



Port Moody Times

Thursday
March 31, 2022
Day 1

PMSS WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME THE FOLLOWING STAFF TO THE SCHOOL TODAY:

SPRING BASKETBALL GRADE 9 BOYS: Any grade 9 boys interested in playing spring basketball please meet Friday at 3:05pm in the main gym after school.

VOLLEYBALL CLINIC: Volleyball clinic is starting up again Friday (April 1, 2022) at 7am in the large gym. All are welcome

GRADE 12 IN PERSON ASSEMBLY ON FRIDAY: Friday, April 1st @ 8:30 (Flex) Location: Gym
Purpose: Review requirements for graduation and update Grad related activities for the class of '22
Please make note of this date and time and be sure to remind your friends to attend on time.

ATTENTION ALL GRADE 12: GRAD YEARBOOK PROOFS:

Your Grad Yearbook photos are posted in the MPR for you to proofread. Please be sure to check the following:

1. Your name
2. Baby photo (if you submitted one)
3. Quote (is it correct and spelling)
4. Any other issues?

If changes need to be made, please see Mr. Watts in room 201 during flex THIS WEEK. All changes need to be made by April 1st.

MARCH TRADES NEWSLETTER NOW AVAILABLE: [https://www.sd43.bc.ca/CareerPrograms/Pages/default.aspx#/](https://www.sd43.bc.ca/CareerPrograms/Pages/default.aspx#/=)
In this edition: Celebrating Women in Trades & BCIT Pathways scholarship

TRACK AND FIELD: Sign-up for the track and field team will be held during Flex time and Lunch time in Room 313. Practices and meets will be held on Tuesdays starting at the end of March and running into June. See Mr. Sawchuk if you are interested in joining the team.

SENIOR YEAR VIDEO: Hey Class of '22 - The school year is nearing its end, meaning you are graduating soon! StuCo President Sarah is looking to make a senior year video to be shown at the end of the year and posted on the Student Council Microsoft Stream Channel + Instagram account. She will be filming at school, sports games, and school events (only people who agree to having their picture/video taken!). If you have any ideas for what she should film/want to contribute some videos, email her at moodysecondarystudentcouncil@sd43.bc.ca. Thank you PMSS!

ONGOING

PARENT FORMS & STUDENT FEES: School District 43 uses the KEV School Cash Online for both fee statements and District Policies forms. Currently our focus is to collect the information from the various forms.

STUDENT PARKING PASS: If you will be parking in the lower parking lot please come to the office at lunch or after school to pick up a Parking Registration form.

PMSS TIMES NEWSLETTER: The PMSS Times newsletter will be emailed to parents and students on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays**. Announcements will not be read over the PA. You will find copies of the PMSS Times outside the office, and it will also be posted in the cafeteria, under the clock and in the LLC (Library Learning Commons).

CAREER CENTRE

Post-Secondary Information, Admissions Updates, New Post-Secondary Programs, Scholarships, Volunteering, Employment, Career Programs & Training, Leadership and Enrichment Programs

PLEASE READ: For the following items, please check the Career Centre Teams page (code: 46n1w80) or the website: <https://tinyurl.com/4x8ucpc6> for more info and links. Follow @pmsstransitions on Twitter and Instagram for reminders!

CAMP IGNITE**NEW****For:** Gr. 11 or 12 girls interested in firefighting**Cost:** FREE**Runs:** August 4th – 7th 2022**Deadline to apply:** June 1st, 2022**UBC ENGINEERING INFO SESSION: EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW:****For:** Grade 9-12 students and/ or parents**When:** Tuesday, May 31st from 5:00pm–6:00pm**VOLUNTEER / WORK EXPERIENCE****City of Port Coquitlam – Environmental Volunteer****NEW****When:** 10am – 1pmApril 2nd – Invasive blackberry removalApril 23rd – Tree planting**Where:** Coutts Park**YMCA Summer Work Exchange Program****NEW****For:** 16–17-year-old students (with some exceptions for 15- or 18-year-olds) interested in summer exchange and work experience in Quebec**Info sessions:** April 1st at 7pm OR April 13th at 7pm**Deadline to apply:** April 17th, 2022**Cost:** \$125 (application is free)**YOUNG WOMEN IN PUBLIC SAFETY - STUDENT EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY****For:** Female high school students (Gr 10 & 11) who are interested in a career in the field of public safety**Salary:** \$15/hr**Runs:** July 11-15, 2022, during the day **Deadline to apply:** April 4th, 2022**SD43 COMMUNITY SCHOOLS SUMMER DAY CAMP LEADERS (PAID):****For:** Youth 15+ with First Aid**Pay:** \$18.00+4%**Locations:** James Park Community School - Port Coquitlam, Miller Park Community School – Coquitlam, Pitt River Community School - Port Coquitlam**Start:** June 27th, 2022, for 7 weeks 8:00am – 3:30pm**Deadline to apply:** Friday, April 1st**SFU CAMPS VOLUNTEER:****Info session for SD43 students:** Wednesday, March 2nd from 5:00pm-5:30pm**Deadline to apply:** Tuesday, April 19th at 11:59pm**VANCOUVER CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL:****For:** Grades 10 and up students**Where:** Granville Island**When:** May 23rd-30th (week before the festival) & May 31st - June 5th (in-person)**GOLDEN SPIKE DAYS SOCIETY:****For:** Youth 13+ interested in volunteering for manning the gates, rides and info booths, supervising bike valet and parking, bussing tables**Where:** Rocky Point Park**When:** June 30th - July 4th in 4-hour shifts**SCHOLARSHIPS / AWARDS****Al Grist Scholarship Award****NEW****Value:** \$500**Deadline:** May 1st, 2022**For:** Students who will study environment in university**Lisa Huus Bursary****NEW****Value:** Up to \$5000**Deadline:** May 31st, 2022**For:** Students with physical disabilities who will study in BC or Alberta**JAYMIE-LYNN ROBERTSON 2022 MEMORIAL BURSARY PROGRAM:****For:** Students 17-19 that suffer from epilepsy**Value:** 3 x \$1000**Deadline:** Thursday, March 31st**EAGLE RIDGE HOSPITAL AUXILIARY BURSARY:**

Value: 3x \$2500

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

JONAH CHRISTENSEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1000

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

BRITISH COLUMBIA RETIRED PRINCIPALS' AND VICE-PRINCIPALS' ASSOCIATION (BCRPVPA) SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1000

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

INKAS RISING STAR SCHOLARSHIP:

For: Students pursuing business and engineering

Value: \$1500 + mentorship opportunity

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

BC HYDRO POWER PIONEERS COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD:

Value: \$500

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

BCSSA – GR. 12 SCHOLARSHIP 2022:

Value: \$1000

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

FUTURE ACES SCHOLARSHIP 2022:

Value: \$1000

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

YORK UNIVERSITY - RIGHT THE FUTURE CONTEST:

Value: Free tuition to York University

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

JORDAN'S PRINCIPLE SCHOLARSHIP:

For: First Nations students who will be studying children's health or children with disabilities

Value: Up to \$5000

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

MANULIFE SCHOLARSHIP – FOR STUDENTS WHO'VE EXPERIENCED THE DEATH OF A PARENT/ GUARDIAN:

Value: \$10,000

Deadline: Thursday, March 31st

BCIT PATHWAY TO SUCCESS AWARDS:

****Award can be used for any BCIT program except "apprenticeship" training**

Value: 3x \$3000

Deadline: Submit completed forms to Ms. Chang by Friday, April 1st

PORT MOODY YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM:

Value: \$1000

Deadline: Friday, April 1st

PUBLIC GUARDIAN AND TRUSTEE EDUCATIONAL FUND:

Value: \$4000.00

Deadline: Friday, April 15th

GLORIA BARRON PRIZE FOR YOUNG HEROES:

For: ALL Students up to age 18 can apply!

Value: up to \$10,000

Deadline: Friday, April 15th

LAW SOCIETY- SECONDARY SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST:

Value: \$1000 for first prize, \$500 for runner-up

Deadline: Friday, April 22nd

PORT COQUITLAM FOUNDATION THEATRE SOCIETY LEGACY FUND ARTS EDUCATION BURSARY:

Value: \$2000

Deadline: Saturday, April 30th at midnight

BC HOCKEY 2022 SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: Between \$500 - \$2000

Deadline: Saturday, April 30th

HERBALAND COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP 2022:

Value: 5x \$1000

Deadline: Sunday, May 1st

G3 GROW BEYOND SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: 6 x \$4000

Deadline: Monday, May 2nd

BC TRANSPLANT – “LIVE LIFE, PASS IT ON” SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1500

Deadline: Friday, May 6th

CIBC: MY MONEY, MY FUTURE CONTEST:

For: Students 14-18 with an interest in teaching others financial knowledge

Value: Up to \$10,000

Deadline: Monday, May 9th

PACIFIC LEADERS’ SCHOLARSHIP FOR CHILDREN OF PUBLIC SERVANTS:

Value: 60 x \$2500

Deadline: Friday, May 13th

SENIORCARE SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1500

Deadline: Sunday, May 15th

MYBLUEPRINT SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1000

Deadline: Saturday, May 28th

2022 ERA SCHOLARSHIP - \$1 MILLION & \$100K:

Eligibility: The competition is open to students who reside in Canada

What: \$1 Million Dollar scholarship – Collect 1 million laptops and smartphones (suitable for donation) Canada-wide, and win OR \$100K Dollar scholarship for 100K approved devices

Deadline: Competition opens January 1st – September 1st

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PARENTS

For information regarding PAC, please see <https://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/portmoody/Pages>

PAC Virtual Meeting reminder – Tuesday, April 5th @ 7pm

Zoom meeting link will be included in Tuesday’s bulletin

Summer Learning 2022*

Eight locations, Tuesday July 12 - Friday July 29 9:00am-12:00pm. K to 1 transition, English for Beginners, Fine & Performing Arts, French Immersion, Integrated studies, Math, Reading & Writing, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, and more!
Free to all BC residents.

Elementary

Three locations, Tuesday July 12 - Friday July 29 8:45-11:45am. Art, Band, Guitar, Creative Writing, Drama/Improv, English for Beginners, Guitar, Home Ec/Culinary, Integrated studies, Language Arts, Mathematics, PE/Leadership, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, Tech Ed, and more!
Free to all BC residents.

Middle

Two locations. Tuesday July 12 - Friday July 29 8:30-11:30am OR 12:00-3:00pm. English, English for Beginners, IB Math & Science, Jazz & Concert Band, Science, Home Ec, Sewing, 2D Animation, Tech Ed, Math, Coding (Info Tech), Skills for Success. Free to all BC residents. These non-credit courses may be taken to review previously covered course content OR preview a course. Academic Completion (to earn a passing mark on a 9/10 course from this year) also available, by referral.

Secondary Skill Building

Face-to-Face Advanced Credit OR Online Blended Fast Track

Secondary Full Credit

Two locations. Tuesday July 5 - Wednesday August 10 8:00-11:30am OR 12:00-3:30pm. Biology 11,12; Career Life Education 10; Chemistry 11,12; EAL 10,11; English 10,11,12; Mathematics 10,11,12; Physics 11,12; PE 10; Socials 10,11. Check out the SOYL full day program on our website!

Register online, starting at 6:00am:
 Elementary: Tues. May 3
 Middle & Secondary Skill Bldg: Fri. May 6
 Secondary Full Credit: Wed. May 11

To Register

FOR MORE INFO VISIT WWW.SD43SUMMERLEARNING.CA

*Courses and locations are subject to change

GRAD 2022

Grad 2022 needs the support of all families in our Port Moody Secondary School community.

NEXT AFTERGRAD MEETING: Wednesday, April 13th at 7:00 pm

Join our meeting:

The link will be posted at a later date.



Grad & AfterGrad PMSS 2022

Parents we need your help!



We're reaching out to get more parents to help plan and fundraise for AfterGrad 2022 to reduce the ticket costs and be able provide food and prizes to the graduates. AfterGrad provides the Grade 12's with a fun and safe place to celebrate after their formal ceremony.

Aftergrad 2022!
June 11, 12-4am

How Can You Help

Central City Fun Park

11125 124 St. Surrey

Fun includes:

- roller skating
- bowling
- arcade
- mini golf & more!

Ticket sales and prices info coming soon

- Join the After Grad Committee
- Help fundraise, get prizes/donations from businesses
- Donate a prize/gift card if you own a local business or from your employer
- Chaperone, Help with Set up, Take Down
- Support the Tru Earth Fundraiser - we make 20% profit - see attached flyer
<https://fundraising.tru.earth/PMSSAfterGrad2022>

How to Donate

- Buy a 50/50 Raffle Ticket by Mar. 30
<http://pmssgrad2022.rafflenexus.com/> Draw date: Mar. 31 @ 12pm
- Order a Fundscrip Gift Card
<https://www.fundscrip.com/support-a-group/6TMMSM>
- Make a one-time donation on School Cash Online using code AG Contribution
<https://www.schoolcashionline.com/>

Next Meeting

April 13, 7pm on MS Teams

Stay Informed!

To get updates & meeting link email:
shirley.mcqueen@shaw.ca

2022 Aftergrad Committee

PMSS 2022 AFTERGRAD

Support our Fundraiser

OLD ME



Used liquid detergent in heavy plastic bottles that can contain up to 80% water

NEW ME



Uses Eco Strips that are lightweight, in compostable packaging, and contain only concentrated detergent

PS... Shop through our fundraising link and we earn 20% profit!

TRU EARTH



<https://fundraising.tru.earth/PMSSAfterGrad2022>

Hello PMSS families, friends and relatives,

We have had a successful launch of the FUNDScrip gift card-fundraising campaign raising funds for the 2022 graduating class at PMSS. Our initial response has been strong.

As of Thursday December 9th, 2021, you can purchase gift cards directly from the FUNDScrip site and have them delivered to your own home at any time – think graduation, birthdays, weddings, friend’s day, Mother’s Day, Father’s Day, Grandparents Day. With this new purchase option, a percentage of all gift cards will still go towards helping to fund the PMSS 2022 AfterGrad celebration in June 2022.

Here is the link to the online site: <https://www.fundscrip.com/support-a-group/6TMMSM>

You will use the Direct Shipping or E Gift Cards or Reloadable options. This will allow you great flexibility in ordering.

Please feel free to share this information with friends and families near and far. Every gift card purchase will bring us closer to being able to host an afterward event in June 2022.

COMMUNITY

JOB OPPORTUNITY WITH SD43

CASUAL CLERICAL

Coquitlam School District invites applications from individuals for the position of on call casual clerical.

This on call position provides administrative support at elementary, middle, and secondary schools as well as other various district locations throughout the district in Coquitlam.

The successful candidate must have a strong ability to multi-task and interact with students, parents, teachers, support staff and administration.

Applicants must be able to type a minimum of 50 wpm. A strong secretarial background is required, and knowledge of bookkeeping and accounting is an asset.

Successful candidates will be available Monday – Friday, 5 days per week and be willing to accept callouts to all locations in our District. We offer \$26.09-\$ 27.39 per hour plus 16% in lieu of benefits.

To apply, please click on the following link and create a user account/profile. <https://ejp.sd43.bc.ca/postings/Account/Login>.

Once you have completed your profile you will have access to the job postings. Please attach a cover letter and resume.

CASUAL NOON HOUR SUPERVISORS

School District #43 Coquitlam is looking for Casual Noon Hour Supervisors. This position requires individuals to be available on an On-Call basis to supervise students indoors and outdoors during lunch break (one hour per day) at various schools throughout the District in Coquitlam, Port Coquitlam, Port Moody and Anmore.

Previous experience working with groups of children is an asset. Successful candidates will be available over the lunch hour Monday – Friday, 5 days per week while the school is in session and be willing to accept callouts to all schools in our District. We offer \$22.30 per hour plus 16% in lieu of benefits.

To apply, please click on the following link and create a user account/profile. <https://ejp.sd43.bc.ca/postings/Account/Login>.

Once you have completed your profile you will have access to the job postings.



How to Support Your Grieving Teen

Wednesday April 13th 2022

6:30 - 8:30PM

Zoom - Free



SCAN TO REGISTER:



OR VISIT
CROSSROADSHOSPICE.ORG/PAGES/HOW-TO-SUPPORT-YOUR-GRIEVING-TEEN

As a parent or caregiver, it can be scary to see your teen in pain. This free workshop is designed to provide information to help you support your teen. Participants will learn the ins and outs of grief, how it manifests in teens, and optimal support strategies.

