



Pinetree Secondary School

THE HOWL

Wednesday, February 18, 2026 – Day 2

Block	Times
1	7:45 am - 9:00 am
2	9:05 am - 10:25 am
3	10:30 am - 11:50 am
Lunch	11:50 am - 12:35 pm
4	12:35 pm - 1:55 pm
5	2:00 pm - 3:20 pm

CAFETERIA

Today Wednesday Feb 18th	Tomorrow Thursday Feb 19th
Poutine	\$6.25 BBQ Chicken Flatbread \$7.25
Chicken Quesadilla	\$7.00 Pepperoni Pizza Sub \$6.25
Pulled Pork Mac & Cheese	\$6.95 Pasta Alfredo \$5.50

New News!!!

Student ID

If you have been waiting for your student ID please check your email to see if it has arrived at the school.

Building Tomorrow Trades Fair

Are you considering a future in the skilled trades? The fair will feature exhibitors such as BCIT, ACCESS, IRL Construction, Pogon Projects, Etro Construction, VanMech, Hall, Ventana and more. You can speak directly to industry professionals and explore a wide range of potential career pathways in the trades.

Date: March 10, 2026

Time: 4:30-7:30pm

Location: Italian Cultural Centre, 3075 Slocan St., Vancouver

There is no cost to students or parents/guardians to attend and free pizza and pop/water will be provided.

To register: [Building Tomorrow Youth Trades Fair](#)

Scholarship Applications are now open and over \$5,000 to be awarded and can be accessed [HERE](#)

UVic is Still Accepting Applications for Admission

Most programs will continue to accept undergraduate applications for the September 2026 entry term until May 1. Students should check the [EducationPlannerBC](#) website to see if their program is still open, and apply as soon as possible: [Learn more](#).

Volunteers Needed

KidSport Used Equipment Sale needs help with their sale. Volunteers are needed Friday night with set up and Saturday with the sale and take down. See the poster at the end of the Howl for the QR code to sign up.

James Park – Volunteer Opportunity Spring Break

James Park Elementary is looking for volunteers to help with their Spring Break Program. Contact Silvia Jorge for information a sjorge@sd43.bc.ca or 604-209-1424.

Grade 10 Day

Today is Grade 10 day! For those of you who have your tickets Games & Movie start at 4:45 PM!

ESS Thursday

Grade 11s will be writing the YDI and the rest of the school will be writing the Student Learning Survey with their Pack Classes.

Ongoing Items

SCHOOL NEWS

Off Block Stickers

All students who have an off block in semester 2 are required to have an off-block sticker on their Student ID Card. If you have not picked up your off-block sticker, come to the office during your off block to get your sticker. You must bring your Student ID card with you to get your sticker.

GRAD 2026

Cap & Gown

Grads have you paid your Cap & Gown fee yet? Have you completed the Grad Survey? Time is running out and Grad will be here before you know it. The Survey is still open and you can pay on School Cash Online or in the office.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Gr. 9 - Gr. 10 Classroom Assistants Needed

If interested in Technology and STEM and able to commit to 11 weeks of classroom volunteering email: sd43computers@gmail.com, or call / text message: 778 868 4498. Volunteers will also receive a certificate confirming their volunteer hours.

Vancouver International Children's Festival Student Volunteer

The Vancouver International Children's Festival is taking place on Granville Island May 25–May 31st, 2026.

To apply and for more info: [MyImpactPage - Application Form - Vancouver International Children's Festival](#)

EXPERIENCES

Ocean Wise Mountains to Ocean: Pathways to STEM Summer Camp

Applications are now being accepted for a 1-week paid camp kicking off in summer 2026. [APPLY NOW!](#) Explore the mountain peaks to the ocean shoreline for real conservation action.

The Youth Excellence Society 'The YES' Summer Camp Program

To register: [Summer Camp 2026 | The Youth Excellence Society \(The YES\)](#)

What the 'L' Program – Ready to Get Your Permit?

Date: May 12 and May 19, 2026

You must be 16 years old by May 19.

Pick up an application from Ms. Moorhouse in counselling.

The deadline to apply is March 11, 2026.

Indigenous Student Trade Sampler

Date: April 29 – May 1, 2026

Time: 8:30am – 3pm

Location: Port Moody Secondary School

Pick up an application from Ms. Moorhouse in counselling. **The deadline to apply is March 11, 2026.**

First Aid & CPR Certification

Spots are limited and are given on a 'first applied' basis. Pick up an application from Ms. Moorhouse in counselling. **Deadline to apply is May 6, 2026.**

SCHOLARSHIPS/BURSARIES & FINANCIAL AID

BC Athletic Scholarships: Bert & Greta Quartermaine Badminton, BC Dairy, & Molten Scholarship

Email Ms. Moorhouse to receive an application package.

Deadline to submit your application is **May 1, 2026, at 4pm.**

2026-2027 BCIT ENTRANCE AWARDS

Deadlines: April 15 and/or October 1, 2026

To learn more about BCIT Entrance Awards and how to apply online, visit our [website](#).

Eagle Ridge Hospital Auxiliary Bursaries

To apply: [Bursary Program - ERHA](#)

Deadline to apply is March 31, 2026.

Ringette Canada Scholarships and Awards

Deadline to apply is April 30, 2026

Link to apply: <https://www.ringette.ca/athletes/scholarships-awards/>

BC Housing Education Awards Program

April 30 – Application Deadline – All applications must be received by 2 pm

Link to more information: <https://www.bchousing.org/housing-assistance/tenants-programs-resources/education-awards-program>

POST SECONDARY & CAREERS

TMU (Toronto Metropolitan University) is Still Accepting Applications

[Discover which programs are accepting applications](#) and learn [how to apply](#).

February 17, 2026 is the extended deadline to apply [prestigious entrance scholarships for Fall 2026 admission](#): President's Entrance Scholarship and International Student Leadership Award (ISLA)

UBC Okanagan Application Deadline Extended to March 31

Good news! Students now have until March 31, 2026 to [apply to UBC Okanagan](#).

CapU Outdoor Recreation Management Program Online Info Session

Session: February 19, 2026, 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm. [Register here.](#)

UFV Chilliwack Open House on Thurs., Feb. 26 (4-7pm)

For more info and to RSVP: [UFV Open House Chilliwack](#) | [UFV.ca](#)

Follow Pinetree on Instagram for more updates from your Pinetree Secondary Community:

<https://www.instagram.com/pinetreessecondary/?hl=en>



**Saturday March 7
10am-1pm**

So ALL Kids Can Play!

**USED EQUIPMENT
SALE** sponsored by: *Saputo*

**RIVERSIDE SECONDARY
2251 REEVE STREET
PORT COQUITLAM**

Admission by donation
or non-perishable item
to the SHARE Food Bank.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Are you interested in helping Friday Night or Saturday?

Do you need volunteer hours for Leadership or Grad?

*Volunteers required for
Setup (Friday March 6)
Work the event (Saturday March 7)
Take Down (Saturday March 7)*



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**BUILDING
TOMORROW
YOUTH TRADES
FAIR**

MARCH 10, 2026
4:00 PM - 7:30 PM

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS
NOW OPEN
OVER \$5000 TO BE AWARDED

RSVP HERE



SCHOLARSHIP FORM







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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

MONDAY MARCH 16 - FRIDAY MARCH 27

**JAMES PARK COMMUNITY SCHOOL
SPRING BREAK PROGRAMS**

9AM - 3 PM

**VOLUNTEER FOR ONE DAY
OR THE FULL WEEK**

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