



“The Feather”, our AbEd memo, keeps you up-to-date on events and news related to our department. Submissions are accepted (hummel_lisa@surreyschools.ca) up to noon on the previous Friday.

Windspeaker Youth Leadership Program

Please encourage Windspeaker candidates to return their forms as soon as possible.

Celebrate Métis art and culture. - October 2, with Métis artist Pat Calihou

Tuesday, October 2, 2018 at 3:30 PM – 6:30 PM

Surrey Library, 10350 University Drive, Surrey, British Columbia V3T 4B8

Join us as we celebrate Métis art and culture. On October 2, Métis artist Pat Calihou will facilitate another workshop on wood carving. Learn how to make your own miniature paddle. Discover something new about Métis art and culture.

This is a free event, for **teens (12-18 years old)** to explore their creativity. To register, visit <http://bit.ly/WebRegStart> and enter course # 4634738. All questions or dietary concerns can be sent to Edward by emailing communityart@surrey.ca

All supplies and materials provided. No previous art skills are required. This program is run in partnership between the City of Surrey’s Community Art Program, Surrey Libraries, and Nova Métis Heritage Association.

FRAFCA Red Dress Event – of interest to High School programs - October 4th – 10am – 2pm

Fraser Region Aboriginal Friendship Centre Association in partnership with the City of Surrey is honouring the missing and murdered Indigenous women and men in Canada. This event may be suitable for Social Justice classes or other appropriate groups. (Not for Elementary)

at: City Hall Main Atrium 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

FRAFCA/FVACFSS Garage Sale

Sept 28th, 11a, to 2pm for Families and youth living independently. Pass it on to any families you think might be interested. See [flyer](#) for more info.

Visions and Voices 2018 – Nov 16/17

An overnight event at Xyolhemeyhl for youth in care aged 13+. Parent/Guardian would need to provide transportation. Mike Scott will be a keynote speaker along with some fun-filled events. See link for more information and registration form.

<https://www.fvacfss.ca/event/visions-voices-youth-forum/> If they register before October 1, 2018 there will be a prize.

2018-19 Post-secondary visits: UBC, SFU, KPU – Note date changes:

(KPU has moved to one day earlier, and SFU is **3 weeks earlier!**)

(I checked with UBC and their date remains unchanged)

SFU: Thurs Jan. 24 ([link](#)), **UBC:** Wed, Feb 20, **KPU:** Tues, April 30 (see [poster](#))

Invitation - October 17 Field Day for Aboriginal Youth at Malcolm Knapp Research Forest

UBC Forestry is hosting another field day for Aboriginal high school youth at Malcolm Knapp Research Forest, and we are hoping your students will be able to join us. The Field Day is scheduled to run 9am-3pm, and activities include a cultural welcome from Katzie Nation, a mill tour, fire ecology lesson, paper making and plant ID art project. Please note transportation costs and lunch will be covered by UBC Faculty of Forestry.

When: Wednesday, October 17

Time: 9am-3pm

Where: Malcolm Knapp Research Forest (14500 Silver Valley Rd, Maple Ridge, BC)

RSVP: Online registration form (can be accessed on computer, tablet or phone):

https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_40leZO8thB03FNH

Please RSVP by Friday October 5, 2018

This day is designed to give students the opportunity to learn about forestry related work and research, as well as the different degree programs offered at UBC Faculty of Forestry. Research Forest staff, Registered Professional Foresters, UBC staff and UBC students will be available to answer questions students may have about studying at UBC, or career opportunities in forestry.

An evening with Haisla author Eden Robinson. – Oct 5th

October 5th 7-8:30pm @ Maple Ridge Public Library.

22470 Dewdney Trunk Road

Maple Ridge, BC V2X 7X7

Monkey Beach, her first novel won the BC Book Prize's Ethel Wilson Fiction Prize. Her novel Son of a Trickster was shortlisted for The Giller Prize. Her latest novel is its sequel, Trickster Drift. Admission is free, but register on Eventbrite to reserve a spot. All seating is general admission only.

Registration:

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/eden-robinson-at-maple-ridge-public-library-tickets-50292970629>

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