

Friday, May 24, 2019

Greater Victoria School District celebrates the re-opening of Burnside School

VICTORIA, BC – Students, staff and community partners will gather to celebrate the official grand opening of S.J. Burnside, formerly known as Burnside Elementary, on Monday, May 27, 2019. The school will host a ribbon-cutting ceremony along with a salmon feast to honour the land that S.J. Burnside resides on, as well as recognize all of the District's partners who have collaborated to successfully see

“The District is proud to be part of an innovative partnership that will benefit our community and assist us in upgrading our facilities,” shared Board Chair Jordan Watters. “The re-opening of Burnside school plays an integral role in supporting the District’s ambitious seismic program. The former S.J. Willis site will now serve as the temporary home for students and staff of schools that are receiving seismic upgrades. We are working on a number of seismic projects, including Victoria High, so we are incredibly fortunate to now have S.J. Willis designated as a swing space.”

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