



THE “BEST” INFORMER

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2023

TODAY IS DAY 2



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



GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

PINK SHIRT DAY

Today is **PINK SHIRT DAY!** Please wear **PINK!**

The mission is to create a more kind, inclusive world by raising awareness and funds for anti-bullying initiatives.

TOMORROW - CLUBS DAY

Are you looking for an extra curricular activity? Come check out Clubs Day on **Thursday, February 23rd** in the school lobby. There will be many Clubs to choose from-get involved in something fun and rewarding!

NO SCHOOL FRIDAY

Friday, February 24th is a Pro-D Day. Classes are not in session for students. Classes resume on Monday, February 27th.

2023-2024 COURSE SELECTIONS

The **MYED Portal** closes **Friday, February 24th**.

Please ensure you have entered your courses in the Portal before then.

If you need assistance with your login, please see Mr. Nelson.

DRESS YOUR BEST MERCHANDISE

Want to dress your best? Well, the Devil's Den is now open and ready for business!

We have CBSS merchandise, as well as chips and drinks:

- T-Shirts - \$10
- Long Sleeves - \$15
- Hoodies/Crewnecks - \$20
- CBSS Mask - \$2
- Chips - \$1.50
- Gatorade - \$2

Devils Den Hours:

- Tuesday - Block 3 (11:10-12:20)
- Wednesday – Block 4 (12:35-1:45)
- Thursday - Block 5 (1:55-3:05)
- Friday – Block 3 (11:10-12:20)

Come check it out, we hope to see you there!

PURDY'S FUNDRAISER

Who needs chocolate for Easter?!?! Click on the link to order by March 10th.

[Purdys Chocolatier Group Savings and Fundraising](#)

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

*****Be sure to check Instagram for club posts*****

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SPORTS

SENIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM QUALIFIES FOR PROVINCIALS

The Senior Girls' Basketball team won their wildcard game last night, beating Handsworth 64-33, to qualify for the provincials. The girls have worked hard all year and it is fantastic to see them rewarded for their efforts. This is a very big deal as the senior girls have not qualified in over seven years. Way to go girls!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

TODAY - GIRLS SOCCER

Attention all girls soccer players in grade 9-12!

We will be having a sign up meeting on Wednesday, February 22 after school in the cafeteria at 3:30pm.

Tryouts will follow the last week of February and first week of March.

Please send any questions to ofournier@sd43.bc.ca or fkarmali@sd43.bc.ca

LACROSSE SCHEDULE FEB. 21-24

Practice Thursday Feb 23rd from 3:30-5:00 for both Junior and Senior teams.

(storage room will be open at 7:45 for equipment)

Seniors 1st game of the Provincial Tournament is Friday the 24th at Centennial at 4:30.

Players be at the field no later than 3:45.

Update your availability for both events on Team Snap please.

GRADE 12'S

TODAY - GRADE 12S – ARE YOU INTERESTED IN ARCHITECTURE, CONSTRUCTIONS OR ENGINEERING?

Info night for BCIT's (free) pilot ACE micro credential program coming up on **February 22**, 6-7 pm, [sign up here](#).

Earn 8 post-secondary credits while exploring career pathways. [Learn more about the program here](#).

UBC AND UVIC ARE STILL ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

Both the University of British Columbia and the University of Victoria have extended their application period for selected programs. Most of the programs at UBC Okanagan and UVic are still accepting applications, plus very few Vancouver based UBC programs. To see details, please log into [EducationPlannerBC](#).

Don't delay applying, programs can fill up at any time.

CHARLES BEST INTERNAL SCHOLARSHIP PACKAGE

Grade 12 students can find our scholarship package on the Career Centre Team (code gvrymg1), "Grads 2023 –

Local Scholarship Package" channel. There are opportunities for all types of students, you don't need top-grades to be eligible to apply. This package also includes the District Authority Awards for students showing outstanding achievements in Trades, Applied Skills, Indigenous Languages, Fine Arts, Physical Activity and Community Service. Application deadline is March 31, 3 pm. Any question, please contact Mrs Kaufmann at

skaufmann@sd43.bc.ca

LOOKING FOR FINANCIAL AID?

Visit the [Career Centre website > Financial Aid](#) tab and check out around 50 different scholarships and bursaries currently listed. These awards are based on many different criteria. Upcoming Entrance Scholarships deadlines: Capilano University (March 1), Toronto Metropolitan University (March 1), University of the Fraser Valley (March 10), Douglas College (March 31). Deadline to apply for SFU Bursaries (need-based) is April 30th.

BEST SENIOR GIRLS/GRAD 2023 HOODIES

Thank you to Maia and Jacob for designing the newest Senior Girls/Grad Hoodies!

Order with these links and pick them up from the school right after Spring Break.

There are absolutely **NO late orders** on these shirts.

If you are ordering the one that has personalization, please ensure your name is spelled correctly.

The last day you can order is February 27th.

BEST SENIOR GIRLS LINK: <https://charlesbestgradgirls23.itemorder.com/>

GRAD 2023 LINK: <https://charlesbestgrad23.itemorder.com/>

CAREER CENTRE NEWS: OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS

TODAY - GO CODE GIRL

Free computer science workshop for **Grade 8 to 11 girls***. Learn about the exciting world of coding and software development and discover opportunities in the computing and engineering fields. This event will introduce students to the concept of Machine Learning.

Wed Feb. 22, 5-6.30 pm. SFU Surrey campus. [Register here.](#)

WESTWOOD PLATEAU GOLF CLUB HIRING FAIR

Looking for a job? Different departments are hiring for the golf season (April to October): Turf Care, kitchen, restaurant, banquets/ events, and golf operations. Bring your resume/ cover letter on

Sat, February 25 or Sunday, February 26, 10 AM to 3 PM. [More info and registration here.](#)

STUDY & GO ABROAD FAIR VANCOUVER

Start planning to study or travel abroad. Learn about university and college programs, scholarships, working abroad, and volunteer opportunities worldwide! **March 2nd**. [Register for free.](#)

CAMP IGNITE FOR GRADE 11 & 12 GIRLS

Are you an aspiring firefighter? Do you have an interest in exploring the limits of your potential? Ignite your passion. Ignite the possibilities. August 10-13. **Apply by April 1st**, 2023. [More here.](#)

POST SECONDARY EVENTS

*****More events coming soon*****

