

# The Titan Tribune

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Vice-Principal



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Mrs. Suderman local: 1000  
Mrs. Swadden local: 1001  
Mrs. Mangat local: 1002

**Counselor:**

Mr. Abernethy local: 1107

**One-to-One program:**

David Ennis local: 1120



## Principal's Message

I would like to take this time to congratulate our graduates of 2008 for a job well done this year as you bring your High School education to a close and focus on the future. We are proud of your efforts and hard work that brought you to this point and wish you much success and enriching experiences as you pursue your careers. Also thanks goes out to the Teachers and Parents involved in a successful, safe and enjoyable Convocation, Lock in, and Dinner-Dance. Much planning and hard work went in to make a successful and memorable occasion for our graduates and their families. As we come into a crucial time with reviews and provincial and school based exams within the district, it's essential to know that continued focus this week is important. Please find an exam schedule attached for your information.

As report cards will be issued on June 27<sup>th</sup> between the hours of 9-11 and 1-3 in the main lobby, please ensure that your student's school fees have been paid and up to date.

Lastly, thanks goes out to Mrs. Strukoff and the PAC parents who hosted our Grade 8 welcome today. Introductions of Administration and Faculty were given followed by a delicious barbeque. Thanks to Mr. Abernethy for hosting the fun events with the Leadership Team. Well done.



**June 11 Sports BBQ**  
**June 12 Band & Choir concert**  
**June 17 Awards Ceremony**  
**June 19 & 20 In School Exams**  
**June 18-26 Provincial Exams**  
**June 27 Year End Closing**

**TITANS**

### NEW UNIFORM SUPPLIER

Please be advised that our uniform supplier is now TEAM GEAR. Uniforms can be purchased directly. They have change rooms and sample sizes available to try on, and are located near the school, at the following address:

TEAM GEAR  
#102 - 31120 Peardonville Road  
Abbotsford, BC V2T 6K7  
Phone: 604-854-0110  
Fax: 604-854-2338  
Web: [www.teamgearsport.com](http://www.teamgearsport.com)





|                              |              |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| <b>Faculty:</b>              |              |
| <b>Dept Heads:</b>           | <b>Local</b> |
| Mr. Fedyna Math/Science      | #3256        |
| Mrs. Neufeldt Humanities     | #3137        |
| Mr. Ennis Perf Arts/Tech     | #1120        |
| Mr. Laity PE                 | #5107        |
| Mr. Abernethy/Student/Ldrshp | #1107        |

|                       |       |
|-----------------------|-------|
| <b>Teaching Staff</b> |       |
| Mr. Barden            | #1103 |
| Mr. Currie            | #3252 |
| Mrs. Faber            | #3256 |
| Ms. Flagg             | #3140 |
| Mr. Friesen           | #3138 |
| Ms. Hunt              | #5107 |
| Mrs. Kehoe            | #3134 |
| Mr. Lane              | #3248 |
| Ms. McColl            | #1116 |
| Mr. Macphail          | #5173 |
| Mrs. Mihalech         | #3240 |
| Mr. Hill              | #3235 |
| Ms. Vandalfsen        | #3136 |
| Mrs. VanKleeck        | #3237 |

|                            |       |
|----------------------------|-------|
| <b>Learning Assistance</b> | #3135 |
| Mrs. Collins               |       |
| Mrs. Hiebert               |       |
| Mrs. Silzer                |       |
| Mrs. Botkin                |       |

|                |       |
|----------------|-------|
| <b>Library</b> | #3152 |
| Ms. Malmas     |       |

|                  |       |
|------------------|-------|
| <b>Cafeteria</b> | #5169 |
| Mrs. Isaak       |       |

|                          |       |
|--------------------------|-------|
| <b>International Rep</b> | #1110 |
| Mr. Kim                  |       |

|                     |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| <b>Youth Worker</b> | #3255 |
| Darlene Rayburn     |       |

Remember: We are on the web!



Please remember to phone the office if your student is going to be late or absent. Thank you!

**Band and Choir Concert**  
**Thursday, June 12**  
**7:00 p.m.**  
**ATSS Gym**



# KUDO'S

*Students from Ms. Van Dalfsen's English classes (last semester and the current semester) entered into Young Writers "2008 Canadian National Short Story Contest". The quality and originality of many of these students' writing is being recognized as approximately 45 students are having their work published in a writing anthology. This is an amazing feat as this is a competitive competition that reviewed thousands of short stories from students spanning all of Western Canada. This is an amazing opportunity for our students to become a published author at a young age. Congratulations everyone!*



## TRACK and FIELD

Congratulations to Katie McPhedran who finished 7th in the Gr. 8/9 Girls 80m Hurdles at the Juvenile Invitational Track and Field Meet on Friday May 31st. Athletes had to meet high entrance standards to qualify for the meet and were drawn from across the province! Katie also qualified to enter the Gr. 8/9 Girls 400m and 200m races, placing 11th and 21st respectively. We look forward to good things in track from Katie next year and congratulation her on her success this year! Go Titans!

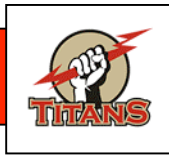
Registering for Summer School (Located at Abbotsford Collegiate) with Mr. Abernethy is now over. The next registration period will be at the School Board Office on June 24, 25, or 26 between the hours of 2 and 7. For more information please contact the Summer School Administration: Principal: Ms. Shelley Maximitch Johnston @ 604-853-3367 Vice Principal: Mr. Dean Fetterly @ 604-853-3367

Registering for Summer School at Abbotsford Virtual School is still open. Registering takes place online at [www.avs34.com](http://www.avs34.com)

*Is your grad heading off to university this fall? Here is a link called "Understanding a Student's First Semester" from the website of St. Francis Xavier University in Nova Scotia. It is only two pages so you may want to print it off and save it for the fall.*

<http://www.stfx.ca/parents/student-first-semester.pdf>





**STUDENT FEE PAYMENT NEEDED:**

Please ensure that your child's Activity Fee of \$30.00 is up to date. This fee is to cover costs of student agenda's, guest speakers, student cards, school events, student recognition, student leadership, lock and locker rental. If payment has not been paid, please have your child bring cash/cheque to the office ASAP to update records. For further questions, please contact Mrs. Mangat, Accounting Clerk. Available: Mon, Tue, Wed from 9:00am-1:00pm). *Thank you for your co-operation.*

**How to Access your student's marks.**

Use our atss.ca website for easy access to your student's marks and missing assignments. Simply log onto atss.ca and select "Online Marks", there you will see the teachers "Classwords" for your student's individual classes. There is a direct link to mygradebook where you will enter the classword and your student's 9-digit PEN number. This can be accessed at any time and is a great way for parents to stay aware of their student's academic progress. If you are unaware of your student's PEN number, simply call the school's office and our secretaries will be glad to give it to you.

Computer Help Schedule  
2007-08 Semester Two

Location: Room S120  
Teachers: Mr. Macphail and Mr. Ennis

Monday  
After School

Tuesday  
Lunch  
Block A1 Period 4  
After School

Wednesday  
Block B1 Period 1  
Block A2 Period 5  
After School

Thursday  
Block B1 Period 4

Friday  
Block A2 Period 1  
Block B2 Period 2  
Lunch  
After School

Note - Students will need teacher permission during class time.

**Project Help Mexico 2009**

**Interested in the Spring Break Trip to Mexico?**  
**Willing to spend a week of humanitarian services?**

Project Help Mexico is a building program organized by Childcare Worldwide. Teams of volunteers fundraise and then build homes for families living near Tijuana, Mexico. Families are chosen from the Childcare Worldwide Sponsorship Program based on need.

If you are interested in participate in this trip, see Mrs. Yankov (room C141) and ask her for an application form.



**Auditions for Abbotsford Children's Theatre will be held on June 7, 2008 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Matsqui Centennial Auditorium. These auditions will replace the September dates. Appointments are to be booked prior to June 2 at: [acttheatre@hotmail.com](mailto:acttheatre@hotmail.com) or by calling Brenda at 604-504-7727 with your name and phone number. To audition students must be between the ages of 8 and 18 years.**

**Week-long Summertime Fun with XploreSportZ Camps**

10 sports in 5 days! Fill your summer with fun and adventure when you join an XploreSportZ day camp and discover your athlete within. Guided by certified coaches, these camps are the perfect opportunity to try out a variety of new sports like archery, luge, speed skating, fencing, water polo and much, much, more.

Who: Boys and Girls 7-12 years old

When: July 14 - 18, July 28 - August 1, August 18 - 22

Where: Abbotsford - MRC or Ag Rec Gallery

Cost: \$140/week and \$10 discount for a 2<sup>nd</sup> child.

To register, call Pacific Sport at 604-557-4021 or email [fraservalley@pacificsport.com](mailto:fraservalley@pacificsport.com)



South Poplar Traditional Elementary School

invites you  
to our...

# Spring Fun Fair

Friday,  
June 6, 2008  
5:00-8:00pm

Food ~ Games ~ Face painting ~ Prizes ~ Silent Auction ~ MORE!

**WRISTBANDS** (good for all games, all night) will be sold at the door for \$12 per person. You can pre-book your wristbands by emailing [rbszmutko@shaw.ca](mailto:rbszmutko@shaw.ca) and then will pay \$10 at the door instead of \$12. (no individual tickets will be sold.)

| Academic Completion Program |  |                                 |
|-----------------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| Date                        | Time                                   | Location                        |
| July 7 - August 1, 2008     | 8:00 a.m. - 1:05 p.m.                  | Abbotsford Collegiate           |
| Academic Upgrading Program  |  |                                 |
| July 7 - August 1, 2008     | Block 1:<br>8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.     | Abbotsford Collegiate           |
|                             | Block 2:<br>10:35 a.m. - 1:05 p.m.     | 2329 Crescent Way               |
| Self-Paced Program          |  |                                 |
| July 7 - August 1, 2008     | Mon. - Thurs.<br>9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | Abbotsford Continuing Education |
|                             | Friday<br>9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.       | (ACE)<br>2606 Alliance Street   |
| English Language Training   |  |                                 |
| Date                        | Time                                   | Location                        |
| July 7 - August 1, 2008     | 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.                 | Abbotsford Collegiate           |

For more information, please visit our web-site @ [abbynet.sd34.bc.ca/~summerschool](http://abbynet.sd34.bc.ca/~summerschool)  
Or contact:

Principal: Ms. Shelley Maximitch Johnston  
(604) 853-3367 EXT 3101

Vice Principal: Mr. Dean Fetterly  
(604) 853-3367 EXT 3210

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

All Academic Summer School Programs are open for registration :

May 19 - 30, 2008

All SD #34 students, including SD #34 International students, register with their home school counsellors.

June 24, 25, & 26, 2008\*  
2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

GENERAL REGISTRATION for non- and late SD #34 students (if space available)

SD #34 SCHOOL BOARD OFFICE  
2790 Tims St.

July 2, 2008\*

9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

LATE REGISTRATION for non- and late SD #34 students (if space available)

ABBOTSFORD COLLEGIATE  
2329 Crescent Way  
604-853-0286

\*To register, students must bring their most recent report card and counsellor recommendation form.

Registration will only occur during the designated dates and times listed above.



## SD No.34 (Abbotsford) Secondary Academic Summer School 2008

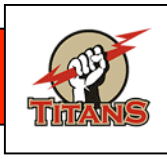
July 7 - August 1





## School District 34 Provincial + District Exams Schedule June 2008

| Mon June 16 | Tues June 17 | Wed June 18   | Thurs June 19   | Fri June 20  |
|-------------|--------------|---|---|--|
|             |              | <p>AM 8:30-11:30<br/>must stay 10:00am<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b>Provincial:</b><br/>English 10<br/>BC First Nations Studies 12</p> <p><b>District:</b><br/><br/>Communications 11<br/>Chemistry 11</p>                     | <p>AM 8:30-11:30<br/>must stay 10:00am<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b>Provincial:</b><br/>Japanese 12<br/>German 12<br/>Punjabi 12<br/>Spanish 12</p> <p><b>District:</b><br/><br/>Physics 11<br/>Francais Langue 9,10, 11<br/>German 9,10,11<br/>Japanese 9, 10, 11<br/>Punjabi 9, 10, 11<br/>Spanish 9, 10, 11</p> | <p>AM 8:30-11:30<br/>must stay 10:00am<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b>Provincial:</b><br/>Social Studies 11<br/>Sciences Humaines 11<br/>English Literature 12</p> <p><b>District:</b><br/><br/>Social Studies 9<br/>Sciences Humaines 9<br/>Social Studies 10<br/>Sciences Humaines 10</p> |
|             |              | <p>PM 12:00-3:00<br/>must stay 2:00 pm<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b>Provincial:</b><br/>Civic Studies 11<br/>English 12</p> <p><b>District:</b><br/>English 9<br/>Math 11 -<br/>Essentials<br/>Applications<br/>Principles</p> | <p>PM 12:00-3:00<br/>must stay 2:00 pm<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b>Provincial:</b><br/>Math 12 -<br/>Applications<br/>Geology 12<br/>Communications 12</p> <p><b>District:</b><br/>English 11<br/>Calculus 12<br/>Math 9 -<br/>Essentials<br/>Applications<br/>Principles</p>                                     | <p>PM 12:00-3:00<br/>must stay 2:00 pm<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b>Provincial:</b><br/>Math 12 – Principles</p> <p><b>District:</b><br/>Science 9<br/>Biology 11<br/>Earth Science 11</p>  |



## School District 34 Provincial + District Exams Schedule June 2008

| Mon June 23   | Tues June 24  | Wed June 25   | Thurs June 26  | June 27 |
|---|---|---|--|---------|
| <p>AM 8:30-11:30<br/>must stay 10:00am<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b><u>Provincial:</u></b><br/><b>Math 10 –</b><br/>Principles<br/>Applications<br/>Essentials</p> <p><b><u>District</u></b></p> | <p>AM 8:30-11:30<br/>must stay 10:00am<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b><u>Provincial:</u></b><br/><b>Science 10</b><br/><b>Geography 12</b></p> <p><b><u>District</u></b></p> | <p>AM 8:30-11:30<br/>must stay 10:00am<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b><u>Provincial:</u></b><br/><b>French 12</b></p> <p><b><u>District</u></b></p>  | <p>AM 8:30-11:30<br/>must stay 10:00am<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b><u>Provincial:</u></b><br/><b>History 12</b></p> <p><b><u>District</u></b></p>  |         |
| <p>PM 12:00-3:00<br/>must stay 2:00 pm<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b><u>Provincial:</u></b><br/><b>Biology 12</b></p> <p><b><u>District</u></b></p>   | <p>PM 12:00-3:00<br/>must stay 2:00 pm<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b><u>Provincial:</u></b><br/><b>Chemistry 12</b></p> <p><b><u>District</u></b></p>                       | <p>PM 12:00-3:00<br/>must stay 2:00 pm<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b><u>Provincial:</u></b><br/><b>Physics 12</b></p> <p><b><u>District</u></b></p> | <p>PM 12:00-3:00<br/>must stay 2:00 pm<br/>for provincial exams)</p> <p><b><u>Provincial:</u></b><br/><b>Mandarin Chinese 12</b><br/><b>Francais Langue 12</b></p> <p><b><u>District</u></b></p> |         |



## REGISTRATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  M  F  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emergency Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

UFV reserves the right to cancel programs should the number of registrants be insufficient.  
 Please check the box if you would like to be notified of any future UFV camp programs:

| Camp Code | Dates | Cost |
|-----------|-------|------|
|           |       |      |
|           |       |      |

Total Cost: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size (Unisex):  
 Small  Medium  Large  XL

### METHOD OF PAYMENT

Cash  Cheque  Credit Card

Visa/MasterCard #: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## CAMP SCHEDULES

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| <b>GIRLS BASKETBALL (Envision Athletic Centre)</b>      |                   |
| Date: August 5-9 (Tue-Sat)                              | Cost: \$125       |
| Grades: 9-12  | Time: 6pm-9pm     |
| Camp Code: WBB  |                   |
| <b>BOYS BASKETBALL (Envision Athletic Centre)</b>       |                   |
| Date: August 11-15 (Mon-Fri)                            | Cost: \$180       |
| Grades: 6-9   | Time: 9am-12pm    |
| Grades: 10-12   | Time: 1pm-4pm     |
| Camp Codes: MBB1 (Grades 6-9)<br>MBB2 (Grades 10-12)    |                   |
| <b>ROWING (Fort Langley Rowing and Paddling Centre)</b> |                   |
| Dates: July 21-25 (Mon-Fri) OR August 18-22 (Mon-Fri)   | Cost: \$125       |
| Time: 9:30am-12:00pm                                    | Grades: 9-12      |
| Camp Codes: ROW1 (July 21-25)<br>ROW2 (August 18-22)    |                   |
| <b>GIRLS SOCCER (Bateman Park)</b>                      |                   |
| Date: August 25-28 (Mon-Thurs)                          | Cost: \$100       |
| Ages: 7-12  | Time: 9:30am-12pm |
| Camp Code: WSO  |                   |
| <b>BOYS SOCCER (Bateman Park)</b>                       |                   |
| Date: August 25-28 (Mon-Thurs)                          | Cost: \$100       |
| Ages: 7-12  | Time: 9:30am-12pm |
| Camp Code: MSO  |                   |
| <b>GIRLS VOLLEYBALL (Envision Athletic Centre)</b>      |                   |
| Date: August 18-22 (Mon-Fri)                            | Cost: \$125       |
| Grades: 7-9   | Time: 10am-1pm    |
| Grades: 10-12   | Time: 2pm-5pm     |
| Camp Codes: WVB1 (Grades 7-9)<br>WVB2 (Grades 10-12)    |                   |
| <b>BOYS VOLLEYBALL (Student Activity Centre)</b>        |                   |
| Date: August 27-30 (Wed-Sat)                            | Cost: \$125       |
| Grades: 8-10  | Time: 9am-12pm    |
| Grades: 11-12   | Time: 1pm-4pm     |
| Camp Codes: MVB1 (Grades 7-9)<br>MVB2 (Grades 10-12)    |                   |

Please wear appropriate gym attire and bring snacks and water.



## 2008 Cascades Summer Sport Camps

Learn to play the Cascades way!



For more information please visit:  
[www.ucfv.ca/athletics](http://www.ucfv.ca/athletics)  
 or contact Andrew Meadwell  
 at (604) 504-7441 ext. 4449

Parent Newsletter Insert: June 2008

### What's In Your Drink?



Summer is coming and that means some long hot days are in store ... and some thirsty kids! We often give our kids beverages without thinking too much about what they contain. But when you look carefully at some favourite thirst quenchers you will be startled to discover that many are laden with sugar and offer little else in the way of nutrition.

| Beverage                 | Size                  | Amount of Sugar (tsp) | Any Other Nutrition?              |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Milk                     | 1 glass (250 mL)      | 3                     | Yes, protein, vitamins & minerals |
| Starbucks Caffe Latte    | Tall (12 oz)          | 4                     | Yes, protein, vitamins & minerals |
| Chocolate Milk           | Small Carton (250 mL) | 7                     | Yes, protein, vitamins & minerals |
| 100% Juice               | Juice Box (200 mL)    | 6                     | Yes, vitamins & minerals          |
| Fruit Flavoured Beverage | Juice Box (200 mL)    | 6                     | None                              |
| Red Bull                 | 1 can (250 mL)        | 6                     | Contains 80 mg caffeine per can   |
| Tim Horton's Iced Capp   | Small (10 oz)         | 8                     | Some protein, vitamins & minerals |
| Starbucks Coffee Frapp   | Tall (12 oz)          | 8                     | Some minerals (calcium, sodium)   |
| Sunny D®                 | 250 ml                | 8½                    | None                              |
| Pop (Non-Diet)           | 1 can (355 mL)        | 10                    | None                              |
| Powerade                 | 1 bottle (710 mL)     | 17                    | Some minerals (electrolytes)      |
| Sobe Fruit Drink         | 1 bottle (600 mL)     | 21                    | Some vitamins & minerals          |
| Slurpee                  | Medium (828 mL)       | 22                    | None                              |
| Super Big Gulp (7/11)    | Large (1.2 L)         | 32                    | None                              |

The best thirst quenchers are water and milk ... encourage your children to opt for these more often.





## In the Driver's Seat

### Workshop for Parents of Teen Drivers

#### Parents can positively impact their teenager's driving

We are all aware of the tragedy that results from car crashes. Too many young lives are lost each year and the injuries to teenagers in these crashes can have devastating and life-long consequences. Yet, the statistics only tell part of the story. *Studies show that when parents take an active role in their teenager's driving education, the teenager's chances of being in a crash can be reduced by up to a third.*



#### Many parents are unaware of the actual risks facing their teenagers

As parents, we want to do the right thing. But, despite our best intentions, when it comes to driving, a recent study shows there may be more that we as parents can do to prepare our teenagers to be safe drivers and passengers. *(The Allstate Foundation, Teen Driving Program)*

- Almost 60 % of parents delay having conversations about safe driving with their teenagers.
- Many think their own teenagers are immune to the risks of car crashes. While less than one-third of parents believe that teens are good drivers, 88 % of parents trust their own teen to drive safely.
- Almost all parents believe in the importance of demonstrating positive driving attitudes and behaviours and yet most admit to engaging in risky driving behaviours while their teens are in the car: talking on a cell phone while driving; operating other electronic devices; even breaking the driving laws.
- Many parents are unfamiliar with driver licensing laws and the real risks teenagers face as new drivers, and also as passengers in vehicles driven by their friends

#### The BCAA Traffic Safety Foundation is helping parents

We're helping BC parents help their teenagers become safer drivers and passengers. Increasingly, parents are turning to [www.TeenDrivers.ca](http://www.TeenDrivers.ca) for practical resources to help them manage their teenager's learning-to-drive experience. Our workshop, *In the Driver's Seat*, provides parents with tools and support. Attend a workshop:

- Learn the real risks facing teenage drivers and their passengers.
- Find out how to communicate with your teenager about safe driving.
- Discuss how to establish driving rules and consequences for your teenage driver through the use of a family driving contract.
- Obtain practical tools to use in managing your teenager's driver education.

#### For more information or to book a workshop

Call us at 1-877-297-2254

Write to us at [TeenDrivers@BCAA.com](mailto:TeenDrivers@BCAA.com)

See next page for  
facts about teenagers  
and crashes





## Teenagers and Crashes – The Facts

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### Car crashes – the number one cause of death among teenagers

#### 16 to 20 year olds in BC car crashes

44 are killed each year.

Over 70 % of those killed are male.

Thousands more are injured, many are injured seriously.

*(BC Traffic Collision Statistics – averages)*

#### New drivers in BC car crashes

Drivers in the novice stage of the Graduated Licensing program (GLP) are over-represented in crashes. They are almost 45 % more likely to be involved in a crash than experienced drivers.

*(ICBC website, www.icbc.com)*

Crashes among new drivers tend to be more severe. One in four crashes involving GLP drivers results in an injury or fatality. *(ICBC website, www.icbc.com)*

#### Teenage drivers are overrepresented in car crashes and fatalities

16 to 20 year olds represent 6.5 % of all licensed drivers in BC, but they account for 13.4 % of all drivers involved in a crash. *(BC Traffic Collision Statistics – averages)*

Drivers 16 to 19 years of age in Canada have a fatality rate more than four times as high as that of drivers aged 25 to 34 and nine times as high as that of drivers aged 45 to 54.

*(Reducing the Crash Risk for Young Drivers. Traffic Injury Research Foundation for the AAA Foundation.)*

#### Teenage drivers put other road users at risk when they crash

Only 36 % of those killed in crashes involving 15 to 17-year old drivers are the teenage driver themselves. 64% of those killed are others, including:

- 32 % are passengers in the teenage driver's vehicle.
- 24 % are occupants of other vehicles.
- 8 % are pedestrians, bicyclists and other road users.

*(Reducing the Crash Risk for Young Drivers. Traffic Injury Research Foundation for the AAA Foundation.)*

#### Teenage passengers are particularly at risk

Canadian teenagers 15 to 19 years old represent less than 7 % of the total population. BUT, they represent over 19 % of all passenger fatalities and 20 % of all serious injuries to passengers in Canada.

*(Canadian Motor Vehicle Traffic Collision Statistics: 2005. Transport Canada.)*



## *Abbotsford Soccer Association Registration*

2008 Summer and Fall/Winter

### **June 15, 2008 Deadline Is Fast Approaching!**

*The Abbotsford Soccer Association provides programs for players of all ages.*

*Our Wee Kickers Summer programs offer the opportunity for children born in 2003 and older to get started in the most popular game in the world.*

*Our club also allows players of all ages the chance to play at their level of ability, recreational and competitive. Our goal is to provide all individuals the chance to play soccer. This year's registration deadline is June 15<sup>th</sup>. The deadline is necessary to allow us to organize teams, coordinate coaches, and plan for the coming season.*

*Interested? Go to [www.abbotsfordsoccer.com](http://www.abbotsfordsoccer.com) and follow the links to registration.*

*Questions? Just call 604.859.3033 for more information.*

**Abbotsford Soccer Association.....*promoting soccer***