





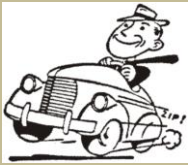

	<div> This Week's First Aid Attendant is: Alternate is: </div> <div> (Ms. Lee) </div>
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TIME LINE	
	<b>BOYS SOCCER:</b> Mr.Ryan There will be a meeting on Monday, Sept 21st at lunch in gym 2 to see if there are enough Jr's and Sr's for a team.
	<b>Work Experience for Grade 11s and 12s at the Vancouver Opera!</b> Mr. Salvatore Interested in getting a backstage view of what goes into an opera production? This immersive experience will provide you with the opportunity to meet and work alongside professional artists and administrators throughout the final stages of producing a show for the main stage. You will work with mentors from all departments within Vancouver Opera with a personalized experience based on your interests and potential career goals. The objective of this program is to introduce students to the collaborative work environment and professional approach required in the performing arts as well as a beginning experience with project management in the arts. The program culminates with the students attending the final dress rehearsal in advance of opening night. Applications are being accepted for Madama Butterfly and Evita. Come to the Career Centre to find out more about this unique opportunity!
	<b>2016 BOOK OF MEMORIES:</b> Ms. Lee The annual members have started to capture candid shots of students and staffs around the school. Our theme is ... You will find out on the last day of school. There are limited copies to purchase and spaces to get your name personalized. Yearbooks are on SALE for ONLY \$60.00. It can be purchased through ONLINE or visit the office. (Ms. Lee)  <b>GRAD 2016</b> Submit you and your friends' best Instagram photos in the Yearbook. There are 20 spaces are available and it is going fast! You can reserve a space through Ms. Lee (Image submission deadline is Dec 10, 2015)
SEPT 19 & 26	<b>VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES</b> Ms. Manning River Fest : New West Quay - Sat. Sept. 19 & 26 – various shifts Stoney Creek Elementary BBQ : Wed. Sept. 23 4:00 – 8:00pm Korean Community Day Festival : North Road Korean Mall – Sat. Sept. 26 9am – 5pm (lunch included) For more info, and to sign up, come to the Career Centre.
SEPT 21,22,23,24	<b>KICK OFF WEEK IS HERE</b> Mr. Rolph From September 21 <sup>st</sup> to the 24 <sup>th</sup> , there will be a bunch of cool stuff going on right at BMSS, come and check it out! <b>Monday:</b> Performances in the Lower commons <b>Tuesday:</b> School spirit Day! Wear out school colours or any Mountain gear and enjoy the photo booth! <b>Wednesday:</b> Clubs Day in the Lower commons <b>Thursday:</b> Grad BBQ It will be a great week so make sure to check it out!
SEPT 21	<b>BMSS NOW HAS A FULL-CREDIT ORCHESTRA CLASS!</b> Mr. Dudley If you would like to participate in the Block 3 Orchestra class, OR participate in the Monday afterschool Orchestra class, please see Mr. Dudley in the Band room (Rm 109). The first afterschool Orchestra rehearsal is on Monday, September 21st at 3:10 pm. Please come if you are interested!
SEPT 21	<b>VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY WITH BURNABY PUBLIC LIBRARY</b> Mr. Salvatore This fall Burnaby Public Library is offering a Reading Buddies Program that pairs teens with children in grades 2 to 4. The teens will assist children in reading practice at the Tommy Douglas library (7311 Kingsway); the fall program runs Tuesdays, November 3 to December 1, 4:00 pm to 5:30. The deadline to apply for the fall intake is <b>Monday, September 21</b> . Interested students must come pick up an application form in the Career Ctr.
SEPT 22	<b>MANDATORY SCHOLARSHIP MEETING</b> Ms. Martens For all grade 12 students who would like to learn about the scholarship process of Burnaby Mountain. The meeting will be next Tuesday September 22 <sup>nd</sup> at lunch in the Multipurpose Room. Bring your lunch and a friend (or two!) See you then!
SEPT 22,23,24	<b>POPCORN</b> Ms. Douglas Grade 9 council will be selling popcorn at lunch time in the lower commons next <b>Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday</b> . Support your fellow students and enjoy delicious, freshly popped popcorn for only <b>\$1.50, yummm!</b>
SEPT 22	<b>SCHOOL PRIDE DAY: HEY LIONS!</b> Mr. Rolph

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	<p>Show your school pride by wearing your school colours and/or your BMSS gear on Tuesday September 22. Leadership and student council will be out and about with treats looking for our proud Mountain Lions! Celebrate kick off week and a start a great year by showing us that Lion pride!</p>
SEPT 24	<p><b>MATH CLUB IS STARTING UP AGAIN!</b> Ms. Fulop</p> <p>Come and check us out on Club Day. Our first meeting is on Thursday Sept 24 at lunchtime in Room #303. All new members are welcome.</p>
SEPT 24	<div>  </div> <p><b><u>GRADE 8 ACTIVITY DAY</u></b> Ms. Lewis</p> <p><i>Grade 8 Activity Day is on Thursday September 24, 2015. We will be travelling by chartered buses to Langley's Extreme Air Park Indoor Trampoline Park. Please pay \$20 using the School Cash online system and hand in your signed field trip form &amp; waiver to your PE teacher by Friday September 18, 2015.</i></p>
SEPT 24	<p><b>UN CLUB</b> Ms. Moore</p> <p>What's it like to represent a country at the United Nations? What are current topics in international affairs? Are there other students who love global issues?</p> <p>If these are questions you have asked, be sure to check out the Burnaby United Nations Connections Club on Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup>. Network with like-minded students in the district, go on field trips, join Model UN, and speak with global leaders. The first meeting will be at 3:50pm at Burnaby Central in the Main Conference Hall. All grades welcome.</p>
SEPT 25 & 26	<div>  </div> <p><b>FORD DRIVING SKILLS FOR LIFE</b> Ms. Manning</p> <p>FREE one day Driver Training session for New Drivers</p> <p>Ford Canada is offering a <b>free, hands-on</b> training program for newly-licensed drivers to teach them <b>safe driving skills</b> beyond what is taught in standard driver's education programs. This one day program focuses on improving skills in 4 key areas: Hazard Recognition, Vehicle Handling, Space Management and Speed Management. The program is conducted on a closed course with professional instructors as well as law enforcement personnel. The Vancouver Police Department will be administering lessons on the dangers of impaired driving activity. Participants are required to have valid driver's license in order to drive as well as parent/guardian signed media release and waivers.</p> <p>Date and Time: September 25 &amp; 26 Morning session 7:30 AM – 12:00 PM and afternoon session runs from 12:30 PM to 5:00 PM (Students are only required to attend 1 session ) Location : 80 Pacific Boulevard, Vancouver (near BC Place)</p> <p>For more information, and to register go to : <a href="http://www.drivingskillsforlife.ca">www.drivingskillsforlife.ca</a></p>
SEPT 28	<p><b>GRADE 8 REPS FOR STUDENT COUNCIL:</b> Mr. Rolph</p> <p>Are you looking for a great opportunity to get involved at your new school, have fun, make a difference and get to meet a whole crew of amazing people? Student council is looking for two dedicated grade 8s to represent your grade on council. Information and application forms are available from Mr. Rolph in room 213. Deadline to submit applications is Monday September 28th, 2015</p>
	<p><b>GRADE 11 &amp; 12 STUDENTS: WORK EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITY AT BCIT:</b> Ms. Gingras</p> <p>If you are a student who is interested in Radio Arts &amp; Entertainment, Broadcast &amp; Online Journalism or Television &amp; Video Production, BCIT's Broadcast Department is offering an exciting 4 day workshop. Come by the Career Centre for more information.</p>
	<div>  </div> <p><b>BMSS INTRAMURALS STARTS SOON!</b> Mr. Davis</p> <p>Our 2015 Volleyball Intramural League will start on September 28th. Games are played at Lunch in Gym 1. There will be 2 divisions; Grade 8/9 (Junior) and Grade 10/11/12 (Senior). All players and teams are welcome. If you want to play and cannot find a team, see Mr. Davis in the PE office and we can find a team that needs a player. Sign up forms are on the PE Office door. Any questions? See Mr. Davis in the PE office</p>

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