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Student Bulletin

Date: Friday Jan 18th, 2019

Day 1



This Week's First Aid Attendants are: Kevin Lee and Tyler Won

TIMELINE	
Mr. Morton	NUMERACY ASSESSMENT JAN 2122ND Grade 12 Students who are registered to write the Numeracy Assessment have been assigned a date and time to write in computer labs 216 and 217 on January 21st and January 22nd 2019. Students please view your writing date and time by viewing the student lists posted on the windows of the career centre.
NEW	Female Athlete of December: Vera Danilova
Jan 31 Mr. Richardson	Vera has been a tenacious defender and rebounder in the month of December. The team responds to her intense energy on the court. She averages 8 rebounds per game and is responsible for countless turnovers by the opposition due to her resilience and Grit. As a student of the game, she is always responsive to new learnings in basketball and continues to demonstrate much growth in all areas of the game. Come out and support our Sr girls on Senior night Jan 21st at 5:15 pm.
	Male Athlete of December: Maxwell Yuen
	Max Yuen is a member of the Jr Boys Basketball team and is December's male athlete of the month. Max has shown his commitment to the team on and off the court. He embodies what it means to be a student athlete and a team leader. Before practice Max can be found completing his academic requirements and is often surrounded by teammates while doing so. Max sets a great example for all athletes off the court, and this is no different when Max steps on the court. He never misses a practice and is a major contributor to the success of the Jr Boys this year, as they picked up a few injuries. In his teammates absence Max has really stepped up and carried much of the load. His jump shot is lethal and his ability to find an open teammate is what makes him a very effective threat. The Jr boys are a contender for the district banner this year and Max is a major reason why. Exciting times to come this February. Coach of the Month: Mr. Sacilotto
	Mr Saciotto or better know to the BMSS community as "Sach" is December's Coach of the Month. He has committed a tremendous amount of his time toward the Juvenile Girls Basketball Team this year, both in practices and games. Mr. Sacilotto has gone above and beyond for his team and it has not gone unnoticed. He has scheduled numerous exhibition games and has challenged his team by playing junior teams. He is an excellent communicator and relates to his players on an individual level. He keeps practices light and fun, all while incorporating the fundamentals, fitness and structured set play. He always has his players best interest at heart and knows when to push and when to pull back. "You can tell that he cares for all of us and that he has a lot of fun coaching." The Juvenile girls are first in their league are the favourite to bring home the district banner.
NEW	DANCING WITH THE TEACHER IS COMING BACK!
	Show your moves and perform with your favourite teacher on March 14th at Dancing with the Teachers! You, your friends and a staff member can get together to prepare, choreograph and perform a short dance piece of your choice, in front of your peers. The sign-up sheet for this event will be outside of Mr. Rolph's room (213).
Jan 18	GRADE 10 STUDENTS:
Ms. Gingras	If you are in Grade 10 and are not currently completing Career Life Education 10 in a class here at Mountain, please come by the Career Centre to pick up a very important handout.
Jan 18 Ms. Williams	MOUNTAIN READS DRAW: Have you read at least 2 titles from this year's Mountain Reads list? Come to the Library Learning Commons to enter the first draw for a Chapters gift card. The draw will be held on January 25.
Jan 18 Mr. Davis	INTRAMURAL HOCKEY STARTING SOON! Games will begin Tuesday January 29. There will be two divisions: Grade 8/9 and Senior 10/11/12 Open to all students. Registration forms are on the PE office door. Forms need to be in no later than January 25 @ 3:00pm.
Jan 18 Ms. Manning	Work Experience Opportunities: Port of Vancouver Leadership Program - summer work experience opportunity for Grade 10 & 11s assisting the Port of Vancouver

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community relations team at various events throughout the Lower Mainland. This program includes a training session that can help students build leadership skills, develop excellent public speaking and presentation skills and gain knowledge about the Port of Vancouver. Come to an Info Session on Wednesday, January 30th at 3 pm in the Career Centre to find out more about this amazing opportunity.

March Break Work Experience – Hunter Dickinson Inc., a large mineral & mining company in Vancouver, is offering an exciting work experience opportunity for Grade 11 & 12 students – 4 areas are available to apply and include reception, resource and database, tax accounting and risk and compliance. Excellent opportunity for students interested in gaining office computer skills and to learn more about this industry

<u>Vancouver Aquarium March Break Work Experience</u> – Vancouver Aquarium has three different work experience opportunities for Grade 11 & 12 students during the March Break – Aqua Camps Educator, Gallery Interpreter and Visitor & Gallery Assistant. Come by the Career Centre for more info.

<u>Vancouver Art Gallery Work Experience</u> – upcoming orientation for new volunteers is on Saturday February 9th from 10 am – 1 pm. If you have an interest in volunteering at an art gallery, please come by the Career Centre for more information and to sign up for the orientation.

<u>Vancouver International Children's Festival</u> – seeking volunteers in Grades 10-12 for this year's festival May 27-June 2, 2019. Opportunities for students interested in Arts Administration, Event Management, Business, Sales, Tourism, and Early Childhood Education. Info session: Tues, Jan 22 at lunch in the Career Centre.

<u>Stoney Creek Community School</u> – seeking volunteers to assist with their musical theatre program after school on Mondays 3:15-4:15 pm. No experience in musical theatre needed just a great attitude.

LJ Christmas Manor – Movie program for seniors seeking volunteers every Saturday from 12:30 pm – 3 pm.

Burnaby More Sports Society - Work Experience Opportunity:

Burnaby More Sports is seeking students to assist with their after school sports programs at Cameron Elementary (Mondays 3:00 pm – 5:30 pm) and/or University Highlands Elementary (Fridays 3:00 pm – 5:30 pm). Program starts January 21st week. Training is next week - January 17th or 22nd. Come by the Career Centre for more info.

Sprouting Chef's after school Cooking Classes at Forest Grove Elementary - Interested in a Career in Nutrition? We have a work experience opportunity with Sprouting Chef's after school Cooking Classes on Tuesdays at Forest Grove Elementary. Applications are available now. Classes run January and February.

Career Exploration Workshops and Open Houses:

Vancouver Film School - attend VFS over Spring Break for two fun-filled days exploring careers in the entertainment industry. Workshops are led by experienced professionals in VFX, Classical Animation, Acting, Makeup, Digital Design, Film Production, Writing and Sound Design. Sign up for the area you are interested in exploring. March 18 & 19 or March 20 &21. Pick up an info handout in the Career Centre.

<u>LaSalle College</u> – attend a LaSalle College workshop March 25-28, 2019 and explore creative career opportunities in one of these areas: 3D Modeling & Animation, Game Design & Programming, Visual Effects for Film & TV, Professional Recording Arts, Photography, Digital Film & Video, Culinary Arts and Baking & Pastry, Fashion Design & Marketing, Graphic Design, and Interior Design. Pick up an info handout in the Career Centre.

<u>Green Bricks Career Conference</u> – come learn about exciting career opportunities in the "green economy" at this conference on Saturday, March 2 9:00 pm – 2:30 pm at the Hilton Metro town. Careers showcased include ones in renewable energy, environmental engineering, green transportation, etc. Pick up an info handout in the Career Centre.

<u>Arts Umbrella Visual Art Summer Intensive</u> – students ages 15-19 interested in advancing their visual art practice can sign up for this intensive program August 6-23, 2019. Pick up an info handout in the Career Centre.

<u>UBC Sauder School of Business</u> – upcoming Bachelor of Commerce Info Sessions are scheduled for January 25th, February 15th, February 22nd, and March 25th. Pick up an info handout in the Career Centre or register at https://www.eventbrite.com/o/ubc-sauder-undergraduate-office-8557797163

MANY OF THESE OPPORTUNITIES, WORKSHOPS AND OPEN HOUSES CAN COUNT FOR WORK EXPERIENCE HOURS – BUT ...
YOU MUST GET PAPERWORK FROM THE CAREER CENTRE BEFORE YOU GO

Jan 23

BMSS ICE HOCKEY

Mr. Kinoshita

All students interested in playing for the BMSS Ice Hockey team, please come to an important meeting in the weight room on Wednesday, Jan. 23rd at lunch.

Jan 23

USED BOOKS NEEDED

Ms. Manning

Stoney Creek Elementary is looking for gently used books for their book swap later this month. If you have any books you would like to donate please drop them off in the Career Centre by January 23.

Jan 24

Ms. Reily

AP PARENT INFORMATION MEETING

The AP parent info. Meeting will be held on *Thursday January 24 in the multipurpose room at 6:00 PM*. If you are currently taking Advanced Placement courses or may be interested in taking AP courses in the future, this will be a chance to ask questions and find out more about Burnaby Mountain's AP program. Please see Ms. Reily in room 307 if you have any questions.

Jan 25

Mr. Rolph AUDITIONS

SUBJECT: TALENT SHOW AUDITIONS

Do you have an amazing talent like singing, dancing, juggling or even rollerblading? Be sure to sign up to audition for the BMSS Talent Show on March 7th! Auditions will be held Wednesday, January 30th in the Dance room and Friday, February 1st in the Band room. Sign up in front of Mr. Rolph's room 213 ASAP! Hope to see you there!

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.



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Jan 31 FILM and ANIMATION OPEN HOUSE

Ms. D.C. Capilano University
Saturday, February 9.
11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Jan 31 WATERLOO MATH CONTESTS

Ms. Reily The Waterloo math contests for grade 9 - 11 students are happening on February 26. If you are applying for enriched math next year or just love writing math contests, please get a form from your enriched math

teacher or outside Ms. Reily's door (room 307). The forms are due Friday Feb. 1.

Feb 2 **UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA OPEN HOUSE**: Saturday, February 2, 2019

Ms. D.C. Tour the UVic campus. Learn about student life from current students. Attend a lecture. Attend a

recruitment presentation and an information fair. REGISTER: uvic.ca/explore



Now is the time to get registered to be part of the *Burnaby Mountain Secondary School Sun Run Team*. Our school is online for 2019 registration. We love having our entire BMSS community to be a part of our team. Sign up as part of our school team and continue to get the cheapest rate possible.

Last year we won the school division for the fastest team. We hope to defend that title again this year. But we would also like to have the **biggest team** possible. So even if you aren't fast... we still want you! It's all about having a fun community day.

Sun Run Info click <u>here</u>

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