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WHAT'S NEW?

IMPORTANT DATES!

- ➔ NOVEMBER 6
Parent Teacher interviews (1:30pm dismissal)
- ➔ NOVEMBER 9
Non-instructional day (school not in session)
- ➔ NOVEMBER 12
Statutory holiday for Remembrance
- ➔ NOVEMBER 14
Take Your Kids to Work Day
- ➔ For all other dates click: [CALENDAR](#)

Anthony Ciolfitto's BLOG

The Pulse



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PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent Teacher Interviews will be held on Tuesday, November 6, from 2:30-4:30 and 5:30-7:30 pm. You may book an appointment, if you have not already done so, at <https://centennial.schoolappointments.com>.

TAKE YOUR KIDS TO WORK DAY

Wednesday, November 14 is our 29th annual "Take our Kids to Work Day". This initiative takes place during National Career Week, when several events will be taking place around the school in support of this theme. We ask all parents to accept your Grade 9 sons and daughters into your workplace for the day on November 14. If a placement is not possible at your own work site, please check with another family member or family friend. All Grade 9 students should be at a workplace for the day, so that they can report their experiences when they return to school. A **consent sheet, and attached assignment sheet**, have been given to all Grade 9s today.

Parents need to be aware that these students are not considered part of a formal work experience program, so they are not covered by the Workers' Compensation Board. They are no different than any young person visiting the workplace. Regular Grade 9 classes are **not** in session that day, to allow all Grade 9 students to be at work sites. Current research shows that adolescents will likely have a variety of jobs in their lifetime, and that will require the acquisition of new technologies and skills. The Take Your Kids to Work Day motivates, inspires and encourages our Grade 9s to think about their career possibilities after secondary school. There is more information at <http://www.thelearningpartnership.ca/what-we-do/student-programs/take-our-kids-to-work>

REPORT ABSENCE

UPDATE

Counselling/Vice Principals are divided this way:

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Student Fees	Parent eForms	Daily Schedule	Grad Info	Post-Secondary	Parking Info
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SCHOOL NOT IN SESSION NOVEMBER 9 & 12

As noted on our school calendar, school will not be in session on Friday November 9 (Curriculum Day) and Monday November 12 (for Remembrance Day).

You can access the school calendar any time by following this link.

<http://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/centennial/Lists/Calendar/calendar.aspx>

If you would like to subscribe to our calendar, simply click the “subscribe” button located above the calendar on the website.

Calendar

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS & POST-SECONDARY APPLICATIONS

Grade 12 students are encouraged to meet with our Career Resource Facilitator, Ms. Healey Wright, to get advice on the scholarship application process and post-secondary applications. Her office is in the Counselling area.

COMMENCEMENT INFORMATION

The Commencement Ceremony will be held at the Orpheum Theatre on Tuesday, June 18, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. Grade 12s are reminded to pay their fees [online](#), including the \$65 Cap and Gown fee. This fee covers the cap, gown, 2019 grad tassel, commencement program and the use of the Orpheum. Please see your Vice Principal, if you're unable to pay the full \$65 at once.

STUDENT INFORMATION VERIFICATION SHEET

The individualized Student Information Verification sheet was distributed to students in Homeroom on the first day of school. It's very important that you review, amend if necessary, and return this sheet to the office asap please. This is done annually. Thank you.

PARENT e-FORMS & STUDENT FEES

Please complete the [online](#) forms for your child. These forms must be completed annually. Please also pay your child's fees for 2018/19.

MY SCHOOL DAY APP

We encourage you to download our free app. On the App Store or Google Play, search for “My School Day”. Select BC, SD43 Coquitlam, Centennial Secondary from the list provided. Make sure to allow it to receive notifications if asked – we will send out important reminders, information and alerts through notifications. <https://downloads.schoolapps.online/docs/MySchoolDay1PageMigrate.pdf>