



Pinetree Secondary School

THE HOWL

Day 2 -Thursday, October 19, 2023

CAFETERIA

Today Thursday Oct 19th

Red Thai Curry Chicken	\$7.50
Soft Beef Taco	\$6.00
Thai Chicken Flatbread	\$7.50
Pasta Marinara	\$5.25

Tomorrow Friday Oct 20th

Pro D Day
Have a nice day off!!!

GRAD 2024

Grad 2024 Post Secondary & Career Advising Team

If you are a grade 12 student, you are welcome to become a member of the Grad 2024 team to get timely post secondary, scholarship, career related and volunteer information. Email cmoorhouse@sd43.bc.ca to opt in. Put Grad 2024 in the subject line of your email.

Grad Photos

Individual grad photos are October 26th – November 7th in Artona's mobile studio in the school courtyard. Book online: <https://artona.com/schools/PINE/programs/graduation>. Appointments are available on a first come/first-service basis. Questions: contact Artona directly email: hello@artona.com Phone: 604-872-7272 ext 0.

PRO-D DAY – TOMORROW!!!

EXAMS

Language Challenge Exam

Students who are interested in writing a language challenge exam, please email Ms. Carson (ncarson@sd43.bc.ca). She will send you the application package and explain the process for the language challenge exam. The following courses are available to challenge: French 11/12, Korean 11/12, Japanese 11/12, Mandarin 11/12, Punjabi 11/12, Spanish 11/12, and Farsi 11/12. Applications must be completed and submitted by November 3rd.

AP Exams May 2024

If you are interested in writing an AP exam in Bio, Chem or Physics this May 2024, please see Mr. Lockwood in B201 for a registration form. The deadline for forms is November 1st, no exceptions!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Pharmacy Volunteer Opportunity in Pitt Meadows for Grade 11 & 12 Students

You will learn: • Customer service skills • Preparation of prescriptions • Learn about pharmacy operation • Shadow a registered pharmacist on clinical responsibilities • Foundations in interacting with patients
Commitment: Looking for students interested in volunteering with the team long term. The team is invested in coaching, mentoring students to explore the healthcare field and familiarize themselves with a pharmacy setting. This is a phenomenal opportunity for students interested in the health care setting and hoping to absorb experience in the pharmacy. Successful completion of pharmacy volunteering may lead to paid positions. Time expectation: Week day (Monday-Friday): 5 hours once weekly (break included) Weekend (Saturday-Sunday): 6 hours once weekly (break included) Week long /Summer work experience available upon request. Location: 19150 Lougheed Highway, #110 Pitt Meadows, British Columbia V3Y 2H6
Interested parties please contact me directly at: anthlee@shoppersdrugmart.ca Please address with title: "Pharmacy Volunteering" and attach with resume if available

Coquitlam Volunteer Connections Volunteer Fair

Date: Sunday, Oct. 22 Time: 10am – 2pm Location: 2150 Wilson Avenue Port Coquitlam, BC, Port Coquitlam Community Centre; Room – Mabbett Hall It is free to attend.

<https://volunteerconnections.ca/volunteer-fair/>

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

International Post Secondary Education Fair

Are you an International student who is interested in applying to Canadian universities? International Education is putting on a Post Secondary Education Fair on Thursday, November 30th from 3:00pm to 6:00pm at the Education Learning Centre at 1080 Winslow Avenue. Registration is required to save your spot – see Ms. Carson for details.

International & Newcomer Halloween Party

Are you an International student or Newcomer to Canada? Join us on Thursday October 26th after school in the Cafeteria for a Halloween Party! There will be pumpkin carving, games, and more. Register with Ms. Carson or Mr. Conedera to save your spot.

TAKE OUR KIDS TO WORK DAY – GRADE 9s

Attention grade 9's, "Take Our Kids to Work Day" on Wednesday, November 1st, is an optional opportunity for grade 9 students to shadow a family member/friend as they go about their work to learn about what they do for a living. If you would like to participate, you will need to return a parent permission form to your counsellor prior to November 1st. Forms are available in the counselling office.

POST SECONDARY & CAREER

UBC Sauder BCom Fall Preview 2023

Interested in attending the UBC Sauder Bachelor of Commerce program? Attend an on-campus info session on Sat., Nov. 4 at 9am-12:30pm. Learn more at sauder.ubc.ca/event/fall-preview Tour the facilities and meet with the admissions team.

University of Waterloo Info Session

Grade 11 & 12 students are invited to attend an info session at lunch time on Thurs., Nov. 2 in Room A200. Find out more about the application process and admission.

BC Post Secondary Mini-Fair at Pinetree

Grade 11 & 12 Students are invited to attend a PSBC mini-fair on Thurs. Nov. 2 after school in the Cafeteria. Recruiters from KPU, RMC/Canadian Forces, BCIT, SFU, UVic, Trinity Western Univ., CapU, Thompson Rivers U, UFV, FDU and Douglas College

SFU Presentation

Grade 11 & 12 Students are invited to attend a presentation in the library after school on Thursday, Oct. 19. Find out about admission, programs, and much more.

Douglas College Fair for Prospective Students

Date: October 19 from 5-8pm at the New West Campus Drop-in at any time during the event to explore the programs you are interested in, talk with instructors one-on-one and see their campuses. Each campus will showcase different programs, so you can join both nights. For more info visit the douglascollege.ca

JOIN A CLUB!!!

Pinetree Ski & Snowboarding

If you are interested in joining, visit Mr. Wintermans

Cheer & Dance

If you are interested in joining Pinetree's team, speak with Ms. Matthews.

Pinetree Wrestling

If you are interested in joining Pinetree's team, visit Mr. Davies or Ms. Ugonotti.

WorkBC Tri-Cities

Thank you to everyone who attended the WorkBC Tri-Cities Youth Informational Hiring Fair on October 11th! If you missed out on the event OR if you attended but want to take the next step in exploring your career options, you can connect with the friendly team at WorkBC Centre Coquitlam. They offer free career services, such as help with career planning, job searching, writing resumes & cover letters, connecting with local hiring employers, and more.

To receive these services from WorkBC, you will need to register as a client. **The first step would be to contact Shirin Sobhani, Youth Facilitator at WorkBC Coquitlam, by calling (778) 730-0174 or emailing ssobhani@ywcavan.org.** Shirin will be able to answer your questions, help you get set up, and complete your registration.

Thanks again, and stay tuned for future events and opportunities at Pinetree!