



THE "BEST" INFORMER



Tuesday, June 12, 2018

Today is **Day 1**

****Please note: **All new items or any item with changes will be in Red******

GENERAL

June Exam Schedule 2018

Monday, June 18 Regular Day Locker Clean Out	Tuesday, June 19 Regular Day	Wed., June 20 Regular Day Yearbook Distribution	Thursday, June 21 <i>Last Day of Regular Classes for Semester Two</i>	Friday, June 22 Numeracy Exam Morning - 9:00 am Afternoon - 1:00 pm Open Tutorials <i>French Leaving Ceremony (1pm)</i>
Monday, June 25 ENG 12 (9:00 am) Numeracy Exam Afternoon - 1:00 pm <i>Open Tutorials</i>	Tuesday, June 26 FRAL 12 (1:00 pm)	Wed., June 27 COMM 12 (9:00 am)	Thursday, June 28 Report Card Pick up (10 – 10:30 am)	Friday June 29 Administrative Day

****PLEASE CHECK THE EXAM LISTS POSTED OUTSIDE THE OFFICE, LIBRARY, and MATH DEPARTMENT****

****MAKE SURE YOU ARE ON THE LIST AND YOU KNOW WHICH ROOM YOU ARE WRITING IN****

Students are reminded to arrive 15 min prior to the start of exams for registration

Students will be given an extra hour to complete their exam if needed



LOCKER CLEAN OUT-MONDAY JUNE 18

Please bring any unwanted school Supplies to YW Heather for use Next year with our needy students

OUTSTANDING LIBRARY BOOKS

If you have a library book out please return it ASAP. **All LIBRARY BOOKS** need to be returned on Wednesday June 13th. If you have an issue with returning your book please come to the library and tell us so to avoid getting an assessment for a lost book.

NATIONAL STUDENT POETRY CONTEST WINNER

Congratulations to Jung Hee Park for being selected as a third-prize winner from grade 12 students in the 2017/18 National Student Poetry Contest held by Polar Expressions Publishing. Her poem "On Days Like This" is published in the book "inkslide".

PLEASE COME TO THE LIBRARY

Would the student who requested the book 'Flow' please touch base in the library asap.

AFTERGRAD 2019 FUNDRAISER

World Cup of Soccer Pool Aftergrad 2019 fundraiser – Tickets on-line must be 19 years old to purchase winner takes 50% of the pool.

NUMERACY ASSESSMENT

NEW lists for the Numeracy Assessment have been posted. Please check carefully for your name and see Mrs. McKay if your name is missing.

TRI-CITIES GOT TALENT

Registration is open. Calling all Singers, Dancers, Comics, Bands, Instrumentalists and Magicians

Come show us what you've got!! Auditions June 30th. For more details and to register, visit

www.goldenspike.ca/tricitiesgottalent

EMPLOYMENT – PART-TIME

\$13/hr. Construction helper for home construction site. Sweep, fill bin, lock up house. Conscientious, responsible and trustworthy candidates with own transportation please. Contact Audrey Olin at audreyolin@gmail.com or call 604 468-9433.

EMPLOYMENT – LOCAL REALTOR

Two students needed (15+) \$15.00 per hour. The work is in a Coquitlam home in Ranch Park and a block from a bus stop. The student should be in grade 10 or older. And available after school and occasionally on a Saturday. One student who is good at accounting and is familiar with computer programs such as Word and Excel. One student who has good organizational skills to help with office work and act as a personal assistant. Email resume to Sheryl Dawson at Sheryl@dawsonrealtyexperts.com.

YEARBOOKS

Only **30** yearbooks left to order, if you want one get your order in soon.

GRADE 12

DEADLINE TO PURCHASE DINNER/DANCE TICKETS IS TOMORROW

Last chance to purchase dinner dance tickets is tomorrow Wed, June 13/18 \$120.00 cash only to the office.

BABY PHOTOS

There are still a number of baby photos that haven't been picked up.
If you didn't get yours back please come to the office.

BUS TO AFTER GRAD-PLEASE NOTE-ANOTHER BUS HAS BEEN CANCELLED!!!!

PLEASE if you are planning to take the bus to after grad book it online now!!

Maximum **108** seats on the buses

We currently have only **2** spaces remaining, **106** spaces have been sold.

Cut off to pay online is **June 18, 2018**, there are **no** tickets your name will be on a list.

HAVE YOU DONE YOUR GRAD TRANSITIONS??

There is a new list posted on the office windows of those students who have not completed their Grad Transitions.

PLEASE COME TO THE OFFICE REGARDING GRAD

Would the following students please come to the office to see Ms. Lynn about Grad
Andrew (Jae Won) Lee, Jie Tang, Jerry Yao.

AFTER GRAD

Everyone in Grade 12, including approved guests, can attend.

Cut off to pay online is June 18, 2018, there are no tickets, your name will be on a list.

2018 GRADS PLEASE SAVE THE DATE

Grads of 2018 please save the dates:

June 22nd – French Leaving Ceremony, 1-3 pm

June 23rd – Grad Dinner and Dance followed by After grad

SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Reminder – it is always a good idea to thank your donor! If you are in need of assistance or have questions, please contact Mrs. Healey Wright in the career center. (Some Provincial and memorial awards may not require a thank you)

APPLYING FOR STUDENT AID? APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN FOR FULL TIME

Full-time applications for the StudentAid BC 2018/2019 Program Year for classes starting between August 1, 2018 and July 31, 2019 are now available. **Apply online** through your dashboard: <http://ow.ly/dGFe30kkRlk> Following @studentaid on twitter is a good idea for students. The website is closed regularly for maintenance.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

WHEN CROSSING COMO LAKE

To all students:

Please remember to use the crosswalks and obey all traffic lights when crossing Como Lake.

*******SCENT FREE SCHOOL*******

All schools and buildings within *SD43* are "scent free" places of work and learning. Numerous students and staff have serious medical complications with various natural and chemical scents/ fragrances.
As such, please make every effort to avoid using or wearing scented products within this space in order to establish an environment that is as "scent safe" as possible.

******ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS***NO LOITERING IN BUS SHELTER******

Students are reminded that the bus shelters are for people who are actually waiting to get on a bus.
Please do not use them as a social gathering place.

STUDENT DROP OFFS

Please be aware that when dropping students off in the morning, vehicles are **not permitted** to stop at the west entrance roundabout. Stopping in the roundabout causes dangerous traffic problems on Como Lake Ave and impedes traffic.

SLOW DOWN AND USE CAUTION IN THE DRIVEWAY/DROP OFF AREA IN FRONT OF THE SCHOOL

Students are reminded to slow down and use the designated crosswalk area when crossing through the school driveway area. Be very vigilant as drivers are often distracted as they are moving in and out of waiting spots. Also, our student drivers are reminded that the expectation is “dead slow” in our school driveways and parking lots.

LITTER IN THE HALLWAYS

Students are reminded to clean up after themselves. It is a continual challenge to keep our school clean for all of us given that lunch hours take place all day long. Please pick up after yourself and your friends. Remember, we have garbage, bottle recycle, paper recycle and organics bins in regular locations throughout the building. Let’s all PITCH IN together!

****VAPORIZERS – AN ADDITION TO THE CODE OF CONDUCT****

VAPING IS NOT PERMITTED IN THE SCHOOL OR ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

We have noted an increase in the use of these devices by our student population at Charles Best. While there are documented health concerns associated with vaping, these devices have also become a safety issue. We are using this opportunity to inform students and parents **that vaporizers and/or e-cigarettes cannot be possessed at school under any circumstances.** There have been recent incidents in our school/district that have resulted in these devices unintentionally exploding which can result in serious injury for the user and those around them. For the safety of all of our students and staff, it is important that these devices are not on school property. Students are not permitted to have these devices in their lockers, backpacks, or on their person at any time while on school property. If a student is found in possession of a vaporizer or e-cigarette, it will be confiscated. Parents will be contacted and required to meet with the administration and their son/daughter. Reoccurring incidents will result in disciplinary action.