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Respect

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Responsibility

Date: Monday October 28th, 2019

Day 2

Student Bulletin

FLEX DATES	Nov 6, 27	Dec. 4, 11, 18	Feb 12	Mar. 4, 11	Apr. 1, 22	May 13	June 3, 10, 17
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TIMELINE	
	<div><div>Artona</div><div>All About Our In-Studio Retake Day</div><div>November 16, 9am-3pm at Artona in Vancouver. Here's our blog post</div></div> <div></div>
<div><div>NEW</div><div>Nov 1</div><div>Ms. Gingras</div></div>	<div><div>WORK EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITIES:</div><div><div>Bright Nights in Stanley Park – Come volunteer at the Holiday Train in Stanley Park open from November 27-January 1 – positions include plaza host, costumed host, ticket checker, train attendant, greeter, etc.</div><div>Vancouver Aquarium – December / Winter Break work experience program is now accepting applications – great opportunity to build your leadership, public speaking and customer service skills while expanding your knowledge of marine life and conservation.</div><div>Grouse Mountain Snow School Leaders in Training Work Experience Program - for students aged 14-18 who are experienced skiers or snowboarders and interested in assisting the instructors</div><div>Mount Seymour Ski & Snowboard School Student Work Experience Program – ages 15+, min 100 hrs. commitment, volunteers earn their Canadian Ski Instructor level 1 and receive a free ski pass</div><div>Interested in a Career in Health Care? Work Experience Opportunities at two local Seniors Care Homes - LJ Christmas Manor & Lakeshore Care Home. Sign up now - Interviews will now be late October/ early November.</div><div>Deer Lake Craft Festival - November 21 – 24, 2019. Various volunteer jobs available. Pick up a Volunteer Application in the Career Centre today!</div><div>Junior Achievement – JA British Columbia offers a unique opportunity to develop and run your own entrepreneurial venture. Over the course of 4 months, you run your own start-up, from idea generation to company liquidation. With the guidance of advisors from the business community, you will acquire hands-on business experience. Various locations – Applications Open NOW for the Burnaby location at Traction on Demand.</div><div>BCIT Biotechnology Career Awareness Workshop - for students in Grade 11 or 12 who have an interest in learning more about the biotechnology industry - workshop includes a DNA fingerprinting and gel electrophoresis lab and a visit to a local biotechnology company - workshop is December 9-13 at BCIT</div><div>International Village Mall - Chinese New Year of the Rat Celebrations - Seeking volunteers for January 24, 25, & 26 - various positions available and they go fast!</div><div>SFU Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Office Assistant: Volunteers Needed at SFU - Friday November 1 from 3pm - 6pm - Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program needs your help organizing letters and posters to be sent out to schools across Canada - come by the Career Centre to sign up</div><div>Career Exploration Workshops and Open Houses: SFU Med Connect Conference - Grade 11 & 12 students who would like to learn more about a career in medicine come learn from physicians and other health professionals, engage in workshops and receive invaluable insight from current medical students - Saturday November 23rd - registration is open - come by the Career Centre for a flyer.</div><div>UBC Sauder BCom Information Sessions – first session November 2, 9am –12:30pm - for more information and to register go to sauderundergraduateoffice.eventbrite.com. For students in grades 8-12 to visit UBC and learn more about the BCom program.</div><div>UBC Engineering & Architecture Open House – Saturday November 2, 2019 Fred Kaiser Building UBC</div><div>High Five Principles of Healthy Childhood Development Training – 16yrs+ for people interested in working with youth ages 6 – 12yrs. Saturday November 2, 9:30am – 4:00pm @ Bill Copeland</div></div></div>





SCHOOL GOALS:

Goal 1

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Goal 2

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

	<div>Engineering Explorations - an exciting opportunity for girls to visit UBC Engineering. You will enjoy fun, hands-on activities led by current university students and meet inspiring mentors</div> <div>BCIT Big Info Night - Wednesday November 13, 4:30 – 7:30pm</div> <div>Shad Canada - Are you interested in spending a month living & learning at a university campus next summer? The Shad enrichment program is an opportunity for exceptional student leaders to explore STEM & Entrepreneurship through hands-on, experiential learning in the form of workshops, seminars and labs while living at a host university across Canada July 5 – 31, 2020. Deadline to Apply is November 18</div> <div>Burnaby Mountain Post-Secondary Mini Fair – November 26 2pm – 4pm</div> <div>Education & Career Fair Vancouver – Vancouver’s biggest Post-Secondary & Career Fair – this is an AWESOME opportunity to explore life after high school! December 6, 9am – 2pm. Field Trip Forms for gr 11’s available in the Career Centre</div>		
October 24 Ms. Temple	<div>DRAMA</div> <div>Come and watch the March sisters perform for all of Concord. In BMSS theatre’s production of Little Women the Musical! Come by the drama room at lunch or order online to get your tickets!</div>		
October 29 Mr. Culbert	<div></div>	<div>OPERATION INK</div> <div>Now is the “write” time to write. Come and join Operation Ink and have fun with creative writing on Tuesday’s at LUNCH in Room 203.</div>	
October 30 Ms. Manning	<div>CAREER LIFE CONNECTIONS 11</div> <div>all grade 11 students must complete career life connections 11 in order to graduate.</div>	<div></div>	<div>CLC11 CLASSES HAPPEN ON TUTORIAL DAYS.</div> <div>The first CLC Lesson was Wednesday, October 23. Please check the lists posted on the Career Centre window to see which dates you need to attend.</div>
Oct 31 Ms. Gingras	<div></div> <div>SFU Med Connect Conference for Grade 11 & 12 Students - Saturday November 23 - attendees will participate in hands-on workshops and attend lectures with healthcare professionals - registration is now open- come by the Career Centre for more info</div>	<div>Bright Nights in Stanley Park Holiday Train - Volunteers and Work Experience Students Needed - Come by the Career Centre today for a flyer</div> <div></div>	
Nov 1 Ms. D.C.	<div>LANGUAGE CHALLENGE EXAM The deadline to submit an application is November 1st.</div> <div>Course Challenges are available in the following subject areas:</div> <div><div>French</div><div>Japanese</div><div>Korean</div><div>Mandarin</div><div>Punjabi</div><div>Spanish</div></div> <div>Google "Language Challenge Exams" for more information or see your counsellor.</div> <div>Submit your completed application to Mr. Gatzke.</div>		
Oct 29 Nov 6 Nov 26 Ms. D.C.	<div>UNIVERSITY VISITS</div> <div><div>University of Toronto: October 29: Lunch Time in the Multi-Purpose Room</div><div>Western University: November 6th. After school in the Multi-Purpose Room</div><div>B.C. Post-Secondary Information Fair: November 26. From 2:00 to 4:00 outside the cafeteria.</div></div>		
Nov 29 Mr. Ko	<div>Attention Grads!</div> <div>Grads can now send their baby photos to bmssyearbook2020@gmail.com to have their photos included in this year’s Yearbook. You can also participate in our Superlatives Survey by following this link, Superlatives Survey, Deadline is November 29, 2019.</div>		

PEAK - AFTER-SCHOOL HOMEWORK HELP

Ms. Mindlin

All Students - The Peak is now open Monday through Thursday in Room 207. It is a place to study, complete homework or work on group work. Ms. Mindlin and Peer Tutors will be available to help.

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