



THE “BEST” INFORMER

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2022

TODAY IS DAY 1

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



GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY! CANDY BAG SALE IN THE FRONT LOBBY

Students in Fashion Industry 12 will be selling holiday candy bags for \$3.00 during Blocks 3-5 to raise funds for garment workers in the Fast Fashion Industry.

STAFF VS. STUDENTS INDOOR SOCCER MATCH

Come out to the large gym on Friday after school to catch an indoor soccer matchup between staff and students. **EVERYONE WELCOME TO COME!**
Donations of cash or non-perishable food items will be gratefully accepted at the door for the food bank. There will be a concession stand!

SPIRIT WEEK DECEMBER 12-16

MONDAY	JERSEY DAY
TUESDAY	SUMMER IN DECEMBER
WEDNESDAY	WINTER WHITE OUT
THURSDAY	HOLIDAY CHAOS
FRIDAY	PAJAMA DAY

SEEKING GRADE 9 & 10 STUDENT VOLUNTEERS FOR CAPSTONE DAY

Jan. 26th from 8:30am -- 2:15pm is the grade twelve Capstone Day (semester turn around, no classes for other grades). CLC12 teachers are looking for twenty Grade 9 and 10 students to help with the festivities, including: running photo booths, snack station, music, and technology support. If you're interested in volunteering, please see Ms. Abercrombie in Room 309 (3:20-3:30pm) after school on **Wednesday Dec. 7 or Dec. 14**.

You can also email Ms. Abercrombie if you can't make it after school on Wednesdays.

FOOD DRIVE

Our annual food drive continues this week and next.

A HUGE thank you for all the donations that have been donated so far!

The last day to donate is Wednesday Dec. 14.

Please bring in any non-perishable food items and drop them in the bins by the office.

Thank you for your support!

PERSONALIZED GLASS/MUG SALE

The Students 4 Students Club is back this year with their popular customized glass fundraiser.

***NEW this year is customized mugs!** These make great gifts for friends, family, hostess gifts, thank you gifts etc. **Only \$6 per glass and \$7 per mug (Cash price).** Sales are in the front lobby from December 5-9.

Delivery will be next week, and all purchasers will be notified by email.

PURDY'S CHOCOLATES PICKUP

Pickup for Purdy's ordered in support of After Grad will be on Friday, December 9th in the cafeteria from 3:00-4:30pm. Please enter through the exterior doors located in the front courtyard.

HOLIDAY TOY DRIVE FOR BC CHILDRENS HOSPITAL

Collections being accepted from Monday, November 27 - Friday, December 9.

Please drop off **New Unwrapped** Toys to Main Foyer. **Note that used toys of any kind are not being accepted.**

ITEMS IN HIGH DEMAND INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

Infant rattles, washable mobiles and board books

Teen gift items, teen arts and crafts kits

Self-contained craft kits (Brands: Klutz, Melissa & Doug)

Crayola crayons and markers

Small lego sets

Gift cards for music, movies, video games, Amazon, iPad stands

UNIQUE SOCCER BALL TURNED IN

If you lost a soccer ball in the last month and can tell us the brand and describe the unique design, please come to the office to claim.

LOST AND FOUND ITEMS

Please check the lost and found bin and/or table in the main hallway near the Science rooms.
Any unclaimed items will be donated to charity.

SNOW ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

Students please be reminded that snow is for looking at, not throwing at each other. 😊
Students involved in snowball fights etc. will face disciplinary action.

STUDENT PARKING PASS

ALL students parking a vehicle on school property require a parking pass.
Once you have completed your 'N' road test, please come to the office for a registration form.
Reminder to all current students with a parking pass-your pass must be visible in your front windshield when your car is parked on school grounds.

CLUBS

FOOD FOR FUEL CLUB

Introducing Food for Fuel! We are a club promoting healthy eating in an enjoyable way. We will investigate topics such as meal plans, how different food affect our bodies, and so on while also allowing you to focus on personal goals. **Meetings are online on TEAMS each Thursday starting at 4pm for roughly one hour.**
If you're interested, join our TEAM (code: yx68p7r) or dm @cbss_foodforfuel on Instagram 🍷

SPORTS

SR. GIRLS BASKETBALL

The teams heads to St. Thomas Moore for a tournament on Thursday, December 8th after school.
Go Blue Devils!

SR. BOYS BASKETBALL

The team heads out to Guildford Park Secondary on Thursday, December 8th to kick off tournament play vs. L.A. Matheson Secondary School.

JR. GIRLS BASKETBALL GAME

The team plays their first game of the Arch Bishop Carney tournament on Friday at 6:00pm
Good luck everyone!

POST SECONDARY EVENTS

TODAY - UVIC GUSTAVSON SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

If you want to develop your global mindset, and gain work experience in a vibrant learning culture, learn more about the BCom program at the University of Victoria. **Wed, Dec 7** at 5:30 pm.
You have until January 31st to apply. [Register here.](#)

BCIT INFO SESSIONS

- Automotive Technician, Automotive Refinishing / Body Repair and Motorcycle and Power Equipment, **TODAY - December 7**, 6-9 pm, virtual. [Sign up here.](#)
 - Sheet Metal Foundation Program, **December 13**, 5 pm, on campus. [Sign up here.](#)
 - General Insurance & Risk Management Diploma, **December 14**, 5-6 pm, virtual. [Sign up here.](#)

TODAY - LAW ENFORCEMENT STUDIES

Aspiring law enforcement students and their parents are invited to a virtual info session. Discover what it takes to pursue a career in law enforcement or public safety, and learn about the education, applied skills, and specialized knowledge required to become a superior candidate in the recruiting process. **December 7**, 7-8 pm.
[Register here.](#)

DOUGLAS COLLEGE VIRTUAL INFO NIGHTS

Tue, December 13 & Thu, December 15, 5-6 pm. Different faculties are represented each night. Please check the [Douglas website](#) for details and sign up for the program session you are most interested in.

KPU CREATES

Learn more about KPU's degree and diploma programs in Journalism, Public Relations and Graphic Design at a special two-hour event for high school students interested in writing, communication and design. You'll get a chance to tour KPU's Surrey campus, take part in mini-lessons, eat pizza and win prizes. If you love being creative, this event is for you! **Jan 17th, 2023**, 3:30-5:30pm, Surrey campus. [Register.](#)

CAREER CENTRE NEWS: OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS

MORE OPPORTUNITIES COMING SOON – WATCH THIS SPACE

GRADE 12'S

REMINDER TO VOTE - AFTER GRAD THEME

Grade 12's please click on the link to fill out a quick survey about your After Grad theme and decorations.

<https://forms.office.com/r/vyi06eJC2m>

SCHOLARSHIPS

Grade 12's, Winter Break is the perfect time to start prepping for these scholarships!

CMOLIK FOUNDATION BURSARIES

Criteria: Demonstrated financial need, faced adversity or hardship, work ethic, determination to complete post-secondary studies, Canadian residents for at least 7 years. **We can nominate 1 student.** Submit your CMOLIK brag sheet to skaufmann@sd43.bc.ca by **January 6th, 3 pm.** [More info here.](#)

WESTERN NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Have you applied for admission to Western? Different awards of up to \$70,000 are available, and we can nominate up to 5 students, incl. international students. If you want to be considered, please submit your WESTERN BRAG SHEET to Ms. Kaufmann at skaufmann@sd43.bc.ca by **Friday, January 9, 2023** before 9 am.

Must have obtained a minimum overall academic average of 90% on all approved Grade 12 courses.

[More info here.](#)

SCHULICH LEADERS PROGRAM

If you are planning to pursue an undergraduate degree in STEM/ Engineering and have demonstrated academic excellence, leadership, entrepreneurial spirit and creativity, look into the Schulich awards (50 x up to \$120,000 available). Must be nominated by the school. Submit your SCHULICH brag sheet to skaufmann@sd43.bc.ca

by **January 9, 9 am.** [More here.](#)

BC EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIPS

Awarded to 55 well-rounded high school graduates who have demonstrated service and leadership, both at school and in their communities, and who show aptitude for and commitment to their chosen career paths.

[More info here.](#) **We can nominate one student.** Submit your BC EXCELLENCE BRAG SHEET to skaufmann@sd43.bc.ca by **January 9th, 9 am.**

UGGLA FAMILY SCHOLARSHIPS AT SFU

If you are facing significant financial barriers to post-secondary education, consider applying to the Uggla Family awards. [Details here.](#) **Deadline is January 15, 2023.**

PATHWAY TO TEACHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The Ministry of Education is awarding 20 x \$5,000 to high school graduates who have demonstrated a commitment to and aptitude for a career in K–12 teaching. **Deadline: February 15, 2023.** [More info here.](#)

HORATIO ALGER GRADE 11 SCHOLARSHIPS

160 x \$5,000 are awarded to Grade 11 students across Canada. Criteria are strong commitment to pursue and complete a bachelor's degree, desire and ability to be entrepreneurial in a chosen field, extracurricular activities, perseverance in overcoming adversity, family income < \$65,000. **Deadline is March 15.** [Apply here.](#)

COQUITLAM FOUNDATION BURSARIES

Students with financial need should [check this out.](#) A variety of different awards is available, and you only submit one-for-all application. Value's tba, last year they ranged from \$500 to \$2,500. **Deadline is March 31.**