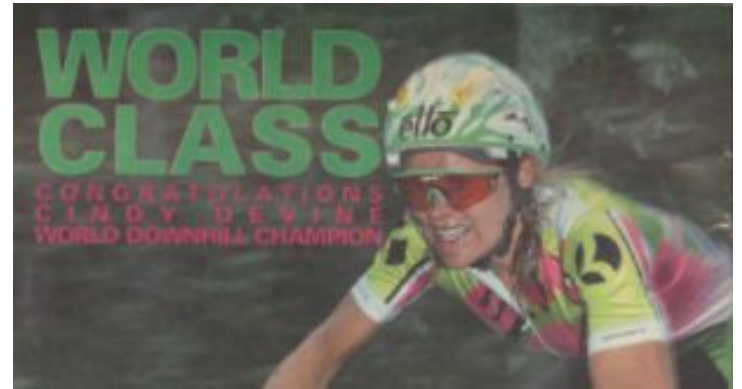


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ALUMNI

Alumni / Future alumni / The Ugcla Family Scholarship

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Debbie Brill – World Champion, World Record Holder, High Jumper

Phillip Borsos – Genie Award Winning Director, Academy Award Nominee

Cindy Devine – Canadian National and World Downhill Champion – Inducted into World Mountain Bike Hall of Fame World Champion. She was the FIRST female World Champion in 1990.

Kim Eagles – Olympic and Commonwealth Games Athlete – pistol shooting

Gary Folka – Award winning actor

Greg Hart – World record holder in tree climbing

Stirling Hart – Canadian record holder and a World record holder in tree climbing and Springboard chop

Brian Malfesi – National Canoe / Kayak Team. Multiple National Championship. Represented Canada at the Senior World Cup Events and **Olympic Games Tokyo 2021**

Tyler O'Neill – Canadian National Baseball team, and Major League Baseball (St Louis Cardinals)

Jonathan Poh – Author 2020 CBC Nonfiction Award Winner

Linus Sebastian – YouTube personality, presenter, and producer focusing on computer tech

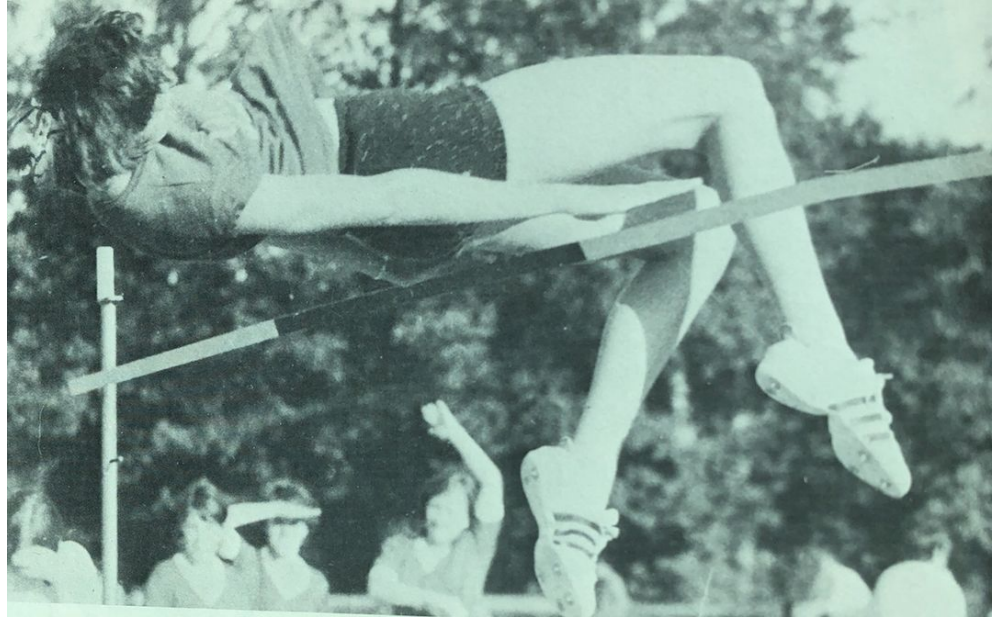
Lance Uggla – International Business Leaders – Philanthropist

Cam Waldbauer – Academy Award nominee for Best Visual Effects – X-Men: Days of Future Past.

A Garibaldi Grad

Debbie Brill

Debbie Arden Brill hopes to become the proud owner of an honest-to-goodness, house trained, domesticated, imported from New Orleans pet lion and to become a motion picture actress under the name of Gertrude. She has a mad passion for sunflower seeds. Next year she will have a small, cozy house of her own where she will entertain a few friends.



Garibaldi Grad

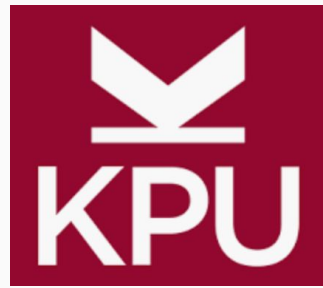
Debbie Brill - 2 time
Olympian

FIA World Champion



Brill Bend or Fosbury Flop “Google it”

High Jump World Record 1979 - 6’6”



SIMON FRASER
UNIVERSITY



Mr. Ian Liversidge - Gr 12

Ms. Karen Thompson - (Gr 9 - 11)

Mr. Wayne Chow - (Gr 8 - 10)



Link Crew - every student will have a senior student as a mentor



Stay Informed

- **School New - Website**
 - gss.sd42.ca
 - **Gazette** - updated daily
- **GSS APP** (iTunes & Android)
 - **“My School Day”**
 - Class schedule
 - Announcements
 - Notes & Deadlines



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SECONDARY SCHOOL

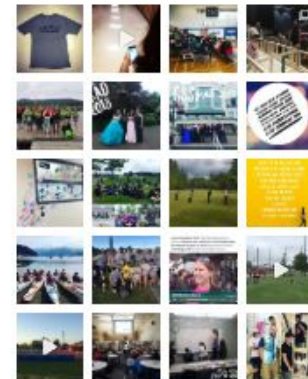
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School District No. 42, with financial support from the Government of British Columbia, offers StrongStart Learning Centres at eight elementary schools. Programs run Monday to Friday. Families are welcome to drop in at whatever time meets their needs. StrongStart Centres follow the regular school calendar. Our StrongStart programs will welcome, as usual, children from [...]

OUR GAZETTE

- [Strong Start](#)
- [Gazette for Tuesday, September 19](#)
- [Grade 9 - 12 Welcome Letter](#)

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School Format

- **Linear Format**
 - **8 classes over the full year**



Report Cards & Conferences

- **Report Cards:**
 - **3 Per year**
- **“I” reports / Optional Interm reports**
- **Conferences in 2024**
 - **Nov and April**



IB

Middle Year Program -

Full School Inclusive

10 Middle Years Programme

Reasons

why the IB Middle Years Programme (MYP) encourages you to become a creative, critical and reflective learner

- 1 Become a life-long learner**
Learn 'how to learn' using communication, research, self-management, collaboration and critical thinking skills.
- 2 Learn by doing and experiencing**
Through the MYP community project you learn to service the community and connect what you learn in the classroom to "real life".
- 3 The MYP encourages critical thinking**
It teaches you to analyse and evaluate issues, generate novel ideas and consider new perspectives.
- 4 Explore global challenges**
The MYP helps you increase your understanding of the world by exploring globally significant ideas and issues.
- 5 Learn for understanding**
Not just to memorize facts or topics and prepare for exams.
- 6 Train yourself to:**
 - organize and plan your work
 - meet deadlines
 - concentrate
 - bounce back
 - persist
 - think positively.
- 7 Subjects are not taught in isolation**
You are encouraged to make connections between subjects.
- 8 It empowers you to develop your talents**
Feel empowered to prove what you know and earn the MYP certificate or MYP course results.
- 9 It prepares you for future education**
Prepare yourself for the IB Diploma Programme or IB Career-related Certificate delivered by IB World Schools globally.
- 10 It encourages international-mindedness**
The MYP helps you critically appreciate your own culture and personal history, as well as the values and traditions of others.

Based on IB research - www.ibo.org/research



Middle Years Programme



The Middle Years Programme (MYP) is part of the International Baccalaureate. It is an inclusive programme for all students in Grades 8 – 10 that...

- ❖ Focuses on **skill development**
- ❖ Highlights **global connections**
- ❖ Prepares students for the **IB Diploma Programme** in Grade 11 & 12
- ❖ Speaks to student strengths with descriptive language on assessments
- ❖ Uses four categories (**Criteria A – D**) for assessment

What do the different levels of achievement mean?

BC Proficiency Scale	MYP Level of achievement	Level descriptor
Emerging	1-2	The student demonstrates an <i>initial</i> understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.
Developing	3-4	The student demonstrates a <i>partial</i> understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.
Proficient	5-6	The student demonstrates a <i>complete</i> understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.
Extending	7-8	The student demonstrates a <i>sophisticated</i> understanding of the concepts and competencies to the expected learning.

Note - 4 is not equivalent to 50%, but rather indicates that the student has a partial understanding of the concepts and competencies for the course.

MYP – Individuals & Societies	Absent	
Teacher:	Late	
Criterion		
A: Knowing & understanding	2	Emerging
i. uses limited relevant terminology ii. demonstrates basic knowledge and understanding of content and concepts with minimal descriptions and/or examples.		
B: Investigating	3	Developing
i. formulates/chooses a research question that is clear and focused and describes its relevance ii. formulates and occasionally follows a partial action plan to investigate a research question iii. uses a method(s) to collect and record some relevant information iv. with guidance, reflects on the research process and results.		
C: Communicating	NA	
This criteria was not assessed		
D: Thinking critically	NA	
This criteria was not assessed		
Overall Level of Achievement (1- 7 IB scale)		
Teacher comments go here		

What do Learning Updates (Report Cards) look like?

- Each subject on a separate page.
- **Learning updates** shows a score out of 8 & the proficiency scale
- **Summary of learning in June** will show a score for all Criteria A-D and an overall level for the course.

Need more information?



MYP co-ordinators

Helen Carelse: hcarelse@sd42.ca

Assunta Budd: abudd@sd42.ca

Please go to the GSS website for more info

Pro - tip to High school age

- **Stay connected and up to date - APP**
- **Picture in the APP or phone**
- **Ask for answers in a sentence**
 - **le What did you do in Math ?**
 - **Do not accept “Nothing”**



Pro - tip to High school age

- **Email teachers periodically for updates on student progress**
- **School is a community**
 - **Staff know and care about your child**



**Or .. Look through
binders and help
organize
occasionally!**



FALL TEAMS & CLUBS

- **CROSS COUNTRY (BOYS AND GIRLS)**
- **VOLLEYBALL (GIRLS)**
- **SOCCER (BOYS)**
- **GYMNASTICS (FALL/WINTER)**
- **REBELS WITH A CAUSE**
- **PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB**
- **KEY CLUB (KIWANIS)**
- **STUDENT LEADERSHIP**





COOL STUFF HAPPENS HERE!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Flex					Writers Club (2/month) (Thompson – 3002) Anyone interested in writing
Lunch	Dry Grad Committee (Knox/Chand- 2045) Any Grade 12 students	Leadership -Stnt.gov. (Mehrasa – 2044) students interested in getting involved with school events and/or want to promote positive school culture @leadershipgss Wellness Committee (Hine – 2007) Any student or staff member interested in talking about wellness and developing, promoting and assisting in wellness activities at GSS @gssrebels.wellness	Rainbow Rebels (E. Ludeman – 2048) Everyone is welcome! @RainbowRebelsgss Green Group (Ferdosian 2007) Anyone interested in Environmental activism @gssgreen Rebels For A Cause (Silva -2036) Anyone with a caring heart and an empathetic attitude. @gssrebelsforacause	Photo Club (van de Mond/Ferdosian – 2035A) School students and staff interested in photography @gss.photoclub	
After School	Robotics (Skartvedt – 2038) Everyone interested in engineering and large competitions @garibaldirobotics		Games Club (Smith/Baskaya – 2046) Anyone interested in board games Art Club (Logan/Chand – 2010) All students who love Art	D & D Club (Skartvedt/Baskaya-2032) Everyone is welcome	Rebels For A Cause (Silva -2036) Anyone with a caring heart and an empathetic attitude. @gssrebelsforacause

Others not listed above

Athletics – Various days by various teachers. Everyone is welcome @Athletic_Rebels

Math Club – Baskaya – date to be determined. Anyone who is interested in Math. We will be participating in challenges.

Model UN – K. Ludeman – date to be determined. Anyone interested in world events, discussing and debating issues

GSS Cafeteria

Great Chef

Daily Menu

Ways to Pay



PAC - Parent Advisory Committee

Info sessions

7 PM

Dates Posted to Web

Guest Speakers most meetings

Reporting absences:

Any Questions? Ie About Honours / PISA ?





Questions?

Please direct them to one of these staff members:

Principal -

Vice Principal -

Vice Principal -

Counsellor (Gr, 9) -

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Garibaldi Secondary And International Baccalaureate Programme

