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Date: Wednesday March 11th, 2020
Student Bulletin

Day 1



This Week's First Aid Attendants are: Connor Won and Crystal Kovacs-Ratelle

TIMELINE	
	
Mar 11 Mr. Smith	<div>➤ Wrestlers to meet in the wrestling room.</div> <div>➤ At lunch on Wednesday the 11th at 11:40 for season wrap-up</div>
Mar 11 Mr. Davis	Gladiator Week ! Grade 8 – 10 Junior Gladiator at lunch on Tuesday Grade 11 – 12 Senior Gladiator at lunch on Wednesday. All students are welcome, just arrive at the gym at the beginning of lunch. There will be prizes for the winners. Any questions? Ask your PE teachers.
Mar 13 Mr. Hsueh	Euclid Contest: If you are interested in writing Euclid Math Contest, The form needs to be submitted by March 13 .  please pick up the form from Mr. H in room 307.
Mar 13 Ms. Manning	BCIT Trades Program Tour If you are interested in any of the following trade careers please stop by the Career Centre this week to find out about an upcoming student tour of some Trades Programs at BCIT on the afternoon of April 2, 2020. <div> <div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trades Sampler Motorcycle/Power Equipment Technician Piping </div> <div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Metal Fabricator Sheet Metal Worker Machinist </div> </div>
Mar 13 Mr. Ryan	<div> Final Team Deadline – March 13, 2020 (Youth 18 years & under: \$32 / Adults: \$40, plus tax and processing fees) Sun Run Team -- April 19th, 2020 Join the BMSS school Sun Run Team. This year we will be attempting the 3-peat for fastest school team. Sign up the whole family through our discounted rates. </div> 
Mar 13 Ms. Manning	Volunteer Opportunity for Grade 10 - 12 Seaforth Elementary Alumni Seaforth Elementary school is looking for volunteers for their annual Spirit Day on April 24. Sign up NOW in the Career Centre.
Mar 13 Ms. Manning	<div> <div>WORK EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITIES</div> <div> <div> Camp Madawaska - March Break volunteers are needed for this fun outdoor camp for kids. Camp runs Monday – Friday 8:30am – 4:30pm March 16 – 20 at Warner Loat Park (just off Winston - past the Costco) </div> <div> Burnaby Village Museum Costumed Interpreters – March Break dress up in period costume and explain the various museum exhibits to visitors. Must be a confident public speaker. Training provided. </div> <div> The Bay at Lougheed Mall ongoing work experience placement available. </div> <div> Ecological Themed Exhibit at Metrotown The Burnaby Neighbourhood House is hosting an Ecologically Themed Exhibit in Metropolis at Metrotown and they are looking for volunteers to help with the exhibit. This event is a fundraiser for the BNH and will take place from April 1st to May 3rd. Volunteers are expected to sign up for one regular shift per week (3 – 4hrs per shift) for the duration of the exhibit. Volunteers will be responsible for guiding customers through the exhibit: including the photobooth area, information area and contest area. Training will be provided. </div> </div> </div>

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	<p>Healthy Family Expo March 28 – 29 at the Vancouver Convention Centre. Various times and positions available! Sign up with a friend!</p> <p>BC Conservatory of Music Music Festival Adjudicator Assistant - the Festival takes place May 1 - 31. This is a fantastic opportunity for any students interested in music. Applications Due March 27th.</p> <p>Place des Arts Spring Break Camp Assistant camps run March 16 – 20. Great opportunity for anyone interested in visual arts, dance and/or music. Apply ASAP!</p> <p>Burnaby Fire Department Youth Academy Outreach 2020 any student in Grade 11 or 12 interested in exploring a career in firefighting this is for you. The Academy runs April 27 – April 30. Applications should be handed in before March Break.</p> <p>Stanley Park Easter Train assist with onsite children's activities and general greeting of event guests. Volunteers will be provided lunch as well as reference letter at the end of the event Dates are the train runs April 9 – 13th. Shifts are from 10am-5pm and volunteers must commit to the entire shift. Training is April 2nd @ 4:30-5:30pm OR Friday April 3rd @ 4:30-5:30pm. They are also looking for help with set up on April 4th and 5th.</p> <p>Vancouver Aquarium and Ocean Wise Spring Leadership Program expand your social network, increase your marine conservation knowledge and gain employment skills. Apply ASAP.</p> <p>RCMP Youth Academy interested in a career in law enforcement? This academy is designed to place students in a simulated RCMP training environment. Students will receive instruction on law, social and communication skills, physical training and some police tactics. The Academy runs June 29 to July 3 – applications are available NOW.</p> <p>SFU Summer Camps seeking volunteers for their children's summer camps. Application are available in the Career Centre NOW. They will be at our school at lunch in the upper commons on March 5th to give out more information.</p> <p>Vancouver International Children's Festival seeking volunteers in Grades 10-12 for this year's festival May 25 – 31 at Granville Island. The Festival offers multiple opportunities for students interested in future careers in Arts Administration, Event Management, Business, Sales, Tourism, and Early Childhood Education.</p>
	<p>Career Exploration Workshops and Open Houses: (these can often count for Work Experience Hours – see a Career Centre teacher BEFORE you attend the workshop)</p>
	<p>High School Science Week at the Centre of Heart Lung Innovation St Paul's Hospital The highlights of the program are intensive research techniques sessions, including light microscopy, confocal microscopy, histology, and protein and DNA analysis. This is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to experience what working in a life science research lab is all about. Careers in life science will be discussed throughout the week. Each HSSW participant will be eligible to apply for the 2020 Peter D. Paré Science Scholarship, which supports an eight-week summer internship at HLI.</p>
	<p>Invent the Future – AI Scholars Program for Girls Invent the Future is a two-week summer enrichment program for Grade 10 and 11 young women at Simon Fraser University's Burnaby campus. During this Artificial Intelligence (AI) Scholars Program, participants will explore the world of AI through team projects, industry field trips, and connecting with mentors and industry experts in a supportive yet challenging environment. Application available NOW.</p>
	<p>BCIT Biotechnology Career Awareness Workshop April 27 – May 1. Grade 11 & 12 students interested in learning more about the biotech industry. Students will participate in labs, lectures and visits from local biotech companies.</p>
	<p>UBC Sauder School of Business upcoming Bachelor of Commerce Info Sessions is scheduled for March 27th. Pick up an info handout in the Career Centre or register at : https://www.eventbrite.com/o/ubc-sauder-undergraduate-office-8557797163</p>
	<p>Explore CapU Info Night Wondering what's next after high school? Explore CapU Info Night is the first step. Join us <u>March 11</u>, 5:30–8 p.m.</p>
	<p>Structured Work Experience and Training (SWEAT) at LASALLE COLLEGE <u>March 23 -26, 2020</u> Explore creative career opportunities in our workshops as you learn to create project-based portfolio work with industry-related technology and equipment. Participate in one of our hands-on workshops in the following areas and receive 30 hours of work experience: 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. There is a cost to this program - \$150.</p>
	<p>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. <u>March 16-17 or March 18-19 or March 23-24</u>. There is a cost to this program - Early Bird Price until December 14 - \$200 for 1 workshop, \$350 for 2 workshops.</p>
	<p>Engineering Explorations an exciting opportunity for girls to visit UBC Engineering <u>Changing the World: Engineering the Future Sat. March 28, 2020</u> - Explore why engineering is an amazing career for women who want to change the world, help improve the lives of others and the environment around us, and who like teamwork and problem-solving. This event is for high school girls in grades 10-12.</p>
	<p>Youth Innovation Showcase Attention, young innovators! The Science Fair Foundation BC is looking to help you showcase your innovative solutions to industry, academia and investors at the 2020 Youth Innovation Showcase! If you're a young innovator between the ages of 12 to 24, we want to hear from you! – Deadline to apply is April 30.</p>
	<p>BCIT Business Global Relations high school Business and Media Career Exploration Program. Over the course of two weeks, explore career suitability and options by discovering your values and personality strengths. Gain multimedia experience to enhance employment opportunities and develop your communication skills for personal and professional growth. - This two-week program is offered in July and August. Cost - \$950</p>
	<p>PICK UP FORMS IN OFFICE Valedictorian Selection Process 2020 The individual who is chosen for the honoured position of Valedictorian is traditionally an exemplary student overall and an outstanding citizen of the school; one who will accept the position with pride and will prepare and deliver the Valedictorian Speech with skill and confidence. Guidelines for Student Candidacy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student must be in good academic standing, maintain excellent attendance, and must have consistent G's in work habits. • Continued and varied involvement in student activities throughout their high school years (sports, music, drama, debating, leadership etc.) • Representative of the Burnaby Mountain community and ideals; an excellent citizen who lives by the motto of "Respect, Excellence, Responsibility."
<p>Mar 31 Ms. Lewis</p>	

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GOAL #1	Literacy: to improve students’ reading for comprehension with a focus on <i>finding the main ideas</i> and <i>note-making</i> at the Grade 8 and 9 levels.
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- Articulate public speaker

Please note: A list of approved candidates will be generated by the school administrators

Guidelines & Timeline: If a successful candidate does not meet guidelines, another candidate (most likely the second-place candidate will be chosen.)

1. **March 2nd** – Nomination packages available in the office. Will be mentioned in the student bulletin, in PA announcements and via English 12/Comm 12 teachers.
2. **March 31st** – **Completed nomination packages returned to Ms. Lewis in the office.**
3. **April 3rd** – Approved candidates will be contacted by Ms. Lewis and will attend a mandatory information session at 3:00 pm in the office. Students will be asked to prepare a 2-minute speech to present at a grad assembly to your grad class for April 16th **Topic of Speech:** Why YOU should be Valedictorian. What is your message to the Grad class?
4. **April 9th** – Student candidates to give Ms. Lewis their speech to be spoken at the Grad Assembly. Ms. Lewis will contact candidates if any amendments are required.
5. **April 16th** – Date of Grad Assembly. Grade 12’s will assemble in Gym 1 during Period 1, beginning at approximately 9 am to listen to the Valedictorian candidate’s speeches. (If applicable, date/time to be confirmed to you by Ms. Lewis) Ballot voting (+grad song) to follow directly after speeches.
6. **April 16th** – Announcement of the Valedictorian over the PA at the end of the day.
7. **April 17th** – Ms. Lewis will contact parents/guardians of Valedictorian
8. **May 1st** – Completed, word-processed final copy of speech due to Ms. Lewis
9. **May 11 to 14th** – Rehearsal of speech in front of Staff SLC Committee
10. **May 22nd** – Final typed Valedictorian speech to be handed in to Ms. Lewis with finalized changes.
11. **May 27th** – Speech presented at School Leaving Ceremonies.

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SCHOOL LEAVING CEREMONY - THIS FORM IS DUE MARCH 31ST AT THE LATEST

Gown size?

Phonetic pronunciation of your name?

Crossing the stage write-up etc?

This information will be collected via the school website from a **computer only** (NOT YOUR CELL PHONE).

1. Go to the school website
2. click on “Grad Information”
3. then under the “School Leaving Ceremony (SLC) Information”
4. click the appropriate link and fill out the form.

THE FORM MUST BE FILLED OUT IN FULL, SO PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.

NOTE, you will need to follow the instructions provided to save it as a downloaded file,

1. open the file,
2. fill it out
3. re-save and re-name the file
4. then upload it according to the instructions provided

If you have any questions, see Ms. Panesar in room 210.



- The GRAD dinner dance and DRY grad fees are DUE.
- They need to be paid before Spring Break.
- Please go home and remind your parents/guardians to go online & pay your fees.
- You must attend the dinner and dance if you want to go to dry grad so please pay both fees at the same time.
- If you have financial constraints please talk to Mrs. Demelo or Mrs. Haywood, or Mrs. Logan in the main office.

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