

Thursday, June 18, 2026



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DAILY INFORMER

NEW and UPDATED announcements appear in RED

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GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

YEARBOOKS

If you missed picking up your yearbook yesterday, please come to the office.
Not sure if you ordered one? Please stop by the office to check.
Reminder, outstanding fees must be paid prior to receiving your book.

STUDENT MEDICATION IN OFFICE

Students, if you have stored medication of any kind at the office this year,
please stop by to pick it up before heading home tomorrow.

LAST DAY OF REGULAR CLASSES TOMORROW

Tomorrow is the last official day of classes for 2025-2026!
Students, please connect with your teacher to see if you need to come in next week.
Good luck Grade 12s with your future endeavours!

LOCKER CLEANOUT AND LOCK RETURN ALL WEEK

Locker cleanout and lock returns (including orange tag) **IS ON NOW**.
Students, please take a moment in your off block or at the end of your day to remove all contents
and bring your **UNLOCKED** lock with orange combination tag to the office before the end of the day June 19th.
Please come to the office if you have forgotten your combo or need a tag.

UNUSED SCHOOL SUPPLY DONATIONS

Students, do you have any school supplies you'd like to donate back to the school?
If you have any pencils, pens, or paper to donate, please see our Youth Worker Ms. Bjornson in her room
downstairs across from the foods rooms. Thank you!

STUDENT RECOGNITION AWARDS TONIGHT

We look forward to welcoming students and families TONIGHT in the main gym for an evening of celebration,
as we recognize the outstanding accomplishments of our students.
6:30-7:00 p.m. – Light refreshments and photos
7:00-8:00 p.m. – Presentation of awards

SUMMER SHABANG TOMORROW

Student Council is hosting the very popular Summer Shabang TOMORROW in the upper parking lot.
THERE WILL BE NO PARKING FOR STUDENTS so please park **OFFSITE** at the Alliance Church lot, take public
transit or get dropped off this day.
During your off block, from blocks 2-4, come check out a multitude of food trucks and other activities.
Be sure to bring cash as tap may not work outside!

STUDENT LOANED LAPTOPS AND LIBRARY BOOKS

All laptops borrowed from the library as well as signed out library books are due back to the library
NO LATER THAN Friday, June 19th.

TEXTBOOK RETURNS

Students, please return your textbooks to your teachers to avoid a textbook assessment fee.
Reminder, any students with outstanding fees in their S.C.O accounts will have their yearbook withheld.
(Unless textbooks are needed to study for exams, students should make arrangements with the teacher now.)

NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY JUNE 21

Here is a list of many of the local Indigenous Peoples Day events all over the lower mainland.

<https://vancouverbestplaces.com/national-aboriginal-day/>

SCHOOL'S OUT SUMMER PASS

City of Coquitlam is offering **UNLIMITED** access during summer, winter and spring breaks to Coquitlam drop-in activities for kids 0-18 years. Only \$25 valid June 26, 2026-Mar 29, 2027.

Google coquitlam.ca/SchoolsOut for more information.

LOST AND FOUND-LAST CHANCE

Students, be sure to check the lost and found in the main hallway before you leave for summer break.

There are also a few valuable items in the office. This week is your last chance to check!

CAFETERIA HOURS

The cafeteria will be running regular hours **Monday, June 15th – Thursday, June 18th**. (Slightly limited menu)

On Friday, June 19th the cafeteria will be open from 8:00am-11:00 am.



CAREER CENTRE

CAREER CENTRE OFFICE CLOSED FOR SUMMER

The Career Office is now closed for the Summer.

Looking for help with post-secondary planning for next year?

Visit the Career Centre Website>Post Secondary section for helpful resources.

Graduating and still have questions? Please talk to your Counsellor.

[Career Centre website](#)

NEED HELP FINDING EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES?

WorkBC-Tri-Cities is available to assist youth build resumes and cover letters, develop interview skills and participate in employment workshops. They are also supporting the upcoming [Tri-Cities Youth Job Fair](#) **FREE** for youth aged 16-30 seeking employment. Event is still being finalized but mark your calendars for **July 16 or July 30th**. For more information please contact Haley Eden, Summer Student Placement Specialist:

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KOREAN SCHOOL ASSISTANT TEACHER

Neulbom Korean School is seeking Volunteer Assistant Teachers who are interested in supporting Korean language and cultural education for children. Gain meaningful volunteer experience while working with younger students.

Must be 14+ and able to speak/ read/ write in Korean. School locations are either at Douglas College Coquitlam or BCIT Burnaby. Classes are running on Saturday. [Details here.](#)

BURQUITLAM AREA BLOCK PARTY: VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Volunteers are needed for a summer block party on Langside Avenue (Burquitlam Plaza area),

Saturday, August 15. Tasks include assisting with set-up, clean-up, monitoring games, etc. [More info here.](#)



POST SECONDARY

TODAY - BCIT COMPUTING PROGRAMS: VIRTUAL INFO SESSION

Learn more about BCIT's Computing Full-time Diploma programs on **Thursday, June 18, 5.30 – 6.30 pm.**

[Register here.](#) BCIT is the largest Computing and IT education provider in Western Canada.

This session cover both [Computer Information Technology \(CIT\)](#) and [Computer Systems Technology \(CST\)](#).

TODAY - LANGARA COLLEGE: DIGITAL MEDIA & DESIGN DIPLOMA

[Learn more about this two-year program](#) that bridges the gap between creative design and technology. Develops skills in web, UI/UX, interactive design, ethical AI tools, project management, multi-platform communication, and visual storytelling to launch a creative technology career or further studies.

Info sessions are online, 6-7 pm: **Thu, June 18 | Thu, July 9 | Wed, July 29 | Wed, Aug 12.** [Register here.](#)

VCC ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE

Learn how to get the office fundamentals and technical skills you need to begin a successful career as an administrative professional. This program is 8-months and is open to high school graduates.

Info sessions are online: **Tuesdays, June 23, July 7, or July 21, 7-8 pm.** [Sign up.](#)

CAPILANO UNIVERSITY: SQUAMISH CAMPUS

Grade 11s – are you looking for something a little different for post-secondary? Something more quaint, closer to nature? Go on a road trip and explore the amazing new Squamish Campus incl. (your guaranteed) housing options.

Campus tours are available on **Tue, June 23 or June 30, 3.30 - 6.30 pm,**

or **Saturday, July 4th** from 9:00 am - 1:30 pm. [Sign up to attend.](#)

EMILY CARR INFO SESSIONS

Thinking about studying at Canada's #1 art + design university? At this 60-minute online session, you'll learn about admission to ECU and get tips on portfolio preparation. Bring your questions.

Thursdays, 4.30 – 5.30 pm on **June 25 | July 22 | Aug 19, or Aug 6, 6-7 pm.** [Register.](#)



GRADE 12 INFO

COMMENCEMENT-KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Grads, important information was included in an envelope within your cap and gown package.
Grads arrive at SFU NO LATER THAN 5:00pm and meet in the marshalling area.
Make sure your gown is steamed/ironed ahead of time. Remember to bring your cap and stole!
Enjoy the ceremony – you did it! Congratulations!

GRADE 12 CAP/GOWN & YEARBOOK PICK UP

Students with outstanding cap/gowns and yearbooks in the office have been emailed to pick them up ASAP.
Outstanding fees must be paid before items can be issued.

AFTER GRAD PRIZES

Grads, check your emails for a reminder about picking up an AfterGrad prize!
Prizes can be claimed in the office.

ADDITIONAL COMMENCEMENT TICKETS

Additional commencement tickets are sold out.
Grads, if you have any tickets you won't be needing, kindly return them to the office as soon as possible.
Additional tickets are now available for pickup from the office. **\$5.00 CASH**



WOMEN EMPOWERMENT GRANTS

\$2500 scholarships are available to support young women in advancing their education in STEM and Entrepreneurship. Recipients will be chosen based on their commitment to academics, community service, and participation in extracurricular activities. [Apply by June 30.](#)

STRIKE LGBTQ2S+ SCHOLARSHIP

If you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Two-Spirit, or any other identity within the LGBTQ2S+ community, this \$2,000 scholarship could be yours. In your application, provide examples of how you have been involved in, supported, or given back to the LGBTQ2S+ community. **Deadline is June 30.**
[See details here.](#)



ATHLETICS



For secondary sport updates and information...



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UPCOMING ATHLETIC EVENTS

CROSS COUNTRY

For anyone interested in running cross-country in September, there will be a brief information meeting in room 304 on **Thursday, June 18th after school.**

SENIOR GIRLS VOLLEYBALL TRYOUTS

Attention all girls grades 9-11, if you want to be considered for the Senior Girls Volleyball Team for the 2026 season, you are required to attend the following tryouts in **June: Mon 15th, Mon 22nd, Thurs 25th.**
Yes, you need to attend all 3 sessions. You will also have to attend one more try out the first week of school in September. Questions? Please see Ms. Thomas in the tech centre blocks 2-4.