

THE "BEST" INFORMER



TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2025 TODAY IS DAY 1

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



GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS

Starting on Thursday April 10th, Leadership and Active Youth students will be watching Random Acts of Kindness done by students or staff. If one of them sees you doing an Act of Kindness, they will give you a small certificate that you can turn into Heather (YW) for prizes. This event will take place **April 10-17th.**Please see posters for ideas of doing nice things.

KIVA FUNDRAISING EVENT

On April 17th, grade 10 French immersion students will be hosting a fundraising event in the school lobby, selling snacks and sweets during lunch hour in support of Kiva. Kiva is a non-profit organization that helps people around the world build better lives for themselves through small loans. These microloans allow individuals—often in developing countries—to start or grow a business, improve their homes, or support their education. Every cookie or treat you buy will help empower someone to reach their goals and create lasting change in their community. Come support a sweet cause!

NO SCHOOL FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH AND MONDAY APRIL 21ST

There are no classes in session on Good Friday or Easter Monday. Classes resume on **Tuesday**, **April 22**nd. Enjoy your long weekend!

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY TREAT SALE FUNDRAISER

Come check out the treat sale held by Charles Best Social Responsibility students for some yummy treats and good eats for a great cause on **Wednesday April 30 in blocks 1-5!** Don't miss our stand at the front entrance. All profits are going to support Kenyan scholarship student Sarah Mbeneka Karoki on our mission to help pay her school fees. Please bring cash or you can scan our QR code. We can't wait to see you there!

CHARLES BEST IRON CHEF CHALLENGE!

What: Cooking Competition.

Who: EVERYONE WELCOME INCLUDING STAFF! Showcase your culinary skills in teams of 4 to prepare an appetizer, an entree, and a dessert for a panel of judges.

Team categories: Junior (Gr. 9-10), Senior (Gr. 11-12) and STAFF

When: May 8th 3:30 - 6:30 **Where:** Foods rooms 104/105

Why: Prizes for the top 3 teams! and FUN!

How: To sign up your team, follow the QR code and complete the registration

form **by Friday, April 11!** \$5 entry fee per team.

Questions? See Ms. Abdou, Ms. Doll or Mr. So.



CLUB EVENTS

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR EVENTS HAPPENING SOON

GRADE 12 INFORMATION

ATTENTION GRADE 12S IMPORTANT INFO ABOUT DINNER/DANCE TICKETS

UPDATE: Grads if you want to buy a ticket to dinner/dance, you MUST be up to date with CLC12 (visit room 309 to check). For example, some students have not satisfied the 30-hour volunteer criteria.

Grad dinner/dance tickets will be on sale ONLINE starting Monday April 28th @ 3pm. If you want to buy a ticket to dinner/dance, you MUST have ALL FEES paid by Friday April 25th.

You can pay your fees online or speak with Ms. Mitianin in the office.

Tickets will be on sale for 2 weeks so please ensure you check your School CashOnline accounts for outstanding items. Ensure fees are paid ASAP and don't wait until the last minute.

CAREER CENTRE NEWS: OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS

HIKE FOR HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteer Opportunities are available for students for the Hike for Hospice event, which is scheduled for **Sunday, May 25, 2025,** at Mundy Park. It would be fantastic if a group of students could volunteer on the day of. There are a variety of roles available, including registration, trail marshals, and assistance with the BBQ, among others. **Additionally, students can be provided letters to verify their volunteer hours.**

Students are welcome to email Kristen.Peck@crossroadshospice.org and cc

Shalon.Morrison@crossroadshospice.org.

Kristen will work with students to confirm a position and will also ensure they are provided with appropriate resources and training that will equip them for event day.

Please see the event link below.

Hike for Hospice website.

Students, watch this space, follow the Career Centre on Instagram or check the Career Centre page on our school website for regular posts about upcoming post-secondary events, local volunteer opportunities or other neat, usually free, opportunities for personal growth.

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SCHOLARSHIP/AWARD/BURSARY INFORMATION

LOOKING FOR MORE SCHOLARSHIPS?

The <u>Career Centre Website > Financial Aid tab</u> is currently listing 50+ different awards (Please note the little arrow after the first 30 awards that gets you to page 2). Maybe you have some extra time over Spring Break to have a look. Also, remember to do your own research, i.e. your parents' place of employment, credit union, insurance providers, unions, etc.

POST SECONDARY EVENTS

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR EVENTS HAPPENING SOON

ATHLETICS



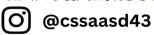
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For secondary sport updates and information...



Coquitlam Secondary School Athletic Association



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UPCOMING ATHLETIC EVENTS

DATE AND/OR TIME	TEAM NAME	EVENT/OPPONENT/VENUE
Tues. Apr. 15 @ 3:30pm	SENIOR BADMINTON	HOME match vs. Pinetree Sec. and
		Riverside Sec.
Tues. Apr. 15 @ 3:30pm	SENIOR GIRLS SOCCER	AWAY game @ Arch Bishop Carney Sec.
Tues. Apr. 15 after school	GOLF TEAM	Match @ Golden Eagle South
Tues. Apr. 15 @ 4:00pm	JUNIOR BOYS RUGBY	HOME game vs. Sir Charles Tupper Sec.
Tues. Apr. 15 @ 3:00pm	TENNIS	vs. Terry Fox Sec. @ Hickey Tennis Courts
Wed. Apr. 16	JUNIOR GIRLS SOCCER	AWAY game @ Arch Bishop Carney Sec.
Wed. Apr. 16	GOLF TEAM	Match @ Golden Eagle South
Wed. Apr. 16	GIRLS RUGBY	HOME game vs. Gleneagle Sec.
Thurs. Apr. 17 @ 3:30pm	JUNIOR BADMINTON	HOME match vs. Pinetree Sec. and
		Riverside Sec.
Thurs. Apr. 17 after school	TRACK AND FIELD	League meet #3 @ Percy Perry Stadium
Thurs. Apr. 17 @ 4:00pm	SENIOR BOYS RUGBY	HOME game vs. Riverside Sec.
Thurs. Apr. 17 after school	ULTIMATE FRISBEE	AWAY match at Pinetree Sec.
Thurs. Apr. 17 @ 3:00pm	TENNIS	vs. Pinetree Sec. at Town Centre Park