



# Christ Church Cathedral School

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I want to express my deep appreciation for everyone's participation in last evening's meeting about Cool Aid's proposal to house 101 homeless people in the Mt. Edwards building next to the school. It was an intense and passionate meeting with strong, clear views shared by many. Thank you for your perspectives and for listening respectfully to each other's viewpoints. Last evening was our first step together toward a fuller understanding of this proposed development and there is still much to learn. The School's Board of Directors was in attendance and the Directors listened carefully to your views and questions and to Cool Aid's responses. The Board will be meeting at the beginning of the week to further consider this important information. The facilitators will send me a report as soon as possible that I will share with everyone. I will be in touch again soon about this significant matter that concerns all of us at Christ Church Cathedral School.

Yours,

Stuart Hall

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**Weekly Calendar:** Please refer to the school website for up to date listings:  
<http://cathedralschool.ca/about-cccs/school-calendar/>

## Tanna, Vanuatu Film

Hi,

We wanted to let you know that a beautiful movie called "**Tanna**" which was filmed on Tanna, Vanuatu will be playing at the **Victoria Film Festival on Tuesday February 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:15 pm** at the Odeon Cinema at 780 Yates Street. We were living on Tanna during the filming, had the pleasure of knowing the film maker and director and have seen an early version of the film. We can attest that it is a spectacular movie – it has already won several awards at international film festivals, and ViVa is thrilled to help bring the movie to Victoria for people to enjoy!

Tickets can be bought on-line at:

<http://www.victoriafilmfestival.com/>

Tuesday, February 9 at 7:15 pm at the **Odeon Cinema #1**. The film isn't classified by the BC government, so one must be at least 19 years of age. Tickets are \$10.50 + \$2 online service fee + \$2 VFF membership. The movie is expected to sell out, so get your tickets early. It is suggested to arrive 30 minutes ahead (unless you aren't fussy about seating).

Here are links to the trailer:

<https://www.facebook.com/TannaMovie/videos/vb.1483021658662265/1504152859882478/?type=2&theater>

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/5d9y9fd3suybipe/Tanna%20Trailer.mov?dl=0>

Following the movie, we have reserved the private room downstairs at **The Mint Restaurant** so anyone who is interested in discussing the movie can enjoy a bit of food and drink, and we will also Skype with Bentley Dean (the film-maker) in Australia. The Mint is a beautiful Nepalese restaurant just two blocks away at 1414 Douglas Street.

<http://themintvictoria.com/>

Hope to see you there! Cheers,

Jeff and Carla

### Gymnastics for K - grade 3:

#### **Mondays 2:00-2:50pm - Grades K & 1**

Dates: Jan. 18, 25; Feb. 1, 15, 22, 29 and Mar. 7 = 7 classes

#### **Thursdays 2:00-2:50pm - Grades 2 & 3**

Dates: Jan. 21, 28; Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25 and Mar. 3 = 7 classes

The students will be **required** to wear a full PE uniform with the school T-Shirt and navy blue shorts. Shoes and socks may be worn to the facility but the athletes are required to have bare feet on the gymnastics mats during their class.

Please refer to the permission letter for further details.

**Middle School Ski Trip:** If your child is scheduled to attend and becomes ill overnight and will not be attending, please call Tobi at 250-727-5597 prior to 4:30 am.



**Fruit & Veggie Collection Days** — Tuesday, January 19<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, January 20<sup>th</sup>.  
Let's try to beat last year's total!

**Message from the Learning Centre:** The Learning Centre welcomes students on Mondays from 3:00 -3:45 to come and learn how to use speech to text technology from Jan 18<sup>th</sup> until March break.

**PSG MEETING:** The next PSG meeting will be held Thursday, January 21 at 7:00pm in the Penny Farthing. All parents are welcome to attend.



Click the link below to view the weekly e-newsletter from Christ Church Cathedral:

<http://eepurl.com/bL-5xP>