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TIME LINE	
	<u>ATTENTION ALL FIRST AID STUDENTS:</u> Ms. Smith The new first aid attendant schedule has been posted in the first aid room. Please check the schedule and see Ms. Smith in room 320 (Day 1 only) if there are conflicts in your schedule. Also, there will be a MANDATORY first aid meeting for all NEW first aid attendants in room 320 at lunch on Thursday, April 16th. This will be an orientation session, so please plan to spend the duration of your lunch hour in the meeting, and bring a pen and paper to make some notes. Students will not be permitted to participate on the first aid team until they have attended the orientation.
	<u>HOPING TO GET A SERVICE AWARD THIS YEAR?</u> Ms. Manning Need a few more service hours before the April 30 deadline? Come to the Career Centre to sign up for local volunteer opportunities at Forest Grove Elementary and Stoney Creek Elementary.
	<u>CONVERSATION CLUB</u> Ms. Basran Any students interested in becoming volunteers for a conversation club for ELL learners, please see Ms. Basran (room 321) this week. Thank you!
	<u>ALL MATHCHALLENGERS</u> Ms. Fulop There is an IMPORTANT meeting on Wednesday April 15 at the beginning of lunch in Room #303. All members must attend; there will be a presentation and team photos. Please bring your team t-shirt.
	<u>CONGRATULATIONS</u> Ms. Fulop BMSS MathChallengers team went on to compete in the Provincial Finals at SFU last Saturday. Schools from all over BC came to compete in this Math competition. Our awesome team came in 2nd place in the province! Congratulations MathChallengers!
	<u>May Work Experience/Volunteer Opportunities:</u> Ms. Gingras <ol style="list-style-type: none">Bard on the Beach – Volunteers needed to work as Greeters, Ushers, Ticket Takers, Concession and Events – minimum 16 years of age – deadline this Friday, April 17Tri Kids Triathlon Series – seeking volunteers on Sunday, May 31, 2015 – all dayPNE Youth Council – seeking senior students to be a part of a leadership committee – deadline May 1, 2015 <u>Summer Work Experience/Volunteer Opportunities:</u> If you are interested in working with children this summer, we have several opportunities to volunteer and/or gain work experience hours this summer: <ol style="list-style-type: none">SFU Summer Camps – Recreation, Sports, Art, Computers, Outdoors, Aquatic, ELL, Mini University, Glee – Deadline is April 24UBC Gearing UP! – Mastermind Leadership Program and/or Science, Engineering & Technology Camps for ChildrenCity of Burnaby Parks and Recreation – Camps at various locations – Sports, Arts, Recreation, Playgrounds, etc.SFU Aquatics – Volunteers needed to assist with swimming lessons for various ages – volunteers must have AWSI Certification – great experience for a student who wants to gain employment in aquatics.Place Des Arts – Summer Art Camps with kids of all ages –Burquitlam areaArt Space – Summer Art Camps with kids of all ages – North Burnaby areaBurnaby School District Summer International Students Mentorship Program – seeking volunteers to mentor new international students – Burnaby North and Byrne Creek Secondary School locations -for students interested in supporting ELL studentsBelcarra Regional Park Beach keeper – Summer Program for students interested in marine sciences – involves scientific data collection and public education – weekends throughout the summer – 16 years of age For all of these, please come to the Career Centre as soon as possible for more information.
	<u>HOTEL AND EVENT MANAGEMENT OPEN HOUSE</u> Ms. Manning Interested in a career in event management or the hotel or tourism industry? The Hotel and Event Management Industry Training Program is holding an open house Tuesday April 21 from 1 -2:30. This four course credit program runs right here at Burnaby Mountain. Come to the Career Centre to find out how to attend this information session.
	<u>REMINDER FOR ALL GIRLS IN DANCE, PE, & ATHLETICS</u> Don't forget to take your lock off the locker you use for PE, Dance, & Athletics in the Girls changing room.
Apr 14,15	<u>TRACK & FIELD</u> Mr. Ryan It is not too late to join! Sign up for meet #4 in front of the Athletics office on Tuesday and Wednesday for the meet at New West on Thursday.
Apr 15 Due Date 	<u>INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS</u> Ms. Demelo We are planning a field trip for International Students to the Extreme Air Park (indoor trampoline centre). We will then go to a restaurant for lunch. Transportation will be provided. This trip is planned for Thursday May 12th. Bus pick up at 8:15am, trampolining from 9:30-11am, and lunch at 11:30am. You will return to school around 1pm. PLEASE SEE MS. DEMELO BY WEDNESDAY APRIL 15 TO SIGN UP Once the trip has been confirmed next week, you will need to pick up field trip forms from Ms. Demelo (PE Office) or Ms.

	Dharsee (Room 324).		
<div>Apr 16</div> <div>Due Date</div> 	INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS - VICTORIA TRIP 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.		
<div>Apr 16</div> 	Come out to Burnaby Mountain's Annual Trivia Night on Thursday April 16 th at 7pm in Gym 1. Form teams of up to 5 people for your chance to win great prizes!		Forms can be picked up & 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>Apr 17</div> 	BMSS TERRY FOX RUN: Mr. Rolph On April 12, 1980 Terry Fox dipped his artificial leg in the Atlantic Ocean and started running West, marking the beginning of his attempt to run across Canada to raise awareness and money for cancer research. He said, "It took cancer to realize that being self-centered is not the way to live. The answer is to try and help others." This year marks the 35 th anniversary of the Marathon of Hope. We at BMSS will be running on April 17 th . However, our goal is to raise \$1 for every student at Mountain. Donations will be collected during period 6 on April 13, 15 and 17 th . Let's help keep Terry's legacy alive: "Even if I don't finish, we need others to continue. It's got to keep going without me."		
<div>Apr 20</div>	STUDENT COUNCIL PRESIDENT CAMPAIGN WEEK: Mr. Rolph Campaigns begin Monday April 13 and run until Monday April 20 th to see who will be your student council president and vice-president for next school year. Look for Antony Shiu, Yura Choi, Sophia Avelino and June Lee as they campaign for your vote. Who will you choose to be your student council president in 2015-2016? Voting takes place Monday April 20 th at lunch in the Multipurpose room.		
<div>Apr 24</div>	INTRAMURAL HOCKEY Mr. Davis The 2015 BMSS Intramural Hockey Season will start May 1st. Registration forms are on the PE office door. Sign up must be completed by Friday April 24. There will be a Junior and a Senior Division. If you have any questions, see Mr. Davis in the PE office.		
<div>Apr 24</div> 	CANCER ALL-NIGHTER: Mr. Rolph April 24 th is our party with a purpose! Pizza, games, open gym, movies, video games and more! Help the Canadian Cancer Society by raising the minimum \$75 for to participate at this annual tradition at Mountain and help the society fund lifesaving research and support services for those touched by the disease. Permission forms and pledge sheets are available in room 213. Return your forms and pledges to room 213 on either April 14 or April 20 th to confirm your participation. Spaces are limited so it is a first come first served basis)		
<div>Apr 22-24</div> 	ONCE UPON A MATTRESS Ms. Rudolph In a little while, just a little while, Once Upon a Mattress will come to the Michael J Fox theatre between April 22-24th. Get your tickets soon! We are selling them outside the drama room at lunch. Tickets are \$15 for students and \$20 for adults. 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>Apr 30</div> 	FYI: Ms. Deitch All students: Volunteer hours for Service Awards are DUE no later than 3 pm April 30th. To Room 218. Must have between 50 plus hours to be considered for an award. Please print your name, give your grade and student number.		
	YOGA.YOGA.YOGA Ms. Demelo 5 classes only \$10.00 Thursday's 3:15-4:15pm April 30, May 7,14,21,28 Location – DANCE ROOM Sign up – PE OFFICE		
	STUDENT SERVICES Ms. Ellis Are you looking for SERVICE HOURS to promote your resume or applications? The Student Services Department is looking for volunteers. Please contact Ms. Ellis at Jackie.ellis@sd41.bc.ca or come to the center and let Ms. Ellis know when the best time for you to volunteer is.		
	REMINDER: Ms. Lewis Keep Fit is every Tuesday after school from 3:10-4:10pm in the weight room. All girls in grades 8-12 are welcome.		
	ABORIGINAL HOMEWORK HELP! Ms. Corewyn 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.		

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.