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Student Bulletin

Date: Wednesday Feb. 27th, 2019**Day 2**



This Week’s First Aid Attendants are: Isabella Mitterboeck and Allison Jung

TIMELINE				
Mr. Morton	<div>VALEDICTORIAN 2019</div> <p>Any grade 12 students interested in being this year's valedictorian (Class of 2019) can pick up an application form from the office. Applications are due in the office at 3:00pm on Tuesday March 12th.</p>			
<div>NEW</div> <p>Mar 1 Mr. Hsueh</p>	<div></div> <p>Badminton season has officially begun. Come for the try out this Friday March 1 right after school in the gym. We look forward to seeing you there.</p>			
<div>NEW</div> <p>Mar 1 Ms. Der</p>	<p>Attention Grade 9 Boys; Interested in volleyball this spring needs to come out to a tryout Friday Mar 1st at 7:15 in the morning. Meet in Gym 1 ready to go! Anyone not able to attend needs to talk with Ms.Der.</p> <div></div>			
<div>NEW</div> <p>Mr. Ryan</p>	<p>Track and Field: Monday will be an informational meeting and the first practice. "Open House" practices will be March 4, 5, 6. Come and try different events without committing to join the team.</p>			
Ms. Pattenauode	<div>LITERACY WEEK</div> <p>This week is literacy week and we have a lot of exciting things happening in the school.</p> <table><tr><td><div>Wednesday:</div><p>On Wednesday we are showing our support for Pink Shirt Day by showcasing a collaborative VPA project in the lower commons. Pop by the library anytime this week to participate in the scavenger hunt, bookmark contest, or play some board games.</p></td><td><div>Thursday:</div><p>On Thursday we will be tickled and amused by the creative thinking of our Improv Club at lunch in the lower commons. Pop by the library anytime this week to participate in the scavenger hunt, bookmark contest or play some board games.</p></td><td><div>Friday:</div><p>On Friday we will open the lower commons at lunch to all students who have a talent or voice that they would like to share (there will be prizes for those brave enough to get up and share). Pop by the library anytime this week to participate in the scavenger hunt, bookmark contest, or play some board games</p></td></tr></table>	<div>Wednesday:</div> <p>On Wednesday we are showing our support for Pink Shirt Day by showcasing a collaborative VPA project in the lower commons. Pop by the library anytime this week to participate in the scavenger hunt, bookmark contest, or play some board games.</p>	<div>Thursday:</div> <p>On Thursday we will be tickled and amused by the creative thinking of our Improv Club at lunch in the lower commons. Pop by the library anytime this week to participate in the scavenger hunt, bookmark contest or play some board games.</p>	<div>Friday:</div> <p>On Friday we will open the lower commons at lunch to all students who have a talent or voice that they would like to share (there will be prizes for those brave enough to get up and share). Pop by the library anytime this week to participate in the scavenger hunt, bookmark contest, or play some board games</p>
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Feb 27 Ms. Ocnas	<p>Peer Tutors: Please complete your Term 2 self-assessment by Wednesday February 27th. The link is posted on Fresh Grade. If you are having technical difficulties with the app, please email me (heather.ocnas@burnabyschools.ca). Thank you! Ms. Ocnas</p>			
Feb 27 Ms. Panesar	<p>BMSS Students: Wednesday is Pink Shirt Day! Wear your shirts to support and recognize a society and school based on inclusivity, anti-bullying, and anti-harassment. Come down to the Upper Commons and enjoy some free lemonade to stop the hatred, make a personalized button, and celebrate your commitment to anti-bullying! There will be a video made by our students as well shown in the Lower Commons! Support the Lion Pride! And don't forget to wear your pink!</p>			

Feb 28 Ms. Haywood	<u>Samosas</u> Samosa sales are back on! \$20 for a bag of 20 veggie samosas. \$3 for chutney. Pay Ms Logan in the office or on school cash online. Deadline: Feb 28th. Pick up: March 6th in the Multipurpose room after school.
Feb 28 Ms. Manning	<u>Reminder to ALL GRADE 10s</u> Please hand in your BLUE course selection form to the Career Centre. If you have lost your form please pick up another one in the Career Centre.
Feb 28 Ms. Williams	<u>BOOKMARK CONTEST</u> The Burnaby Mountain Library Learning Commons bookmark contest runs until Friday. Pick up your entry form this week and let your creative juices flow. Entries will be due Friday, March 1.
Feb 28 Ms. Lewis	<u>SCHOLARSHIPS INFO</u> Please check the scholarship bulletin and join the scholarship group on the Mountain Connect App. Important information about scholarships is updated regularly. Any questions can be forwarded to Mrs. Lewis. https://blogs.sd41.bc.ca/mountain-scholarships/
Feb 28 Ms. Panesar	 Wednesday March 6 th the Burnaby School District will be hosting its third annual District Diversity Dance! This dance is open to all high school students in the Burnaby and New West school districts, in the spirit of celebrating the diversity and inclusivity of our students. The dance will be held from 6pm-9pm at Byrne Creek Community School. Tickets will go on sale in the school office from Monday February 4 until Tuesday March 5 for \$10. There are only 35 tickets available per school, so buy them early to avoid missing out. The theme of the dance is “Superheroes” so wear your best themed outfits! Hope to see you all there!
Mar 1 Ms. Lopez	<u>Art Club:</u> Are you interested in creating ART??? The art club would like to extend the invitation for students to come to room 116 on Thursdays after school from 3:15-4:15pm to have some fun and create some art. All students are welcome.
Mar 1 Ms. Manning	<u>Volunteer Opportunity</u> Cameron Recreation Centre is looking for volunteers for the Healthy Kids Preschool Fair on Tuesday March 5 th from 8:30am – 12:30pm (Day 1). Sign up in the Career Centre ASAP.
Mar 1 Mr. Ko	<u>Grad information for Yearbook.</u> All grade 12 students can now vote for the Grad Superlatives and Submit their Grad quotes by completing an Office 365 Survey. Also, send in your baby photos to bmssyearbook2019@gmail.com Links for the forms are listed in the bulletin. <div> <div>Grad Superlatives Superlative Survey</div> <div>Grad Quotes Grad Quote Submission</div> </div>
Mar 1 Ms. Gingras	<u>GRADE 11 & 12 STUDENTS</u> Hand in all completed work experience packages for completed placements to the Career Centre by Friday, March 1. <u>Grade 10 & 11 Students – Burnaby School District Industry Training Programs Open Houses:</u> If you are interested in attending an Open House for one of the many district programs including carpentry, auto service technician, film and broadcast, electrician, tourism and event management, please come by the Career Centre for more info. <u>WORK EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITIES:</u> <div> <div> <u>March Break COMMUNICATIONS ASSISTANT Position with Teck Resources</u> Seeking senior student interested in communications, public relations, digital media, advertising, social media, or marketing fields Application deadline is March 1st.</div> <div> <u>March Break HUMAN RESOURCES Position with Teck Resources</u> Seeking senior student interested in the human resources/business field. Application deadline is March 1st.</div> <div> <u>March Break RESEARCH ASSISTANT Position with Info Mine</u> Seeking senior student interested in a career as a researcher or business analyst. Good computer skills in MS Office needed Application deadline is March 6th.</div> </div> <u>Vancouver International Children's Festival</u> Seeking volunteers in Grades 10-12 for this year's festival May 27-June 2, 2019. The Festival offers multiple opportunities for students interested in future careers in Arts Administration, Event Management, Business, Sales, Tourism, and Early Childhood Education. <u>SFU Invent the Future Artificial Intelligence Scholars Program</u> A 2-week summer program for young women in Grade 10 or 11 interested in artificial intelligence. The program runs at SFU and will provide you with hands-on experience in computer science and technology. <u>The BC Conservatory of Music</u> The BC Conservatory of Music is looking for Adjudicator Assistants for the 2019 Music Festival taking place May 1 - 26. This is a fantastic opportunity for any students interested in music <u>Burnaby Fire Department Youth Academy Outreach 2019</u> Any student in Grade 11 or 12 interested in exploring a career in firefighting this spring academy is for you.



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	<p><u>New Westminster Student Police Academy</u> Any student in Grade 11 or Grade 12 with an interest in policing, come by to find out more about the New Westminster Police Department Student Police Academy, July 2-12.</p> <p><u>Vancouver Community College Architecture/Drafting Workshop</u> this is for students in Grade 11 or 12 interested in attending a self-directed workshop in AutoCAD drafting software during March Break.</p> <p><u>BCIT Biotechnology Career Awareness Workshop</u> April 2019 – for Grade 11 or 12 students interested in learning more about the biotechnology industry - includes hands-on lab experiences & career options information</p> <p><u>Animal Logic Animation Studio</u> March Break opportunity for Grade 11 students interested in animation & visual effects. This studio co-created Lego Movie 2! – An exciting opportunity to gain insight into this growing industry.</p> <p><u>CAREER EXPLORATION WORKSHOPS AND OPEN HOUSES:</u></p> <p><u>NEW! BCIT Engineering Info Session for Women</u> Wed March 13th 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm – BCIT Burnaby Campus – register at i.bcit.ca/engineering</p> <p><u>NEW! Wonder Women Networking Evening</u> Wed March 6th @ Science World 5:15 – 9:30pm - opportunity for high school girls that are thinking about a future in science. Participants will meet amazing women with careers in science and engineering and learn more about possible future careers. Join us for a lively evening of networking, food, and fun. Make new friends and find a mentor! \$15 Entrance includes dinner, an OMNIMAX® Film (Great Bear Rain Forest) and door prizes.</p> <p><u>NEW! Operation Med School</u> Sat. March 9 at UBC – overview of the entire journey to medical school (cost \$30)</p> <p><u>NEW! Project Pulse Health Science Conference</u> Sat. March 2 @ SFU for students interested in careers in Health Sciences - connect with a valuable network of health professionals and university representatives (coast \$25)</p> <p><u>NEW! Particle Physics Masterclass</u> Discover the world of High Energy Particle Physics by analyzing <i>real</i> data from the ATLAS Experiment - Saturday, April 13th from 8:30 - 4:15 at SFU or Triumf - Canada's Particle Accelerator Centre</p> <p><u>NEW! The Sky's No Limit – Girls Fly too!</u> Aviation, Aerospace & Defense Outreach Event March 10 at Abbotsford Airport. A variety of civilian and non-civilian aircraft, tactical vehicles and ground displays are available to explore!!</p> <p><u>NEW! Operation: This Is You! –Search and Rescue with Canadian Coast Guard– (females only)</u> Richmond - Sea Island Hovercraft Base March 30 9am – 4pm. Activities include tours of base stations, search & rescue exercise, dive demonstration, firehose challenge, drive the zodiac rescue craft and a ride to sea in the hovercraft.</p>						
Mar 1 Mr. Richardson	<p><u>Attention Girls Soccer Players</u> There will be a meeting at lunch, March 1st, in the weight room for anyone interested in playing for the school team this year. Come see Mrs. Chapman if you are unable to make it.</p>						
Mar 8 Ms. Reily	<p><u>The Waterloo Euclid Math contest is coming up on Wednesday April 3.</u> The contest runs for 2.5 hours and the level of mathematics is aimed towards students in grade 12 level math courses. If you are interested, please get a form from the folder outside room 307, or see Ms. Reily (or Mr. Lau) for details. Forms are due Friday March 8th.</p>						
Apr 12 Ms. D.C.	<p><u>ARE YOU WANTING TO TAKE AN ON-LINE COURSE THIS SUMMER?</u> Burnaby Online will be offering the following August Completion courses this summer:</p> <table border="1"><tr><td>* 20th Century World History 12</td><td>* French 11</td><td>* Physical and Health Education 10</td></tr><tr><td>* Physical Geography 12</td><td>* Italian Intro 11</td><td>* Career Life Education 10</td></tr></table> <p>Registration for August completion courses is now open for those interested in completing a course quickly. You will be able to start working on the Career Life Education course as early as April 1st. All other courses begin in mid-June. August completion courses, other than CLE 10, will have a mid-June 2019 course start date (when the student will have access to the coursework). Students can register now and their teacher will message them as to when they will have access to the course material.</p>	* 20th Century World History 12	* French 11	* Physical and Health Education 10	* Physical Geography 12	* Italian Intro 11	* Career Life Education 10
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SCHOOL GOALS:

- Goal 1

To improve students’ reading for comprehension with a focus on finding the main ideas, summarizing and in some specific areas, note-making at the Grade 8 and 9 levels.
- Goal 2

To increase student awareness, understanding and practice of healthy living.