



THE “BEST” INFORMER

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2023

TODAY IS DAY 2



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

H A P P Y
Valentine's Day

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

GRADE 11 COURSE SELECTION APPOINTMENT

Grade 11's, you must make an appointment with your Counsellor to confirm your 2023-2024 course selections. Dates available are from Friday Feb. 10 – Friday Feb. 24. Sign up [HERE](#)

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS: RENEWAL APPLICATIONS FOR NEXT YEAR

The deadline for International students to pay program fees is **March 1, 2023**.
(The firm deadline to have money received via bank wire, cheque, or credit card is March 1, 2023.)

Students are not guaranteed their place in our school after this date.

Please see Mrs. Joba if you have any questions about the reapplication process or to receive another form.

LOST AND FOUND

The lost and found bin is growing again. Please stop by the table in the main hallway outside the Tech Centre to check for lost belongings. Items will be on display **until Friday, February 17**.

PURDY'S FUNDRAISER

Who needs chocolate for Easter?!?! Click on the link to order by March 10th

Our 2023 Grad class thanks you for your support!

[Purdys Chocolatier Group Savings and Fundraising](#)

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.

GRADE 12'S

BEST SENIOR GIRLS/GRAD 2023 HOODIES

Thank you to Maia and Jacob for designing the newest Senior Girls/Grad Hoodies!

Order with these links and pick them up from the school right after Spring Break.

There are absolutely **NO late orders** on these shirts.

If you are ordering the one that has personalization, please ensure your name is spelled correctly.

The last day you can order is February 27th.

BEST SENIOR GIRLS LINK: <https://charlesbestgradgirls23.itemorder.com/>

GRAD 2023 LINK: <https://charlesbestgrad23.itemorder.com/>

UBC – YOU CAN STILL APPLY

If you missed the deadline to apply to UBC but are now realizing that you would like to attend UBC Okanagan, check out the [UBC website](#). UBC has re-opened admission to basically all Okanagan programs, plus a few at the Vancouver campus. Please don't delay, programs may close without notice at any time.

BEST GRADS SCHOLARSHIP MEETING

Grade 12 students are invited to our next scholarship meeting. Learn about local scholarships available to only Best graduates or to SD43 students. Join us in the library, **Wednesday, February 15th, 3.20 pm**.

SPORTS

WRESTLING RESULTS

We sent 10 wrestlers to zones and 9 qualified for Provincials. All wrestlers had wins which is a great accomplishment in and of itself.

Gold medal winners...Liam G., Kai S., and Selina L.

Silver medal winners ...Bradyn R. and Arya T.

4th place to Elon H., Markus M. and Thomas B.

5th place Kai M.

The girls team place 5th, boys team was 4th and over all combined we were 2nd!!

Amazing performance considering it's a rebuild year from a 2-year absence.

SENIOR GIRLS PLAYOFF BOUND

The Senior girls begin Fraser North playdowns today at 5:15pm.

Game tonight is against Burnaby North at Burnaby Central Secondary. Best of luck team!

SENIOR BOYS BASKETBALL

The boys next league game is on Valentine's Day at Riverside Secondary School.

Bring your date to a fun night of basketball! Tip off is at 7:30pm.

FIELD LACROSSE SCHEDULE FEB. 13-17

Double header Tuesday at home February 14th Valentines Day.

- Juniors play at 3:45 versus Sardis.
- Early dismissal for Juniors at 3:00 see teachers before hand.
- Seniors play MRSS starting at 4:45 pm at home.
 - Practice on Wednesday at 3:30
 - Update Team Snap ASAP
- (Equipment storage equipment room 7:45-8:00 am) both days

CLUBS

*****Be sure to check Instagram for club posts*****

CAREER CENTRE NEWS: OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS

SD43 TRADES & CAREER PROGRAMS VIRTUAL INFO SESSION

Students and their parents/ guardians who are interested in learning about the district's "Train in Trades" and "Work in Trades" programs, are invited to an info event on **February 15** at 6 pm. [Register here.](#)

GO CODE GIRL

Free computer science workshop for **Grade 8 to 11 girls***. Learn about the exciting world of coding and software development and discover opportunities in the computing and engineering fields. This event will introduce students to the concept of Machine Learning.

Wed Feb. 22, 5-6.30 pm. SFU Surrey campus. [Register here.](#)

WESTWOOD PLATEAU GOLF CLUB HIRING FAIR

Looking for a job? Different departments are hiring for the golf season (April to October): Turf Care, kitchen, restaurant, banquets/ events, and golf operations. Bring your resume/ cover letter on

Sat, February 25 or Sunday, February 26, 10 AM to 3 PM. [More info and registration here.](#)

STUDY & GO ABROAD FAIR VANCOUVER

Start planning to study or travel abroad. Learn about university and college programs, scholarships, working abroad, and volunteer opportunities worldwide! **March 2nd**. [Register for free.](#)

SPRING BREAK OPPORTUNITY: SWEAT (STRUCTURED WORK EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING)

La Salle College in Vancouver is offering Grade 11 and 12 students the opportunity to experience campus for four days and use state-of-the-art equipment and learn from faculty. Students can receive 30 hours of hands-on workshop experience in 3D Modeling & Animation | Digital Film & Video | Game Art & Design | Culinary Arts | Baking & Pastry | Hospitality Management | Fashion Design | Graphic Design | Interior Design, etc.

March 20-23, 2023. Cost: \$150. [Register here.](#)

CAMP IGNITE FOR GRADE 11 & 12 GIRLS

Are you an aspiring firefighter? Do you have an interest in exploring the limits of your potential? Ignite your passion. Ignite the possibilities. August 10-13. **Apply by April 1st**, 2023. [More here.](#)

POST SECONDARY EVENTS

UBC SAUDER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS INFO SESSION

Grade 10 & 11 students and their families wanting to learn about the BCom program and UBC's application process are invited. Connect with current UBC Sauder BCom students and get your questions answered straight from the source.

Thu, February 16, 5 - 6 pm. Vancouver campus. [Register to attend](#). Can't make it? Mark your calendar for **March 23 or May 19**.

ACTING PROGRAM AT LANGARA COLLEGE

Langara's Studio 58 offers students two dynamic streams inside one program: Acting is a three-year, full-time program for those who want a career as a professional actor in theatre and film/TV. Production is a three-year, full-time program for those who want a career in the technical side. Auditions are taking place in April.

[Register to attend](#) on **Thu, February 16th** at 6.30 pm, on campus to learn more.

KPU WILSON SCHOOL OF DESIGN INFO SESSIONS

Graphic design for marketing, **Feb 22nd**, 6 pm (Richmond campus).

[Sign up here](#) (bottom of the page).

