



The Grad Class of 2025 starting their final year at The Rock and The Class of 2030, just starting their road to graduation. My annual selfie before the official yearbook photo.







The annual principal selfie before this year's staff group photo. We are all looking forward to meeting you at the Meet the Teacher Open House next Thursday, September 11 starting at 5:00pm.



A fantastic Welcome to The Rock BBQ lunch for our new Ravens - The Class of 2030 brought to you by Mr. Baker, Mr. Thomson, Mr. Kolkea and the Gr. 10 mentors.









## SEPTEMBER EVENTS

New & Grade 8 Families Pancake Breakfast

7:30 - 8:30am in Cafeteria

SEP 5

Rockridge Meet the Teacher & Open House

5:00 - 7:30pm

SEP 11

First ROPAC Meeting of the Year

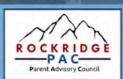
6:30 - 7:45pm Learning Commons 16

DPAC Parent Event: Dr. Graeme Mitchell Creating Schools of Hope and Possibility

Creating Schools of Hope and Possibility
7:00pm at Kay Meek Theatre

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Save the Dates!





## Dr. Graeme Mitchell

Harnessing Hope: Reframing How Our Children See the World

Join us for an evening with Dr. Graeme Mitchell award-winning educator and global speaker—who is transforming how we raise and teach the next generation.

In his keynote, Harnessing Hope, Dr. Mitchell explores how fear-based messages—especially on social media—shape our children's outlook, and how fact-based optimism, storytelling and connection can shift it. Drawing on two decades of classroom experience, he offers parents practical tools to foster confidence, curiosity and hope at home.

Tuesday, September 23

6:30 - 8:00 PM

Location

KAY MEEK THEATRE 1700 MATHERS AVE WEST VANCOUVER

What You will Gain From This Evening



## Understand

Learn how media inputs are shaping your child's mindset and motivation from industry leaders and practical knowledge to the workshop.



## Learn

strategies to replace fear with fact and pessimism with possibility.



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