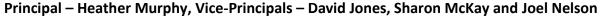
Dr. Charles Best Secondary Newsletter Issue 10 – December 16, 2019

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Our school goal is to develop a culture of connectedness and belonging within the school, among school staff, students, and our parent community, in order to enhance opportunities for collaborative partnerships.

Dear Dr. Charles Best Community:

As part of the district's move of administrators, we are sad to say goodbye to our Vice Principal, Ms. Sharon McKay. Ms. McKay will be leaving us on January 24, 2020 to go to Riverside Secondary as a Vice Principal. Although Ms. McKay has only been at Best for the past two years, it feels like she has always been part of the "Blue Devil" fabric. Her enthusiasm and spirit will be missed for sure! We wish her all the best for her "Rapid" future at her new school. Bye for now Ms. McKay!

Joining our administrative team beginning on January 27, 2020 is Mr. Gord Easton, who is currently the Vice Principal at CABE. Welcome Mr. Easton to the Home of the Blue Devils.



SENIORS WINTER BALL – JANUARY 20, 2020



Student council has organized at Winter Ball! They considered December to be so busy they thought a dance in January would be something for the Seniors to look forward to kicking off 2020! They have secured a DJ and planned for decorations, prizes and snacks. All Dr. Charles Best Grade 11 and 12 students are invited to come and dance the night away from 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm in our own small gym. There will be a photo booth, sweet treats, pop and savory snacks all included in the \$15 ticket (no need to bring any extra money to the dance) Tickets are on sale via Dr. Charles Best Cash online (KEV) and some tickets will be on sale at Best in the foyer area the first week back from holidays. Tickets are first come, first served so please get your tickets early – no refunds and the tickets are non-transferrable. Please make your son/daughter

aware that all school rules apply and if they choose foolishly to attend this school function under the influence of drugs or alcohol they will not be able to attend their Grad Dinner Dance in the future. The Winter Ball takes a lot of work by a very small group of students so let's please all help to make it a big success! Thank you Ms. Manton and the Dr. Charles Best teachers who are giving up their evening to supervise that night. Thank you, without the support of our teachers we cannot have these fun activities. Looking forward to seeing our Seniors on January 20th (Grade 10 Dr. Charles Best Students are allowed to participate if they are invited as a guest by one of our seniors. Guest passes are available in the main office starting today and are due to their VP by Jan 13th)

JUNIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM - BIG WIN!

Last weekend was a wonderful tournament win for the Dr. Charles Best JR Girls Basketball team, everyone worked hard and they were able to pick up the Tournament Win at the Carney Classic Tournament. Game stars were a challenge in each win as it was a complete team effort, the girls played together well and everything was balanced on both ends. Special recognition:

MVP – Ayla Carmichael
First Allstars – Eloise Herdman, Nisha Parhar
GO BLUE DEVILS! Good luck with the rest of your season!



UPCOMING EVENTS:

SPIRIT WEEK – December 16-20

Monday - Colour Day (gr 9 red/gr 10 green/gr 11 white/gr 12 blue/staff Best wear

Tuesday – 80's Day

Wednesday – Plaid Day

Thursday – Ugly Sweater Day

Friday – PJ Day

Wednesday, December 18

Christmas Music Concert – 7pm Gym

Friday, December 20

Talent Show – 1pm Gym

WINTER BREAK: DECEMBER 23-JANUARY 3

Monday, January 6

Schools reopen

Friday, January 10

"Dress Your Best" Friday

Monday, January 13

PAC General Meeting - Library 7pm

Wednesday, January 15

Career Advisory Schedule

ASSESSMENT WEEK January 20 - 24

Monday Jan 20	Tuesday Jan 21	Wednesday Jan 22	Thursday Jan 23	Friday Jan 24
Numeracy Assessment	Student work	Literacy Assessment	Student work	
9am-12pm	completion	9am-12pm	completion	
Career 9 Presentation -	Digital Learning 9	Student work	FRIMM Gr 9 Winter	Gr. 8 Walkabout 12–2
10am	Presentation – 10am	completion	Day	pm
Numeracy Assessment		Literacy Assessment 1-	Comm12 Rewrite 1–	
1-4pm		4pm	4pm	
			Gr 8 Parent Info Night	
			– 7pm	

SUPERINTENDENT'S SEASON'S GREETINGS 2019

