



THE "BEST" INFORMER



Wednesday, June 06, 2018

Today is **Day 1**

****Please note: **All new items or any item with changes will be in Red******

GENERAL

PLEASE COME TO THE OFFICE

Malik Danladi and Cole Steele.

BUTTERFLY EFFECT CHAPATTI SALE

This is your final chance to get some delish chapatti for this school year! Tomorrow, **Thursday June 7th** during blocks 1-5 in the front foyer. There are a variety of topping to choose from, don't miss out.

CURRENT VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- **PORT MOODY ROTARY RIBFEST 2018** is coming up on **July 20, 21 & 22** and we need your help please. Certificates available for the number of hours volunteered. CONTACT: lindabalzer@telus.net Linda Balzer Volunteer Co-ordinator.
- **SHARE FOOD BANK** at Hillcrest United Church (Austin Rd.) Needs **WEDNESDAY** volunteers. Earn volunteer hours helping with set up and tear down in the summer. CONTACT: Darlene Proulx 604-916-2012 dproulx59@telus.net
- **FUN REC SUMMER CAMP** will have a volunteer info table at Best on Wednesday, June 6th from 10:45 – 12:00

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Coquitlam Farmers Market is hiring a program coordinator. 30 hrs per week in the summer and 10 hrs per week in the fall. Visit makebakegrow.com

FATHER'S DAY-ROCK FOR AUTISM

Are you unemployed? Broke? Want a phenomenal and free event to take your dad to? Well look no more! Come to the 2nd annual "ROCK FOR AUTISM" on **Sunday June 17th** at Rocky Point Park for 7 hours of free rock n'roll starting at 12 noon.

Our alumni LUC PICARD will be performing multiple sets including a KISS set- and will be playing drums, keyboards, bass and electric guitar and performing vocals. There will be Beer and wine gardens, food trucks, and CDs for sale.

Bring cash, lawn chairs, a picnic and your dad! Come join us for this awesome event.

Current Autism statistics are 1 in 64 people are affected so come help support our friends, family, neighbours, peers and coworkers, everyone is welcome.

Check out our website <http://www.rockforautism.ca> and Facebook

YEARBOOKS

Only **31** yearbooks left to order, if you want one get your order in soon.

SPORTS

SENIOR GIRLS SOCCER

Congratulations to our Senior Girls Soccer Team for placing 7th in the provincial championships last week. Captain Leah Favaro was selected to the tournament All Star Team. Players of the Game awards for each game at provincials were Jenna Mele, Tara Kong, Daniella Bavaro, Leah Favaro, and Alex Redey. The team played 22 games all season and only lost to the 2 provincial finalists. Coaches and parents are extremely proud of the teams efforts, passion, team work, and display of talent in every game. Good job girls!

GRADE 12

MANDATORY MEETING FOR ALL GRADE 12'S

There is a **MANDATORY** Commencement Rehearsal and Capp and Gown pick up on Friday June 8th in Block 5. Cap and Gowns **MUST** be picked up on the 8th, there will be no gowns distributed at the event. Again this meeting is absolutely **MANDATORY!!!**

DINNER/DANCE TABLE RESERVATIONS-PLEASE NOTE ROOM CHANGE

Starting today, June 6th-June 8th in **Room 215** from 10:30-12:30.

All students at your table must have their Grad tickets purchased before you can make a reservation.

Please assign one person per group to make your table reservation.

You will **not** receive a ticket, your name will be on a list.

ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Any Grade 12 students who have received an Athletic Scholarship please see Mr. Raabe in Room 205.

PLEASE COME TO THE OFFICE REGARDING GRAD

Would the following students please come to the office to see Ms. Lynn about Grad
Andrew Beck, Caroline (Yang Chen) Lu, Andrew (Jae Won) Lee, Callum Panter, Jie Tang, Jerry Yao.

BUS TO AFTER GRAD-PLEASE NOTE-ANOTHER BUS HAS BEEN CANCELLED!!!!

There is a very low turnout for those students booking the After Grad Bus. We will be cancelling buses unless we get more bookings. PLEASE if you are planning to take the bus to after grad book it online now!!

Maximum **108** seats on the buses

We currently have **10** spaces remaining, only **98** spaces have been sold.

Cut off to pay online is June 18, 2018, there are **no** tickets your name will be on a list.

COMMENCEMENT TICKETS

Please note that there is **no** chance of the Commencement tickets selling out. You receive 4 free tickets and then \$5.00 each for any additional tickets that you need.

AFTER GRAD

Everyone in Grade 12, including approved guests, can attend.

Cut off to pay online is June 18, 2018, there are no tickets, your name will be on a list.

2018 GRADS PLEASE SAVE THE DATE

Grads of 2018 please save the dates:

June 8th-Commencement rehearsal and Grad Cap and Gown pick up, Block 5, large gym, **MANDATORY!!**

June 9th -Commencement

June 22nd - French Leaving Ceremony, 1-3 pm

June 23rd - Grad Dinner and Dance followed by After grad

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

WHEN CROSSING COMO LAKE

To all students:

Please remember to use the crosswalks and obey all traffic lights when crossing Como Lake.

*******SCENT FREE SCHOOL*******

All schools and buildings within *SD43* are "scent free" places of work and learning. Numerous students and staff have serious medical complications with various natural and chemical scents/ fragrances.

As such, please make every effort to avoid using or wearing scented products within this space in order to establish an environment that is as "scent safe" as possible.

******ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS****NO LOITERING IN BUS SHELTER******

Students are reminded that the bus shelters are for people who are actually waiting to get on a bus.

Please do not use them as a social gathering place.

STUDENT DROP OFFS

Please be aware that when dropping students off in the morning, vehicles are **not permitted** to stop at the west entrance roundabout. Stopping in the roundabout causes dangerous traffic problems on Como Lake Ave and impedes traffic.

SLOW DOWN AND USE CAUTION IN THE DRIVEWAY/DROP OFF AREA IN FRONT OF THE SCHOOL

Students are reminded to slow down and use the designated crosswalk area when crossing through the school driveway area. Be very vigilant as drivers are often distracted as they are moving in and out of waiting spots. Also, our student drivers are reminded that the expectation is "dead slow" in our school driveways and parking lots.

LITTER IN THE HALLWAYS

Students are reminded to clean up after themselves. It is a continual challenge to keep our school clean for all of us given that lunch hours take place all day long. Please pick up after yourself and your friends. Remember, we have garbage, bottle recycle, paper recycle and organics bins in regular locations throughout the building. Let's all PITCH IN together!

*****VAPORIZERS – AN ADDITION TO THE CODE OF CONDUCT*****

VAPING IS NOT PERMITTED IN THE SCHOOL OR ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

We have noted an increase in the use of these devices by our student population at Charles Best. While there are documented health concerns associated with vaping, these devices have also become a safety issue. We are using this opportunity to inform students and parents **that vaporizers and/or e-cigarettes cannot be possessed at school under any circumstances.** There have been recent incidents in our school/district that have resulted in these devices unintentionally exploding which can result in serious injury for the user and those around them. For the safety of all of our students and staff, it is important that these devices are not on school property. Students are not permitted to have these devices in their lockers, backpacks, or on their person at any time while on school property. If a student is found in possession of a vaporizer or e-cigarette, it will be confiscated. Parents will be contacted and required to meet with the administration and their son/daughter. Reoccurring incidents will result in disciplinary action.