

Elliot Cleveland Eurchuk

It is with a heavy, heavy heart that we make the announcement of the passing of our son, Elliot Cleveland Eurchuk. He was Brock Eurchuk and Rachel Staples oldest son and was just short of 17 years old. Born on July 11, 2001, Elliot died peacefully on April 20, 2018 in Victoria, BC.

Elliot endured terrible difficulties over the past two years. He was confronted with challenges that no child should have to endure. In 2017 Elliot had 4 surgical procedures and was prescribed opioids around every surgery even though his parents requested alternatives. During February 2018 Elliot was back in the hospital for 3 weeks for an infection – again opioids were used for pain management. At 16 the Health Care system granted Elliot full autonomy to direct his medical treatment while specifically having his parents excluded from this information. This policy needs to be reviewed. Parents need to participate in their child's health care.



Elliot had a sharp wit. His sense of humour was far beyond his short years. He loved rugby, soccer, boxing, hiking, good food, travelling and he was an avid reader.

He greatly valued his friendships and approached friends with sincere consideration and genuine kindness. He read more books in his short life, than Brock and Rachel put together! He loved chemistry and had hopes of pursuing a career in medicine. For those of us lucky enough to really know Elliot, you knew he would give the shirt off his back to help you. As a sportsman he showed strong leadership abilities.

We will all miss bright, quirky, funny sporty Elliot. We love
you son.

Rest in Peace and breath easy.
Mom, Dad, Isaac, Oliver, Abbey and Sydney

Elliot was loved so dearly by his Grampa and Grandma Staples
and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

A Service to Celebrate Elliot's Life will be held on Saturday,
April 28, 2018 at 11:00 am in the Sequoia Centre at McCall
Gardens, 4665 Falaise Drive, Victoria, BC, with Pastor Bob
Opperman officiating. Cremation. Refreshments will follow the
service.

Please email your thoughts, memories and photos of Elliot to
about.elliott.eurchuk@gmail.com

Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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