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Student Bulletin

Date: Thursday October 19,2023

Student First Aid:

<div>NEW</div> <div>  </div>	
<div> <div>Oct 20</div> <div>Ms. Manning</div> </div>	<div>Work Experience Opportunities – Please see bottom of bulletin</div>
<div> <div> <div>Oct 20</div> <div>Ms. Reily</div> </div> <div>  </div> </div>	<div> <div>DO YOU LOVE MATH AND ENJOY COMPETITIONS?</div> <div> <div> <div>✱</div> <div>Math contests are a fun challenge and a great way to get involved in math and extend your learning outside the classroom.</div> </div> <div> <div>✱</div> <div>We offer different contests for all grade levels throughout the year.</div> </div> <div> <div>✱</div> <div>Please email Ms. Reily (Jennifer.Reily@burnabyschools.ca), drop by room 307, or scan the QR code and fill out the form if you want to join the Math Contest Team where announcements will be posted.</div> </div> </div> <div> <div>Our contests in the fall will be</div> <div> <div>✱ Canadian Open Mathematics Challenge (COMC) on October 26,</div> <div>followed by</div> <div>✱ American Mathematics Contests 10B and 12B on November 14.</div> </div> </div> <div> <div>Math Contest Sign Up</div> <div>  </div> </div> </div>
<div> <div>Oct 27</div> <div>Ms. Manning</div> </div>	<div> <div>Are you a Cadet?</div> <div>We are looking for students in Cadets who would like to participate in this year's Remembrance Day Ceremony. If you are in Cadets, and you would like to be involved in our ceremony, please stop by the Career Centre and see Ms. Manning</div> </div>
<div> <div>Oct 31</div> <div>Mr. Gatzke</div> </div>	<div> <div>If You Are A FLUENT LANGUAGE SPEAKER/READER/WRITER Of One Of The Following Languages:</div> <div> <div> <div>Farsi,</div> <div>French</div> </div> <div> <div>Japanese,</div> <div>Korean</div> </div> <div> <div>Mandarin,</div> <div>Punjabi or Spanish</div> </div> </div> <div> <div>➤ then you may want to write the Language Challenge Exam through the Delta School District.</div> <div>➤ If you would like to apply, then you need to fill out the on-line fillable form that is found at https://www.deltasd.bc.ca/schools/secondary/challenge-exams.</div> <div>➤ After you have filled out the application form, print it and the accompanying pages, attach a passport type photo and a cheque for \$50.00 and turn it into Mr. Gatzke in the counselling office by October 31st.</div> <div>➤ The exams will be held in Delta on the weekend of January 27th or 28th 2024. If you have any questions, email or visit Mr. Gatzke in the counselling area.</div> </div> </div>

Work Experience Opportunities

(Yes – these all count for work experience hours – make sure you get paperwork from the Career Centre BEFORE you go)

Vancouver Food Bank – Winston Street Location (near Costco)

Sign up to volunteer at the Winston Street warehouse – help sort the hundreds of donations that arrive at the foodbank every day. Volunteers are asked to commit to one shift per week, for a minimum of 2 months – you pick the dates and times that work for you! You can even sign up with a friend! For more details about how to sign up please go to the Career Centre and pick up an info sheet. **The application is open from Monday, Oct 16th at 9 a.m. to Friday, Nov 3rd 4 p.m.**

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Grouse Mountain Resort Snow School Leader in Training Program:

Grouse Mountain Snow School - Leaders in Training Work Experience Program Grouse Mountain is pleased to offer students aged 15-18 who have a passion for Skiing and Snowboarding a chance to complete a work experience placement with the Grouse Mountain Resort Snow School. They are excited about helping students train to become better skiers and riders while they take on a leadership role and discover a possible career within the ski or snowboard industry. Applications are now open and can be completed online - come by the Career Centre if you are accepted to get paperwork: <https://can231.dayforcehcm.com/CandidatePortal/en-US/northlandproperties/Site/GROUSEMOUNTAIN/Posting/View/1907>

Forest Grove Elementary Halloween Monster Mash Event

Forest Grove Elementary is looking for volunteers for their annual family Halloween event on October 27 from 3:45pm-midnight and Oct 26 (the night before – for set-up) from 5 pm-9 pm. Volunteers will help with putting up decorations, children's activity assistant (crafts/games) and clean-up. Volunteer for one, or both days. To sign up come to the Career Centre.

Cameron Recreation Complex Halloween Howler Event

Come help out on Saturday, October 28th 9 am - 1 pm at Cameron Recreation Centre. Various positions available including Face Painter, Greeter, Crafts Station and Concession. Dress up in Halloween costume encouraged. Sign up in the Career Centre.

Vancouver Asian Film Festival

The 27th edition of the Vancouver Asian Film Festival (VAFF) is being held between Nov 2 and Nov 12 this year. We're thrilled to invite you to become a vital part of the Vancouver Asian Film Festival team. We are actively recruiting volunteers now. Responsibilities include: Set up and tear down rooms, stage, signage, equipment, etc., greetings, box office, crowd control, check-in registration, and answering guest questions, ushering and assisting with the microphone during audience Q&A, as well as clean up. Shifts are usually 4 to 6 hours long, with plenty of break time, water, and snacks provided. To apply to be a volunteer go to: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfvoZJTW1HZI8IMm2_r9uOh63z23H4P0ra4GSB8eJvNw4pwtQ/viewform

Shoppers Drug Mart – Retail or Cosmetics Department

Work Experience Opportunity at the Shoppers Drug Mart located on the corner of Cameron and North Road. Stop by the Career Centre for more details and to sign up.

The 31st Annual Wellness Show – Vancouver Convention Centre

Are you interested in fitness, nutrition and wellness? Are you interested in events and hospitality? The 31st Annual Wellness Show is seeking volunteers at the Vancouver Convention Centre the weekend of February 3rd and 4th, 2024. Positions include information table, coat check, seminar and workshops assistants, greeters, etc. Come by the Career Centre to learn more.

Creekside Youth Centre – Afterschool Program

Creekside Youth Centre, located at Stoney Creek Elementary, is looking for volunteers for their Pre-Teen program afterschool on Mondays from 3:20 – 5:00pm. This is a great opportunity for students who are planning to go into education, social work or psychology. Minimum commitment is one day a week after school for 8 weeks. For more info and to sign up go to the Career Centre.

Big Brothers Big Sisters - Big Buddies Program

Be a Teen Mentor to an elementary-aged child from Stoney Creek Community School. Be a safe, positive role model and a friend to a child in Grades 1-7. Meetings every Monday from 3:30 pm- 4:30pm, October to May. Come out and play games, do arts & crafts and build a connection and have fun! Apply NOW at: <https://www.bigbrothersvancouver.com/our-programs/teen-mentor/> After you have completed your online application, please come to the Career Centre so we can arrange work experience paperwork.

BASES Family Thrift Store

Located at 7825 Edmonds Street, Burnaby. We provide opportunities for developing cashier and customer service skills, organization, and sorting skills. We work together as a family for our common cause to support our local community. No experience is necessary. We are looking for volunteers who enjoy Thrift Stores and love giving back. For more info and to apply go to: <https://basesburnaby.ca/>

Lucky's Dog Daycare

Do you like dogs? Would you like to work and play with LOTS of dogs? Lucky's Doggy Daycare is looking for volunteers. They are located a short walk from Gilmour Skytrain Station in Burnaby. Check out their website for more info: <https://www.luckysdaycare.com/> They currently have weekday and weekend volunteer placements available (Monday to Friday 3:30 – 6:30pm / Saturday or Sunday 10am – 6:00pm). Winter Break placements are also available.

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Students volunteer one day per week, for 6 – 8 weeks. You must be comfortable around large groups of dogs of all types and sizes. If you are interested, please stop by the Career Centre to sign up.

Learning Buddies – ONLINE Work Experience

Learning Buddies Network is a non-profit organization dedicated to helping elementary school students develop essential literacy and math skills through free one-on-one, after-school mentoring in a fun group setting. They are looking volunteers for the Fall 2023 term (October – Dec) The program runs weekdays afterschool on Zoom. There is a choice of days and time you can volunteer. For more information stop by the Career Centre and pick up a handout. To apply go to: <https://www.learningbuddiesnetwork.com/mentor-application-form>

The Madison – Seniors Care Home

The Madison is a Seniors Care Home located in Coquitlam (just off Como Lake Ave). They are looking for volunteers Monday to Thursday from 5:30 – 7pm to help with their evening social programs. Volunteers attend one day a week for a minimum of 12 weeks. This is a fantastic work experience for anyone interested in health care. To sign up come to the Career Centre.

Canadian Blood Services – Blood Donor Clinic

Volunteers are responsible for greeting donors with a smile, making conversation, and accompanying them throughout their donation process. The care and attention volunteers give is very often a key reason why donors return. As one of the last faces donors see on their way out, volunteers play a critical role in the success of future blood donor clinics. Pick up an info sheet in the Career Centre. To apply go

to :<https://app.betterimpact.com/Application?OrganizationGuid=f100c7a4-7d7f-4f35-816b-9e895866e0ae&ApplicationFormNumber>

New Vista – Seniors Care Home

New Vista is a Seniors Care Home located in Burnaby (near Edmonds Community Centre). They are looking for volunteers on weekends and weekday evenings to help with their social and recreational programs. This is a fantastic work experience for anyone interested in health care. To sign up come to the Career Centre.

Burnaby Hospice Society Thrift Store

6843 Kingsway, Burnaby - Volunteers perform a wide range of duties from sorting and pricing donations and checking electronics and small appliances to helping customers or being a cashier or wrapper. To apply go

to : <http://burnabyhospice.org/volunteer/thriftstore/>

Bonsor's Big Boo – Halloween Event

Volunteers are needed for Bonsor's Big Boo Kids Halloween event at Bonsor Recreation Centre on **October 26** from 5:30 – 10:00pm (set up) and October 27 from 4 – 10pm (event). Volunteers will assist with set up, clean up and various activity stations (crafts, games etc.) You must attend ONE Orientation Session on either **October 14**, 3:00 – 4:30pm or **October 19** 4:00- 5:30pm. Register for an orientation session at: <http://www.burnaby.ca/our-city/get-involved/volunteer> After you have register come by the Career centre to arrange for paperwork. The orientation, set up and event ALL count for Work Experience hours.

Career Exploration and Leadership Development

(these also count for Work Experience Hours – but you MUST get paperwork from the Career Center BEFORE you go)

BMSS Career Umbrella Event - Come meet an IT/Business Leader

Are you looking towards a career in IT or business? Or would like to learn more about your career options? BMSS Career Umbrella is hosting an event in room 301 on **October 25th** at lunch to listen to a guest speaker Susan Zhai! Susan is a product manager in IT. She has been in IT since graduating from SFU in 2020 with a Bachelor's in Business concentrating in IT (Management of Information Systems). Susan started her career as a project manager and business analyst and recently joined her current company, Alida, where she leads the engineering team releasing the Alida product, which has about 180 million users per day. Interested in events similar to this? Join Career Umbrella to be notified about future events!

BCIT Biotechnology Career Awareness Workshop

Grade 11 & 12 Students - are you interested in a hands-on lab experience at BCIT? This biotechnology workshop includes a gel electrophoresis lab, a DNA fingerprinting lab as well as a visit to a local biotechnology company. Come learn about the biotechnology industry in a fun and engaging way. The workshop runs from December 11-15, 2023. A fee does apply to this workshop. Visit the Career Centre for more information and an application. Applications close October 30th.

TRIUMF– Saturday Morning Lecture Series Frontiers of Modern Physics

TRIUMF, Canada's Particle Accelerator Centre, in partnership with UBC and SFU, are proud to present the following FREE lectures: visit this link for more info and to register: <https://www.triumf.ca/home/for-public/public-talks-events/saturday-morning-lectures>

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Minerva Learn to Lead TECH Program - Online:

Learning to Lead™ is a free program that provides Grade 11 students (who identify as female) with the virtual opportunity to increase confidence and explore their leadership potential while creating a network who will support them along their educational and career journeys. Participants develop their confidence through workshops that identify their key strengths and core values. They leave the program with greater self-awareness, and the inspiration to take on new challenges and opportunities. The 3-day weekend online **program runs November 17- 19 (TECH)**. To learn more and apply go to: <https://minervabc.ca/learning-to-lead/>.

JA Business Entrepreneurship Company Program

JA Company Program is a 16-week course that allows students in grades 10-12 to learn about business and entrepreneurship. Students from across B.C. – Join us this fall and walk away with the tools and resources required to build your own start-up! You will be placed in a team and will work collaboratively with other students to learn about human centered design thinking, creative product development, product life cycles, e-commerce, app development and more. You'll also develop your teamwork, decision making and critical thinking skills. There are both On-line and In Person Cohorts. For more info and to apply go to: <https://jabc.ca/companyprogram/>

Health Care Career Open House

Are you driven by a desire to help? Get a career in healthcare! Hear from passionate healthcare professionals. Take a tour of the simulation lab. Meet representatives from health care programs. Join us on Friday October 20th (Pro-D Day) from 11am – 2pm at Vancouver General Hospital. Pick up an info sheet in the Career Centre.

SFU STEM Speakers Series – Network Neuroscience

The Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Speaker Series provides secondary school students with the opportunity to meet and interact with university students, faculty members, and/or working professionals in STEM fields. The November Justine Hansen is a graduate student at McGill University in the Network Neuroscience lab. She studies how different spatial scales interact in the brain: from molecular mechanisms to dynamics to cognition. Justine relies on open-source data and software to conduct most of her data analysis and is also a proponent of open-science. Join us on **November 25** from 1:00 – 2:00pm on Zoom. To register go to : <https://sciencealive.ca/stem-speaker-series>

Post-Secondary Info Sessions

Burnaby Mountain Secondary Hosts The Following Info Sessions:

Monday, October 16: University of Calgary at 8:35 am in the MPR

Wednesday, October 25: SFU Beedie School of Business at Lunch in the MPR

Monday, November 6: UVIC Business School at Lunch in the MPR

Tuesday, November 21: PSI Mini-Fair from 2:00-4:00 pm in the Upper Commons

UBC (University of British Columbia) – Online Info Sessions

October 16 – Live Virtual Campus Tour

October 17 - All About UBC Workshop

October 18 - Application Workshop

To register go to : <https://account.you.ubc.ca/s/events?information-sessions>

Langara College - Online Info Sessions

October 16 – Studio 58 Acting and Production Programs

October 17 – Journalism / Social Services Worker

October 23 – Education Assistant Programs

To sign up go to: <https://langara.ca/news-and-events/information-sessions/index.html>

SFU (Simon Fraser University) – Online Info Sessions

October 19 – Ask Me Anything: Do you have questions about becoming an SFU student? If you're curious about anything from the admission process to our programs to student life, chat with a Recruitment Coordinator.

October 25 – A Day in the Life -Ask Me Anything: Curious about the day-to-day at SFU from a student's point of view? Meet a current student who can answer your questions about what it's really like as an SFU student.

November 16 – How to Apply SFU : Admissions and Applications for BC Highschool Students - an overview of how to navigate SFU's admission requirements, our program offerings, and how to submit your application.

To register go to : <https://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/tours-events/events.html>

Douglas College Info Fair – In Person

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Join us at the Douglas College Info Fair at our Coquitlam location on **October 17** from 5 – 8pm and our New Westminster location on **October 19** from 5 – 8 pm. Drop-in at any time during the event to explore the programs you're interested in, talk with instructors one-on-one and see our campuses. Each campus will showcase different programs, so you can join us for one or both nights, depending on your interests. For more info go to : <https://www.douglascollege.ca/future-students/explore-douglas/future-students-office/info-fair-october-17-and-19>

UVic (University of Victoria) – Online Info Session

If you're thinking about applying for undergraduate studies at UVic, join us for an online Discover UVic event on **November 8** at 4pm and learn what it really means to be a UVic student. More than just getting into university, we'll explore the possibilities and what your education can be. You'll hear about our co-op program and why hands-on learning is so important, how you can engage with your surroundings, and how our community can inspire you to succeed. Register at : <https://www.uvic.ca/undergraduate/tours-events/events/index.php>

JIBC (Justice Institute of British Columbia) - Law Enforcement Studies Diploma

Join us on **October 17** from 6:00 – 7:00 pm @ our New Westminster Campus to discover what it takes to pursue a career in law enforcement or public safety. Learn about the education, applied skills, and specialized knowledge required to become a superior candidate in the recruiting process. Register to attend at : <https://www.jibc.ca/event/law-enforcement-studies-diploma-lesd-info-session>

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