

We acknowledge that our water is sourced from Shoal Lake 40 First Nation. We are gathered on Treaty one land, les terres sur lesquelles nous sommes rassemblés aujourd'hui font partie du territoire traditionnel des personnes Anishinaabeg, Ininiwak, Anishininiwak, Dakota, et Déné, et de la patrie de la nation métisse de la Rivière Rouge.

We stand with the Indigenous community and commit to building an ongoing process of reconciliation, collaboration, and resurgence. Nous restons déterminés à travailler en partenariat avec les Premières Nations, Inuit et Métisses dans un esprit de vérité, réconciliation et collaboration.

Monday Announcements – May 6

Day 2

- Congratulations to the GC Model UN teams for their great work this past Friday and Saturday! Joseph Miguel Aguirre represented Germany; Caleb Sanchez and Jamila Pasaraba represented Maldives; and Danielle Co and Andrea Aniza represented Guyana. We are proud of you all!
- Sunday was the National Day for Awareness of Missing & Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls (MMIWG), also known as "Red Dress Day". Canadian history has contributed to the ongoing violence of Indigenous women and girls in Canada. As a result, violence against Indigenous women, girls and 2SLGBTQQIA+ people is disproportionately high. On May 5th and every day, we honour the lives of MMIWG by raising awareness of this ongoing national tragedy, and we hold in our thoughts the families and communities who live with the grief of losing loved ones. Grade 12 student Sarah Thomas has placed an instillation in the Commons to raise awareness about this national tragedy. We will also be offering a smudge at 11:45am in the circle garden for those who would like to join.
- WAGE will be selling tickets to their Coffeehouse in the Commons every day at lunch this
 week. The coffeehouse will be on Monday May 13th at 6pm and it is an opportunity to
 celebrate female identifying people in our community.

- Today is Mindful Monday which marks the first day of Mental Health Awareness week. The theme for this year is Compassion. Your are encouraged today to show yourself some compassion by taking a walk outside with your class or on your spare.
- Congratulations to the Garden City's Athletes of the Month for the month of April. Our Athletes
 of the Month are selected by their team coaches based on their commitment, sportsmanship,
 work ethic, and enthusiasm for their sport. These athletes set a good example for others and
 exhibit all around attributes of leadership and teamwork. The sport being recognized for the
 month of April is Badminton and the athletes of the month are:
 - o Grade 9 Fin Arnold & Noah Rosolowich
 - Junior Varsity Marie Paqueo & Zoe Laurente
 - Varsity Nick Fava & Kylen Solomon

Could all the athletes of the month please see Ms. Medwick in the centre gym to receive their t-shirt.