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<p><b><u>GRADS - IMPORTANT</u></b>    Ms. Panesar</p> <p>Names of grade 12s eligible for                      Gold Cord                      Honour Roll                      Honour Roll with Distinction                      Work Ethic</p> <p>for the School Leaving Ceremony are posted on Ms. Panesar's door, room 210.  <u>Please verify these lists</u> for accuracy and see Ms. Panesar if there are any issues.</p>	<p><b><u>GRADS - IMPORTANT</u></b>    Ms. Panesar</p> <p>Reminder to pay your \$75 School Leaving Ceremony fee to the office/online asap.                      Without your fees paid, you will <b>not</b> be ordered a cap/gown and <b>will not</b> be able to attend the ceremony.                      Also, if you have not filled out a form requiring your height and the phonetic pronunciation of your name, see Ms. Panesar, room 210 asap.  <i>(If you do not have an English/Communication 12 class, this would likely be you)</i></p>
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TIME LINE	
	<b>FYI:</b> Ms. Ellis Any student <b>NOT FINISHED COURSE SELECTION</b> for next year, <b>PLEASE GO TO STUDENT SERVICES TO CHOOSE YOUR COURSES.</b>
	<b><u>BOOKMARK CONTEST WINNERS:</u></b> Ms. Williams Congratulations to all bookmark entries - they are all fantastic. The winners this year are: Grade 8/9: 1st place - Anna Yun, 2nd place - David Weng. Grade 10-12: 1st place - Kaylie Au, 2nd place - Emanuele Piras Please come to the library to pick up your prizes.
April 8  	<b><u>SAMOSA ORDERS</u></b> Ms. Basran Freshly made vegetarian samosas are being sold again! These delicious snacks can be eaten right away or frozen for later use. One order of 20 samosas costs \$20. Please place orders and make payment through School Cash Online using your child's student number. Alternatively, pay through cash or cheque (Payable to Burnaby Mountain Secondary) to Ms. Basran (room 321) or Ms. O'Reilly (314).  Order Deadline:     Wednesday, April 8 Order Pickup:        Thursday, April 16 at 3:00pm in room 321
Apr 9	<b><u>EURO TRIP</u></b> Ms. Moreno Anyone interested in going to Europe for the 2016 Spring break trip and also to participants that have already signed up. Please attend a very important meeting on Thursday April 9 <sup>th</sup> @ lunch in Room 204. Everyone that has already signed up must attend.
Apr 10 	<b><u>FYI:</u></b> Ms. Deitch Grade 12's-please check Exit Interview list outside the door of 218. All work must be <b>handed in by Friday, April 10th</b> or you will not be getting an Exit Interview therefore NOT graduating.
Apr 16 <b>Due Date</b> 	<b><u>INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS - VICTORIA TRIP</u></b> Ms. Dharsee If you are interested in going to Victoria on Monday April 27th, please see Ms. Dharsee (Room 324) or Ms. Demelo (Gym Office). Package Options include the Royal BC Museum (\$96) and Butchart Gardens (\$116). Registration deadline, including payment, is Thursday April 16th. You can also check out the International Student Website to download the forms.
Apr 16	<div> <div>                     Come out to Burnaby Mountain's Annual Trivia Night on Thursday April 16<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in Gym 1.                       Form teams of up to 5 people for your chance to win great prizes!                 </div> <div>     </div> <div>                     Forms can be picked up &amp; dropped off in room 320.                       The team entrance fee of \$25 can be paid on the night of the event.                       All proceeds go toward building a well in rural China                 </div> </div>

<div>Apr 22-24</div> <div></div>	<div><b>ONCE UPON A MATTRESS</b> Ms. Rudolp</div> <div>In a little while, just a little while, Once Upon a Mattress will come to the Michael J Fox theatre between April 22-24th.</div> <div>Get your tickets soon! We are selling them outside the drama room at lunch.</div> <div>Tickets are \$15 for students and \$20 for adults.</div> <div>Matinee tickets for the 22nd are only \$10; if you want to go, pick up a form at the table to get them signed by your teachers.</div> <div></div>
<div>Apr 24, 25</div>	<div></div> <div><b>CANCER ALL-NIGHTER 2015!</b> Mr. Rolph</div> <div>It's a BMSS tradition. It's a great cause. It's a party with a purpose! Our Cancer All-Nighter is an overnight event. Spend the night at the school playing games, enjoying activities, watching movies, snacking and having a good time. To be part of this event, you must raise a minimum of \$75 in pledges. The All-Nighter begins at 7pm on Friday April 24<sup>th</sup> and runs to 7am on Saturday April 25<sup>th</sup>. Help us maintain a tradition of supporting this great cause that dates back to 2001 and have a great time doing it. Permission forms, pledge sheets and information packages are available in Mr. Rolph's room (213).</div>
<div>Apr 30</div> <div></div>	<div><b>FYI:</b> Ms. Deitch</div> <div>All students: Volunteer hours for Service Awards are <b>DUE no later than 3 pm April 30th. to Room 218.</b> Must have between 50 plus hours to be considered for an award. Please print your name, give your grade and student number.</div>
	<div></div> <div><b><u>STUDENT SERVICES</u></b> Ms. Ellis</div> <div>Are you looking for <b>SERVICE HOURS</b> to promote your resume or applications?</div> <div>The Student Services Department is looking for volunteers.</div> <div>Please contact Ms. Ellis at <a href="mailto:Jackie.ellis@sd41.bc.ca">Jackie.ellis@sd41.bc.ca</a> or come to the center and let Ms. Ellis know when the best time for you to volunteer is.</div>
<div></div>	<div><b>REMINDER:</b> Ms. Lewis</div> <div>Keep Fit is every Tuesday after school from 3:10-4:10pm in the weight room. All girls in grades 8-12 are welcome.</div>
	<div><b><u>ABORIGINAL HOMEWORK HELP!</u></b> Ms. Corewyn</div> <div>Need help with your homework? Having trouble with a course? Come get help with your school work at lunch time, Monday – Friday in the Career Centre.</div>

SCHOOL GOALS:

GOAL #1 **Literacy:** to improve students' reading for comprehension with a focus on *finding the main ideas* and *note-making* at the Grade 8 and 9 levels.

GOAL #2 **Healthy Living:** to increase student awareness, understanding, and practice of healthy living.