



Port Moody Times

Thursday
May 20, 2021

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

D. Ramsay, V. Grandy

DAILY HEALTH CHECK

Please complete this daily, prior to coming to school.

Please visit <http://www.bccdc.ca/schools> for further information including access to the [K-12 Health Check App](#).

TUESDAY, MAY 25TH: A reminder to parents and students that *Tuesday, May 25th* is the Q4 midterm switch.

LOST & FOUND: If any of the following items are yours, please come to the office to claim:

- A pair of ear buds was found on May 6th in an IB exam room.
- A girl's silver ring was found on May 4th in the girls' washroom next to the gym.
- Have you misplaced a large gift bag containing art supplies and some miscellaneous items? It was found in the Learning Centre, Room 203, in December.
- A few Compass Cards have been turned in to the office. If you know the code number on the back of the card, please come to the office to claim. One, in particular, has a significant balance.

ATTENTION GRADE 12's – IMPORTANT GRAD INFO:

- A survey about your intention to attend the Friday, June 25th Grad Photo Opportunity was shared with your parents/guardians via email on Wednesday, May 19th.
- Please connect with your parents/guardians and complete the survey by **4pm on Tuesday, May 25th**. Note that students will have to log-in using their district O365 log-in to access the survey.
- We need this information to move forward with the planning and scheduling of the event. No response from you and your family indicates that you do not plan to attend the Grad Photo Opportunity event on June 25th.

ATTENTION GRADE 12's - COMPASS GRADPASS TICKETS:

- If you didn't get your 2 Compass GradPass tickets in class last week, please come to the office to pick them up by **Friday, May 28th**.
- The Compass tickets may be used between May 15th and June 30th, 2021.

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES: MAY 26TH FROM 2-5PM:

- Teachers will be in touch with families to organize interviews which will be conducted remotely.
- The intention of the conferences is to focus on those students in need of assistance with meeting the learning outcomes of quarter 4 and linear courses which conclude at the end of June.

STUDENT MYED LOG INS: On *Tuesday, May 11th*, Student MyEd log ins changed. This change is happening at all schools in SD43, although the day of the change may be different for different schools. Please note that this does not impact parent accounts. Students should have received an auto-generated email with their new MyEd login id (pupil #) and generated password. This was sent to their school email accounts. When students receive this email they will need to follow the instructions to log in. This may require students to create a new security question and answer. Once they do this, students are encouraged to keep their new password somewhere safe for future log ins. The major benefit of this change will be that students will be able to keep their same account if they move between schools. This would include moves from middle to secondary.

PAPER AIRPLANE CONTEST:

When: **Wednesday, May 26th** – National Paper Airplane Day

Where: Library Learning Commons

To celebrate National Paper Airplane Day the Library Learning Commons, in conjunction with PMSS Physics, is hosting a paper airplane contest. Build two paper airplanes and compete to have the most accuracy, greatest distance, and longest flight time.

Maximum of 20 contestants due to Covid restrictions

Register here <https://forms.office.com/r/8ZMP9gMXJ0>

COQUITLAM SUMMER LEARNING 2021: Please refer to the Coquitlam Summer Learning 2021 poster at the end of today's Times for information regarding courses offered and registration.

ONGOING NEWS

Q3 PRE-IB ART 9/10 & IB ART 12 STUDENTS: Please go to the Assignments Folder and look under Gardner Art Photo, then open the file named "2021 Best spring photos Q3 and IB". I have now fixed the glitch and your photos are there - feel free to copy all photos of you and/or your art (please copy rather than move any image which also features the art of another student).

ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS: If you have set up email forwarding in your school district email, staff can't respond to your emailed questions as your address gets blocked. Please disable email forwarding in Outlook settings for your school district email.

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

PMSS TIMES: The PMSS Times will be distributed on *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*. Announcements will not be read over the PA at this time. The Times will also be posted in the Cafeteria under the clock.

CAREER CENTRE

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

For the following items, please check the Career Centre Teams page (code: 46n1w80) or the website: [https://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/portmoody/ProgramsServices/CareerCentre/Pages/default.aspx#/=](https://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/portmoody/ProgramsServices/CareerCentre/Pages/default.aspx#/) for more info. Follow @pmsstransitions on Twitter and Instagram for reminders!

SD43 CAREER & TRADES PROGRAMS - MAY NEWSLETTER:

Now available on TEAMS and website!

CANADA SUMMER JOBS 2021:

Visit the Career Centre Teams page or the website for link to list of businesses approved for funding to hire youth aged 15-30. Not applicable for international students.

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO - MED YOUTH SUMMER PROGRAM:

No official application deadline: open until full

CULINARY ARTS COOK LEVEL 1 DUAL CREDIT PROGRAM 2021/2022 AT CENTENNIAL SECONDARY:

Get year 1 of 3 year Red Seal Apprenticeship. Applications for 2021/2022 school year are open! FREE.

For: All Grade 11's & 12's

More info: Contact your counsellor or adjonas@sd43.bc.ca

EXPLORE UNBC - PROGRAMS & HOW TO APPLY:

When: May 17th - 21st (please check schedule for specific times)

IVEY BUSINESS SCHOOL AT WESTERN INFO SESSION:

When: Tuesday, May 18th or Tuesday, May 25th at 4:00pm - 5:00pm PST

STUDY & GO ABROAD - VIRTUAL EDUCATION FAIR:

When: Thursday, May 20th at 12:00pm - 6:00pm

YMCA SUMMER WORK STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM:

For: Youth aged 16-17

Application deadline: Friday, May 21st

UBC GEERING UP - JUNIOR INSTRUCTOR PROGRAM (VOLUNTEER):

Application deadline: Sunday, May 23rd

UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA - GUSTAVSON SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ZOOM BASED ENTREPRENEURSHIP WORKSHOP:

For: Grade 10's & 11's

When: Tuesday, May 25th or Thursday, May 27th from 6:00pm - 7:00pm

VANCOUVER ISLAND UNIVERSITY - TRADES AND APPLIED TECHNOLOGY VIRTUAL EXPO:

When: Thursday, May 27th from 3:00pm - 7:00pm

EMERGING INDIGENOUS SCHOLARS VIRTUAL SUMMER CAMP: **NEW**

Runs: Monday, July 5th - Friday, August 6th

Deadline: Friday, May 28th

SFU STEM SPEAKER SERIES - COMPUTER SCIENCE:

For: Grades 9-12

When: Saturday, May 29th at 1:00pm - 2:00pm

SUMMER LEARNING IS RECRUITING SD43 - STUDENT VOLUNTEERS:

Runs: July 12th - 30th, Monday - Friday mornings

Application deadline: Monday, May 31st

Please see Career Centre TEAMS or Ms. Chang for application form

EMILY CARR UNIVERSITY - SUMMER INSTITUTE FOR TEENS:

For: Students aged 16-18 or completed Grade 10 as of July 1, 2021

Early bird application deadline: Monday, May 31st - **Regular application deadline:** Monday, June 21st

CAMP IGNITE 2021 - YOUTH FIREFIGHTER MENTORSHIP PROGRAM FOR GRADE 11 & 12 GIRLS:

Runs: Saturday, August 14th & Sunday, August 15th

Application deadline: Tuesday, June 1st

YMCA YOUTH MEAN BUSINESS: **NEW*

Runs: Monday, June 14th

Info sessions: Tuesdays (12:00pm) or Thursdays (3:00pm) until Thursday, June 10th

SFU DECODE (AT HOME): **NEW**

Runs: Saturday, June 12th

Register by: Friday, June 11th

VANCOUVER FILM SCHOOL - ONLINE OPEN HOUSE:

When: Saturday, June 12th at 10am - 1:00pm

JUSTICE INSTITUTE OF BC: LAW ENFORCEMENT STUDIES DIPLOMA:

When: Tuesday, June 15th at 7:00pm - 8:30pm

CITY OF PORT MOODY – YOUTH FOCUS COMMITTEE (VOLUNTEER): **NEW**

Application deadline: Wednesday, June 30th

SCHOLARSHIPS / AWARDS

CLEAN ENERGY BC SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY:

Application deadline: Thursday, May 20th

2021 HEBDEN CHEMISTRY BURSARY:

Application deadline: Friday, May 21st

BETTY SPALTON SCHOLARSHIP - FOR STUDENTS ENTERING A CAREER IN CONSTRUCTION:

Application deadline: Monday, May 31st

BAYER FUND SCHOLARSHIP: **NEW**

Value: \$1500

Application deadline: Wednesday, June 2nd at 1:00pm

COFI - BC COUNCIL OF FOREST INDUSTRIES SCHOLARSHIP:

Application deadline: Friday, June 4th

LEGION 133 BURSARY:

Application deadline: Friday, June 4th

CIVIC LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP: **NEW**

Value: \$10,000

Application deadline: Wednesday, June 30th

ELMER HELM YOUTH FUND:

Value: \$1500

Application deadline: Wednesday, June 30th at 5:00pm

ELECTRONIC RECYCLING ASSOCIATION (ERA) SCHOLARSHIP 2021:

Competition runs until: Saturday, July 31st

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PARENTS

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

NEXT PAC MEETING: Tuesday, June 1st at 7pm

Join Zoom Meeting:

The link will be posted at a later date.

GRAD 2021

Grad 2021 needs the support of all families in our Port Moody Secondary School community!

PORT MOODY LIQUOR STORE FUNDRAISER:

Attention all Parents - Port Moody Grad 2021 Committee is asking for your support with our Liquor Store Fundraiser. Please mention Port Moody Secondary After Grad when making a purchase at PoMo Liquor store (by 7-11 on St. Johns Street). We earn 4% of sales from every purchase. Anyone can support this fundraising effort so please tell your neighbours and relatives. Thank you for your support!

AFTER GRAD BOTTLE DEPOT FUNDRAISER:

Do you have a lot of refundable items sitting in your house? If so, then you can help with Grad 2021 at no extra cost to you. It's as easy as 1, 2, 3!!!

- 1) Put all your refundable items in a **clear** plastic bag (no sorting involved!!).
- 2) Print out a label at your nearest Return-It Depot using Port Moody Secondary's phone number **604-939-6656** and stick it to the bag.
- 3) Drop it off in the bin.

Funds will be used to help make this a special day for our graduates.

COQUITLAM SUMMER LEARNING 2021



Summer Learning 2021 Secondary Programs

www.summerlearningcoquitlam.ca

Secondary Academic Completion

(formerly known as "Remedial")

July 13 to 30, 8:30-11:30AM or 12:00-3:00PM Daily

Locations: Gleneagle

Courses: Grades 9 & 10 English, Math, Science & Social studies.

These courses provide a path for students who achieved 40-49% in a course (during this 2020-2021 school year) to attain a passing grade. Students will be able to upgrade their mark to 50% (C-).

These courses will follow a hybrid format: Students will attend in-person for a Face-to-Face class once a week (either Thursday or Friday; you will be notified before the course starts as to which day you are to attend) and will attend online scheduled classes the other days.

Registration for Remedial courses is by referral only, see website or your high school counsellor for details. The referral form will collect some brief information from your teacher so we can customize your course to what you need to complete.

Morning classes: 8:30 – 11:30 am	Afternoon classes: 12:00 – 3:00 pm
English 9/10 (Composition and Literary Studies focus)	English 9/10 (Composition and Literary Studies focus)
Math 9	Math 10 (AW & FPC)
Science 9/10	Social Studies 9/10



Fast Track (High School Credit)

July 6 to August 11. Morning and Afternoon Courses available.

Locations: Gleneagle

Courses: Biology 11/12; Career Life Education 10; Chemistry 11/12; English 10,11,12; EAL 10/11*; Mathematics 10,11; Physics 11,12; PE 10; Science 10; Social Studies 10/11.

(Environmental Sciences 11 will be a Face-to-Face course, available as part of SOYL program. See website for application details.)

Fast Track courses this summer will follow a blended learning model:

- Two weekly synchronous (online) class sessions
- One weekly in-person Face-to-Face class session on the weeks of July 12, 19, 26 and Aug. 2: All students must attend these Face-to-Face class sessions, which will include assessments/quizzes etc. Each student will be notified, in advance of the course start-up, as to which of these in-person days they will be required to attend.
- Online work & online tutorial support

This program is best suited for students wishing to complete the selected course within a 6 week timeline.



To Register:

Step 1: Returning students from 2019 or 2020 already have a profile; please log in to update your profile. Will you be a new summer student? Create your profile today at www.summerlearningcoquitlam.ca

Step 2: Register online, starting at 6:00AM on Wednesday May 12, 2021. There is no deposit required for Fast Track courses.

* EAL courses are by referral only, not open to public registration, see website for details

