



# THE "BEST" INFORMER



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2022  
TODAY IS DAY 1

\*\*\*\*Please note: All new and changed items are in red\*\*\*\*



## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### NO SCHOOL TOMORROW

Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup> is a PRO-D Day. School is not in session. Classes resume on Monday, October 24.

### DROP EVERYTHING AND READ

Monday, October 24<sup>th</sup> is DEAR (Drop Everything and Read) Day this year!

The day will start with students and staff engaging in some type of reading: silent, read aloud, buddy read etc.

### PARENT DANCE

Back after a 3 year hiatus, the parents of Grade 11 students (Grad 2024) will be hosting a parents only dance! (date TBD). This popular event was established in 1999 and monies raised will help offset grad dinner/dance costs for our 2024 grads. See meeting details for Grade 11 parents below:

November 8, 2022 @ 6:00pm  
Charles Best Library

### STUDENT PARKING PASS

ALL students parking a vehicle on school property require a parking pass. Once you have completed your 'N' road test, please come to the office for a registration form. Reminder to all current students with a parking pass-your pass must be visible in your front windshield when your car is parked on school grounds.

### LIBRARY CONTESTS

- **Scary Story Contest** - submit a two-sentence scary story by October 31st to win a prize! Go over to our Library Instagram "bestlibrarylc43" for details and to submit your story.
- **Bookmark Contest** - design an original bookmark design by October 31st to win a prize! Go over to our Library Instagram "bestlibrarylc43" for details.

## SPORTS

### TONIGHT - JUNIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

Thursday, October 20<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:00pm in the small gym.

Please email Ms. Weeks at [mweeks@sd43.bc.ca](mailto:mweeks@sd43.bc.ca) if you are unable to make it.

### SENIOR BOYS SOCCER

The teams travels up to Heritage Woods Secondary School today.  
Good luck boys!

### GRADE 9 GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

The girls volleyball team also travels to Heritage Woods Secondary for their match after school today.  
Go Blue Devils!

### RUGBY TRAINING

Next training date is **Wednesday, October 26<sup>th</sup>** on the upper turf field for all who would like to participate. Please try to find some cleats but runners are still suitable. If practice is cancelled due to air quality, we will hold a brief meeting instead. See you on the pitch!

### JUNIOR BOYS BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

Tryout #2 will be on **Thursday, October 27<sup>th</sup>** from 6:30-8pm.

### GRADE 9 BOYS BASKETBALL

Tryouts will be announced soon.

## CLUBS

## GRADE 12'S

### GRADS OF 2023, ITS TIME TO SUBMIT 3 ITEMS FOR OUR YEARBOOK

**Deadline to submit is November 12, 2022. Don't delay!**

#### BABY PHOTOS



Baby Photos

#### GRAD WRITE-UPS



Write-ups

#### SUPERLATIVES



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### GRAD 2023 FUNDRAISERS

The Dr. Charles Best 2023 Grad Committee has a number of fundraisers coming up to assist in keeping costs down for our graduating class. The money raised will go towards reducing the ticket cost for After Grad and providing a fun and safe environment for the Grads on Grad night.

#### SILENT AUCTION:

The Dr. Charles Best 2023 Grad Committee is looking for donations for a silent auction. Please contact parent committee member Michelle Danielov at [bestgrad2023@gmail.com](mailto:bestgrad2023@gmail.com) to make arrangements for drop offs.

**\*NOTE: NEW Meridian Meats flyer below. The images below do not contain hyperlinks. If there are difficulties accessing any sites below, please contact [bestgrad2023@gmail.com](mailto:bestgrad2023@gmail.com)**

### *Dr. Charles Best After Grad 2023*

MERIDIAN MEATS & SEAFOOD  
GIFTCARD FUNDRAISER

**Meridian**  
FARM MARKET



Check Out [Meridianfarmmarket.ca](http://Meridianfarmmarket.ca)  
For Product Selection

Order Deadline: **October 28th**

Buy gift cards by retying this URL in your browser  
<https://best-grad-2023.square.site>

Gift Card can only be used in store  
and will be distributed in mid November

Thanks so much for supporting our 2023 Grads.  
All proceeds go towards reducing the cost of producing the after grad event for students.

Please contact [bestgrad2023@gmail.com](mailto:bestgrad2023@gmail.com)  
if you have any questions



### *Dr. Charles Best After Grad 2023* *- Bowling Fundraiser -*

Join us for a Fun Bowl on November 5  
PoCo Bowl, 2263 McAllister Ave, Port Coquitlam

Cost: \$27.00 per ticket  
Ticket includes 3 games of bowling plus snacks and pizza

All alcoholic beverages \$7.00  
Non alcoholic beverages \$2.00

19+

Purchase tickets at: [www.bit.ly/grad2023-bowling](http://www.bit.ly/grad2023-bowling)  
For information email: [bestgrad2023@gmail.com](mailto:bestgrad2023@gmail.com)

Silent  
Auction



### NOVEMBER 18TH

*Sip & Shop at Charles Best*  
55 plus Artisan Vendors!  
Wine & Snacks  
Painting! Book for you and a friend  
Silent Auction, Music & More  
Doors open Friday, 18th from 5:30 - 9 pm  
Please use front entrance  
Info: [bestgrad2023@gmail.com](mailto:bestgrad2023@gmail.com)

## CAREER CENTRE NEWS: OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS

### TOMORROW - SWEET FEAR: FREE EVENT AT SCIENCE WORLD

Students aged 13-18 can take a trip through the haunted theatre, learn how to create special effects and experience some horror VR. Enjoy creepy carnival games, and much more – **for FREE!**

Friday, October 21, 6-9 pm. [Register Now](#)

### TOMORROW - COQUITLAM CENTRE CAREER DAYS

Anyone interested in finding employment at one of the Coquitlam Centre retail stores, visit Coquitlam Centre during the following hours: **Oct 21<sup>st</sup>** 10 am - 12 pm; **Oct 22<sup>nd</sup>** 10 am - 12:00 pm; **Oct 23<sup>rd</sup>** 11 am - 1 pm. Drop off your resume and speak with managers about available positions. There will be a Store Manager on duty in all stores to speak to potential candidates during these times. Some retailers may also be holding on-the-spot interview.

### STEM VOLUNTEERS FOR PORTER ELEMENTARY AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

If you have block 5 off and are interested in science & technology/ helping children, consider volunteering for one of these two 8-week programs.

**Program 1:** Tuesdays, 2.55 - 3.55 pm, starting Oct 25: Coding & Design.

**Program 2:** Wednesdays, 2.55 - 3.55 pm, starting Oct 26: Science & Engineering.

Experience working with kids would be great but is not required. Email [edusteampower@gmail.com](mailto:edusteampower@gmail.com) or call/text 778 868 4498 to apply.

### DOPPIO ZERO IS HIRING DISHWASHERS

Requirements are +15 years of age, and available to work at least 1, preferable 2 shifts per week. Shifts are 5 pm to 9.30/10.30 pm (weekdays), and 4 pm to 9.30/10.30 pm on Fridays & Saturdays. No experience required, just willing to work hard. If you are interested, apply with your resume in person (ask for Guilia), or send your resume to [doppiozeroquitlam@gmail.com](mailto:doppiozeroquitlam@gmail.com)

## POST SECONDARY EVENTS

### TOMORROW - SFU DISCOVER PHYSICS PRO D DAY EVENT

What is it like to study Physics at SFU? What is the career outlook? What does a physics lab and physics research look like at SFU? Get all your questions answered on **Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup>**, 10 am to 2.30 pm. Shrum Science Centre, SFU Burnaby campus. More info and register for free [here](#).

### SFU FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE INFO SESSION

Learn more about SFU's 4 different Applied Sciences' schools: Computing Science, Engineering Science, Mechatronic Systems Engineering, and Sustainable Energy Engineering.

**Tue, October 25**, 4.30 pm. [Sign up here](#).

### DISCOVER UBC OKANAGAN

Worried that UBC Vancouver might be too competitive but still want to get the first class UBC education? Explore what UBC-O can offer you. Meet the admissions & advising team in person at 1 of 3 Lower Mainland events: **North Vancouver, October 27<sup>th</sup>**, **Abbotsford, November 16<sup>th</sup>**. 6.30-8 pm.

Learn more and [register here](#).

### SFU SURREY CAMPUS OPEN HOUSE

Tour the SFU Surrey campus, and check out faculty showcases and presentations. There will be entertainment and prizes. **Thu, Oct 27**, 4-8 pm. [More here](#).

### UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS EVENT IN VANCOUVER

U of T will have representatives from all undergraduate divisions available to answer students' questions about programs, student life, and applying. **Tue, November 1**, 7-9 pm, Westin Bayshore Hotel, Vancouver.

[Register here](#).

### UBC SAUDER FALL OPEN HOUSE

Prospective students and their parents are invited to UBC's biggest info session this year. Learn about applying to the BCom program, meet the dean and the admissions team, get your questions answered and tour the Sauder facilities. On campus visit includes free lunch, but you can also attend virtually.

**Sat, November 5<sup>th</sup>**, 9 am – 12.30 pm. [Sign up here](#).

### UBC ENGINEERING OPEN HOUSE

Explore all UBC Engineering has to offer through in-person booths and demonstrations. Learn about the 14 engineering programs by chatting with professors, students and advisors, co-op, student life, etc.

UBC Vancouver campus, **Sat, November 5<sup>th</sup>**, 10 am – 2 pm. [Register here](#).

### UBC APPLICATION WORKSHOPS

Last chance to better understand the application process and the personal profile. Workshops filled up very quickly, please now if you want to attend: **November 9<sup>th</sup>, 4 pm (only a few spots left)**

**UPCOMING EVENTS/RECRUITER VISITS- OPEN TO GRADE 11/12'S**

University of Toronto	Mon, October 24 <sup>th</sup> 3.20 pm	School library
SFU Beedie School of Business	Wed, October 26 <sup>th</sup> 3.20 pm	School library
Toronto Metropolitan University	Thu, October 27 <sup>th</sup> 3.20 pm	School library
<del>UBC Sauder School of Business</del>	<del>Wed, November 2 3.20pm</del>	<b>CANCELLED</b>
Western University	Thu, November 3 <sup>rd</sup> 3-4 pm	Booth, main foyer
Post-Secondary BC Fair (Recruiters from all BC universities & colleges will be at Best!)	Fri, November 4 <sup>th</sup> 9-11.45 am	Various rooms around the school
Langara	Tue, November 8 <sup>th</sup> 6:00pm	<b>Virtual SD43 event</b>
University of Waterloo	Tue, November 15 <sup>th</sup> 3.20 pm	School library
McGill University	Tue, November 15 <sup>th</sup> 7 pm	HWSS, theatre (open to all SD43 students)
University of Calgary	Thu, November 17 <sup>th</sup> 3-4 pm	Booth, main foyer
University of Alberta	Wed, November 23 <sup>rd</sup> 3.20 pm	School library
UBC Sauder Student Ambassadors	Wed, November 23 <sup>rd</sup> 6.00pm	<b>Virtual SD43 event</b>

