

Dr. Charles Best Secondary Newsletter – Issue 9 – March 8, 2019

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Website: <http://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/charlesbest/Pages/default.aspx>

Principal – Heather Murphy, Vice-Principals – David Jones, Sharon McKay and Joel Nelson



Our school goal is to develop a culture of connectedness and belonging within the school, among school staff, students, and our parent community, in order to enhance opportunities for collaborative partnerships.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

March 11-15 Spirit Week

Monday: wear your “Best” clothing

Tuesday: Tacky Tourist day

Wednesday: gr 12’s wear green, gr 11’s blue, gr 10’s red, gr 9’s white

Thursday: throwback to the 80’s

Friday: PJ day

Thursday, March 14

Early Dismissal of Students 2PM

Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews

3PM to 5PM – 5:48PM to 7:48PM in the Gym

Grade 12 Parent Information Meeting 6PM – Library

Friday, March 15

Locker Cleanout

March 16-31

Spring Break

April 4

Team/Club Photos

April 17

School Dance (Semi-Formal, Masquerade)

7PM – 9PM in the Gym

DR. CHARLES BEST HONOUR ROLL & SUPER G AWARD WINNERS – SEMESTER I

Congratulations to the Best of the Best!

It is with a great deal of pleasure and pride that we congratulate the following students on behalf of the Dr. Charles Best staff on achieving Honours with Distinction, Honours and Super G Award status. We truly appreciate the effort and dedication you put into your studies and we applaud your success. Thank you for your work, integrity and perseverance. We wish everyone continued success for Semester II.



P.S. Thank you for your patience as we tried to create accurate honours lists. There were a few new things in play this year that made our calculations a little challenging. We hope we were able to catch all the glitches. We posted the lists this past week for students to proofread. Thank you again and congratulations,

Ms. Heather Murphy, Principal

PARENT STUDENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS – HOW TO BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT

Appointments are booked online at <http://charlesbestsignup.com/> or you can access it through our website under Quick Links, Parent Teacher Student Interview Bookings. We recommend that you use your personal email to book appointments (not a work email). If you have difficulty using the online booking system, please call the school at 604-461-5581 and we will be happy to assist you. The deadline for booking appointments is 12PM (noon) on Thursday, March 14.

GRADE 12 PARENT MEETING – THURSDAY, MARCH 14 – 6PM – 6:45PM

Our counsellors will present information pertaining to graduation events, Grad Transitions and post-secondary information. Grade 12 parents, please do not book your Parent Teacher Student Interviews during this time.

GRAD TRANSITIONS – IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR GRADE 12 STUDENTS & PARENTS

If students have Grad Transitions scheduled in Semester II, please be advised that the absolute deadline for submission of the Graduation Transition package into OneNote is April 15. Students who have not submitted a complete Graduation Transition package by this date will NOT be able to purchase a ticket for the Grad Dinner/Dance. Students that had Grad Transitions in Semester I and have not submitted their packages have far exceeded the deadline and will now become a lower priority to those students in Semester II who submit by the April 15 deadline. ***Remember to confirm completion of your Grad Transition by sending an e-mail to Ms. Weeks or Mr. MacDonald upon submitting it to OneNote.***

NEW RECYCLING PROGRAM STARTS APRIL 1 IN ALL SCHOOL DISTRICT 43 SCHOOLS

Dr. Charles Best Secondary along with all other schools in the district will be starting a NEW Recycling Program starting April 1, 2019. There will be a number of bins distributed throughout the school that will include Mixed Recycling, Refundables, Organics and Waste Only. There will no longer be garbage bins (waste only) in the classrooms, only Mixed Recycling and Organics. Teachers have been introducing the change to students via fun interactive games, such as Kahoot, to inform them about the new bins and what goes in them. It is important that we model at school what has been happening in our homes to organize our waste in an environmental manner.



ATHLETICS: SPRING SPORTS & COACHES

Senior Boys Rugby:	Kevin Startin & Jun Ishii
Junior Boys Rugby:	Kevin Startin & Denise Galuska
Girls Rugby:	Kevin Startin
Senior Girls Soccer:	Alfonso Napoletano
Junior Girls Soccer:	Olivia Fournier & Shannon Burnham
Senior & Junior Golf:	Mark Humphries
Track & Field:	Michele Harding & Dylan Gant
Senior & Junior Badminton:	Warren Chang & Raphael Fernandez
Tennis:	Wooji Choi
Hockey:	Matt Last & Christine Jenkins

PAC & COMMUNITY NEWS

AFTER GRAD 2019 FUNDRAISERS

Donate your bottles/cans at the following recycling depots and proceeds go to After Grad 2019!

Blue Mountain Bottle Depot, 511 Blue Mountain Street, Coquitlam – Quote #208 Dr. Charles Best Aftergrad
 Coquitlam Return It Depot, #104 – 2560 Barnet Highway, Coquitlam – Quote #88 Dr. Charles Best Aftergrad
 Biggar Bottle Depot, 2577 Kingsway Avenue, Coquitlam – Quote: Charles Best Aftergrad 2019

Mother's Day Plant Sale

Order online on the Charles Best Website under Quick Links – Mother's Day Planter Fundraiser for Aftergrad 2019. Orders are due on April 23. Plant pick up at Dr. Charles Best on Monday, April 29.

<https://sd43.schoolcashonline.com/Fee/Details/32531/108/False/True>

2019 Order Form

2019 Aftergrad Mother's day plant sale fundraiser **Orders Due: April 23, 2019**
Plant Pick-up: Monday, April 29, 2019

<p>12" Premium Hanging Baskets Our improved flower mixes are sure to be a big hit! These hanging baskets can be exposed to full sun with the best flowering and trailing plants. There are a variety of mixes/colours.</p> <p>\$30</p>	<p>12" Premium Patio Planters All planters include an assortment of our top performing plant collections. Planters can be exposed to full sun areas. Perfect for creating a spring patio or backyard paradise.</p> <p>\$30</p>	<p>12" Strawberry Basket A kid favourite! Enjoy fresh strawberries all summer long. Ever bearing strawberries with different coloured blossoms in white or pink. Beautiful and delicious!</p> <p>\$20</p>	<p>10-pack 4" Succulents Fast-growing in popularity, succulents are versatile & low maintenance. Ideal as house decor and gifts! This 10-pack offers excellent variety and textures from the echeveria, sedum, sedeveria and senecio families. <small>Duplicates & substitutes may occur.</small></p> <p>\$30 NEW ITEM</p>	<p>10-pack 4" Herbs An assortment of our finest herbs! Varieties include: -Basil (Sweet) -Mint Mojito -Basil (Thai) -Peppermint -Thyme -Oregano -Chives Onion -Parsley -Chives Garlic -Rosemary <small>Duplicates & substitutes may occur.</small></p> <p>\$30 IMPROVED</p>	
<p>10-pack 4" Veggies Grow your own food this year in a garden or planter box! Varieties include: -Tomatoes x 4 -Cucumber -Zucchini -Peppers x 2 -Kale -Romaine <small>Duplicates & substitutes may occur.</small></p> <p>\$30 IMPROVED</p>	<p>10-pack 4" Zonal Geraniums These easy to grow bedding plants add vibrant colour to your garden. Resistant to pests such as deer/rabbits. Colours: Red, White, Pink <small>Cannot mix & match colours in a flat.</small></p> <p>\$30</p>	<p>10-pack 4" Wave Petunias The popular cascading Wave petunias bring eye-catching colour to gardens, planter boxes and hanging baskets. Colours: Purple, White <small>Cannot mix & match colours in a flat.</small></p> <p>\$30 wave</p>	<p>10-pack 4" Marigolds Marigolds add a pop of colour and brightness to enjoy all season. Excellent companion plants for many vegetables! Colours: Orange</p> <p>\$25</p>	<p>Premium Soil 30 L A bag of organic potting soil, perfect for filling containers. This hearty mix helps plants grow to their full potential. Enriched with: compost, kelp, fish meal, peat moss, glacial rock dust, & rice hulls.</p> <p>\$9</p>	<p>Fertilizer Shaker 1.8 kg Enhance your garden with an easy to use fertilizer shaker. Made with organic granular kelp this blend is great for both flowers and veggies.</p> <p>\$15</p>

Product mixes, plants used and materials vary. Item received may not be exactly as shown. Substitutions may occur.

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FUNDRAISING

Canuel Caterers – Employment Opportunity



Is hiring for our Port Moody,
 Coquitlam and Port Coquitlam
 Highschool Café locations. Do
 you want Summers, Spring and
 Winter breaks off? Then this is
 the job for you!

Please contact Kathy for more
 information!

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