





We acknowledge and thank the Coast Salish Nations of Musqueam, Tsleil-Waututh and Squamish on whose traditional territories we teach, learn and live.

Student Bulletin


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 Dec 15 Mr. Rolph	<p>Monday 12th:</p> <p>With all the decorating and advertising, it's hard to miss the Christmas story and traditions. As such, this week the Racial Equity and Cultural Heritage Club is going to be sharing information about different cultural events that take place in December!</p> <p>December 8 was Bodhi Day. Bodhi day is a Buddhist tradition that marks the day that Siddhartha Gautama who legend says founded Buddhism in India became the Buddha</p> <p>December 21 marks Winter Solstice Day which many Indigenous peoples celebrate as it is the day of fewest hours of sunlight and the days ahead begin to be brighter.</p> <p>Tuesday 13th:</p> <p>Salgirah Mubarak! Today is Salgirah Khushali which is a Nizari Ismaili Muslim tradition to celebrate the Ismaili Muslims religious leader, the present living Imam, Aga Khan Shah Karim al-Husayni's Birthday.</p> <p>Wednesday 14th:</p> <p>Hanukkah which takes place from December 18th to 26th is a Jewish tradition that commemorates the Jewish people's rededication to the second Temple in Jerusalem</p> <p>Thursday 15th:</p> <p>Kwanzaa which takes place from December 26 to January 1st is an African Canadian and African American event that takes place to honour African heritage.</p>
 Dec 15 Mr. Rolph	<p><u>Lucky Spin:</u></p> <p>Come down to the upper commons to Spin the Wheel with a variety of prizes hosted by the grade 9 council from the 12-15 (Monday to Thursday.) \$2 / spin.</p>
Dec 16 Mr. Rolph	<p><u>Winter Week update for December 12th-16.</u></p> <p>Come join us for a week of spirit events next week to celebrate the season.</p> <p>★ On Monday, join us in the lower commons for photos with Santa.</p> <p>★ On Tuesday, wear red and green and come out for karaoke at lunch in the commons.</p> <p>★ On Wednesday wear a cozy sweater, ugly sweater, and festive socks and come to the commons at lunch for grade council winter market.</p> <p>★ On Thursday, come to school in PJs and enjoy a free pancake breakfast in the lower commons from 8:15-9 am.</p> <p>We wrap the week up on Friday with our Winter Fair.</p>

SCHOOL GOALS:

Goal 1: To foster an educated, responsible and reflective community of Digitally Literate Citizens.
Goal 2: To increase student awareness, understanding and practice of healthy living.

Dec 12 Ms. Der	 <p>Grad Fundraiser</p> <p>Buy eco-friendly laundry strips and eco-friendly household products like mesh bags, stainless steel straws, dish cloths, beeswax wraps, bamboo products and more.</p> <p>Use the link or scan the QR code and proceeds support our grads!</p> <p>Use and share the code as many times as you want!</p> <p>Holiday sale prices now until Dec 12! (see flyer attached.)</p> <p>https://fundraising.tru.earth/BMSSGrads</p>
Dec 13 Ms. Der	<p>Don't know what to get your friends for Christmas? Buy your friends a Candy Gram!</p> <p>Buy in the upper commons at lunch between Dec 8th-13th.</p> <p>Candy Cane and Card = \$1.50 and personalized message Add Kernels Popcorn = \$2 Add the Christmas Carol = \$3</p> <p>Santa Deal - Everything for \$5!</p> <p>Delivered on Thursday Dec 15 - during block 1 and 2</p>
Dec 16 Ms. Belyea	<p>New scholarships posted on the Scholarship Team:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BC Excellence Award: demonstrate service and leadership, both at school and in their communities, shows aptitude and commitment to their chosen career paths. • Energy Rates Scholarship: to see what the next great minds bring to the energy industry and to assist them achieve their goals and dreams • Kin Bursaries: community and school involvement, knowledge of Kin Canada and financial need. • Burger King Scholars: Integrity, high standards, entrepreneurial spirit, good citizenship • Sobey's Food for Thought: Enrolled in a Canadian University, college or high school <p>See Ms Belyea (Room 304) if you have any questions after you check out the details on Teams.</p>
Dec 16 Mr. Ko	<p>YEARBOOK DEADLINES</p> <p>Grad Yearbook Quotes Please email your Grad Quotes to bmssyb2023@gmail.com. Deadline - Feb 1, 2023</p> <p>Baby Photos Please send your Baby Photos to bmssyb2023@gmail.com. Deadline - December 16, 2022</p> <p>Grade 12 Superlatives Survey Follow the link to complete the Grad Superlatives</p> <p>Survey https://forms.office.com/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=LV7swROUrEgeab99Ida2QIQzD1IUWLFEqxoZ9vSxFWJUOUw4TVo5MkdPQ0IISFREQ1VOUTQyVEg0Ui4u. Deadline - January 31, 2023</p>
Dec 16 Mr. Rolph	<p>Winter Fair 2022:</p> <p>Student council invites you to celebrate the season, and the fact that we made it to Winter Break, with games, entertainment, a photobooth, and prizes at Winter Fair 2022. Staff will be on the lookout for acts of kindness, for examples of spreading joy, for instances of unsolicited goodwill. When these acts are witnessed, they may be rewarded with Holla Dollas that you can use to enter our prize draws. This year's prizes include an X-Box Series S, Air Pods, Bose Bluetooth speaker, Massage gun, an adorable Squishmallow, and many other items and experiences.</p>