

GRADE 12'S – DID YOU WIN ANY AWARD/ SCHOLARSHIP/ BURSARIES?

If you have won any scholarships/ awards/ bursaries please let us know so that we can include the info into the commencement package!

For EACH scholarship you won, please fill out this form: <u>https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=74xl2ZICUkKZJWRC3iSkS4_xqFv1kUxJqttHU-EDOoJURjUzVFFJUEU2Q1g1VUJMR0VXQVBMNTY1Ty4u</u>

The form will only allow you to fill out ONE award at a time, so if you have won multiple awards, please fill out the form for however many times you have won an award.

2022 COMMENCEMENT MESSAGE: Grade 12's - please make sure that you have completed the forms with your Commencement Message. This is the message that will be read when you walk across the stage. https://forms.office.com/r/fMyvMhwZmm

EASTER EGG HUNT - THURSDAY, APRIL 14th: Easter is coming up this Sunday, and to celebrate, student council is presenting a school-wide Easter egg hunt! On **Thursday, April 14th**, 36 easter eggs containing a sweet prize will be hidden all over the school.

Note: the eggs will NOT be hidden outside, only in the school (portables included). If you find an egg, take a picture with your egg and tag @pmss_stuco on your Instagram story or DM us. Remember to keep a lookout for eggs on Thursday!

<u>LLC BUNNY HUNT – THURSDAY, APRIL 14th:</u> Can you help the Library Learning Commons find their lost bunnies? Be on the lookout for bunnies hiding in the common areas of the school on the morning of *Thursday, April 14th*. Common areas are the MPR, the Foyer, and hallways. Bunnies are not hiding in classrooms or inside teacher offices or in lockers.

When you find a bunny, bring it to the Library Learning Commons for a reward.

<u>APRIL TRADES NEWSLETTER NOW AVAILABLE</u>: <u>https://www.sd43.bc.ca/CareerPrograms/Pages/default.aspx#/=</u> In this edition: Celebrating Diversity in Trades.

<u>ONGOING</u>

PARENT FORMS & STUDENT FEES: School District 43 uses the KEV School Cash Online for both fee statements and District Policies forms. Currently our focus is to collect the information from the various forms.

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

PMSS TIMES NEWSLETTER: The PMSS Times newsletter will be emailed to parents and students on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays**. Announcements will not be read over the PA. You will find copies of the PMSS Times outside the office, and it will also be posted in the cafeteria, under the clock and in the LLC (Library Learning Commons).

SPORTS

VOLLEYBALL CLINIC: School is not in session the next two Fridays so we will resume again on *Friday, April 29th* at 7am in the large gym.

CAREER CENTRE

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

PLEASE READ: For the following items, please check the Career Centre Teams page (code: 46n1w80) or the website: <u>https://tinyurl.com/4x8ucpc6</u> for more info and links. Follow @pmsstransitions on Twitter and Instagram for reminders!

GENERAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

<u>YMCA SUMMER WORK EXCHANGE PROGRAM:</u> For: Students aged 16–17 (with some exceptions for 15 or 18 year olds) interested in summer exchange and work experience in Quebec Info session: Wednesday, April 13th at 7:00pm Deadline to apply: Sunday, April 17th Cost: \$125 (application is free)

IMAGINE YOUR FUTURE AT UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH – PASSIONS, EXPERIENCES AND COMMUNITY: **NEW** For: Grades 9-12's

When: Wednesday, April 20th at 4:00pm

PLACE DES ARTS SUMMER THEATRE TROUPE – CALLING FOR AUDITIONS:

For: Students aged 15-18
Audition date: Friday, April 22nd & Saturday, April 23rd at 4:00pm
Pay: If selected, all participates will get an honorarium guaranteed up to \$400

2022-23 OCEANWISE | YOUTHTOSEA LEADERSHIP PROGRAM: **NEW**

Runs: May – October For: Students 15-18 years old interested in ocean conservation knowledge Cost: Free Application Deadline: Sunday, April 24th

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO INFORMATION SESSION IN VANCOUVER:

For: Prospective students & families Grades 9-11 who want to learn more about U of T
 When: Sunday, April 24th from 9:30am – 12:00pm
 Where: Fairmont Waterfront, Vancouver

CBABC BARRY SULLIVAN LAW CUP (PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION): **NEW**

When: Tuesday, May 17th from 4:30pm – 7:00pm hosted virtually Who can enter: Grades 10, 11 & 12

Prize: \$1500.00

Registration deadline: Sunday, May 1st (Please contact Ms. Chang to be registered – only 5 students to be registered from our school. First come, first serve!)

SCIENCE WORLD: FUTURE SCIENCE LEADERS PROGRAM: **NEW**

For: Students entering into Gr. 10 or 11 in September interested in STEM **Cost:** \$500 + tax

Runs: After school hours September through until May either on Tuesdays or Thursdays depending on chosen location. **Deadline to apply:** Sunday, May 1st

S.U.C.C.E.S.S YOUTH LEADERSHIP MILLENNIUM PROGRAM: **NEW**

What: Students completing the leadership program will receive a certificate of completion, a First Aid Certificate and an Official Letter of Reference
 For: Youth 15-30 residing in Metro Vancouver
 Deadline to apply: Sunday, May 1st (or until spots filled)
 Cost: FREE

EMILY CARR UNIVERSITY X SD43 – HEADSTART IN ART PROGRAM:

For: Grades 11 & 12, or recent graduates from any SD43 high school aimed at students considering post-secondary studies in visual art, media art, or design
What: This course will carry a <u>degree credit</u> at Emily Carr University and transfer credit to other Fine Arts programs (but NOT high school credits)
Runs: September 13th - December 13th on Tuesdays from 6:00-9:00pm at Gleneagle Secondary School Application deadline: Wednesday, May 25th
Cost: Domestic students: \$485.18, International students: \$1880.45

UBC ENGINEERING INFO SESSION: EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW:

For: Grades 9-12 students and/or parents When: Tuesday, May 31st from 5:00pm-6:00pm

CAMP IGNITE:

For: Grades 11 & 12 girls interested in firefighting
Runs: August 4th - 7th
Deadline to apply: Wednesday, June 1st
Cost: FREE

SUMMER INSTITUTE FOR TEENS AT EMILY CARR UNIVERSITY: **NEW**

What: Summer Institute for Teens is a pre-university program offering students a choice of 11 studios in a range of disciplines, including Communication Design, UX Design, Creative Coding, Illustration, Drawing, Painting, Game Design, and Filmmaking.

For: Students 16-18 (or who just finished Grade 10)

Runs: July $5^{th} - 30^{th}$ (9:00am - 4:00pm on ECUAD campus)

Cost: Domestic – Early Bird (until April 30th): \$2030, Regular: \$2438

International – Early Bird (until April 30th): \$2438.00, Regular: \$2846

VOLUNTEER / WORK EXPERIENCE

SFU CAMPS VOLUNTEER: Deadline to apply: Tuesday, April 19th at 11:59pm

SPRING VOLUNTEER JOB FAIR:

For: Youth 13-18 years old Positions available: Ambassador, Roamer, Traffic control Where: Coquitlam Public Library – City Centre Branch When: Saturday, April 23rd

CITY OF PORT COQUITLAM - ENVIRONMENTAL VOLUNTEER:

Date: Saturday, April 23rd – Tree planting **When:** 10:00am – 1:00pm **Where:** Coutts Park

COQUITLAM VOLUNTEER CONNECTIONS: YOUTH IN ACTION PROJECT TEAM:

What: High school students volunteer opportunities in Visual Arts, Student support, Analytics, and more For: 15-18 years old Starts: Monday, April 25th

PEDALHEADS SUMMER BIKE CAMP VOLUNTEER AND PAID INSTRUCTOR POSITIONS: **AMENDED**

For: Bike instructors: 16+, Instructor for Trail program: 17+, Junior Instructor: 13+ and students looking to volunteer
 Where: Various locations around Burnaby, Coquitlam and Port Moody
 Wages: Volunteers -none, Instructors – Minimum wage
 Deadline to apply: Sunday, May 1st

BELCARRA BEACHKEEPERS: **NEW**

What: Encourage preservation and protection of marine ecosystems at Belcarra Regional Park For: Students at least 16 years of age Time Commitment: Minimum of 6 weekend shifts throughout the summer, from the last weekend in June to Labour Day

VANCOUVER CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL:

For: Grades 10 and up students
Where: Granville Island
When: May 23rd-30th (week before the festival) & May 31st - June 5th (in-person)

COQUITLAM & PORT MOODY FARMER'S MARKET: **NEW**

Students can sign up for as few or as little shifts available. No experience necessary! <u>Coquitlam:</u> When: May to October, Sundays 9:00am – 1:00pm Where: Dogwood Pavillion Parking Lot <u>Port Moody:</u> When: June to October, Wednesdays 3:00pm – 7:00pm Where: Behind the Port Moody Library

GOLDEN SPIKE DAYS SOCIETY:

For: Youth 13+ interested in volunteering for manning the gates, rides and info booths, supervising bike valet and parking, bussing tables
Where: Rocky Point Park
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When: June 30th - July 4th in 4-hour shifts

BC DUMPLING FESTIVAL:

For: All high school students When: Saturday, August 13th Where: Town Centre Park

PNE/ PLAYLAND SUMMER JOBS (PAID):

For: 15+ years old Wages: Minimum wage

SCHOLARSHIPS / AWARDS

PUBLIC GUARDIAN AND TRUSTEE EDUCATIONAL FUND: Value: \$4000.00

Deadline: Friday, April 15th

GLORIA BARRON PRIZE FOR YOUNG HEROES:

For: ALL Students up to age 18 can apply!Value: up to \$10,000Deadline: Friday, April 15th

LAW SOCIETY- SECONDARY SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST:

Value: \$1000 for first prize, \$500 for runner-up **Deadline:** Friday, April 22nd

EFMABC BURSARIES 2022: **NEW**

Value: 5x \$1000 Deadline: Saturday, April 30th

PORT COQUITLAM FOUNDATION THEATRE SOCIETY LEGACY FUND ARTS EDUCATION BURSARY: Value: \$2000

Deadline: Saturday, April 30^{th} at midnight

BC HOCKEY 2022 SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: Between \$500 - \$2000 Deadline: Saturday, April 30th

SAVE ON FOODS - DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1000 Deadline: Sunday, May 1st

AL GRIST SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:

For: Students who will study environment in university Value: \$500 Deadline: Sunday, May 1st

HERBALAND COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP 2022:

Value: 5x \$1000 Deadline: Sunday, May 1st

G3 GROW BEYOND SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: 6 x \$4000 Deadline: Monday, May 2nd

2022 DR HAL WEINBERG SCHOLARSHIP:

For: Gr. 12 Anmore residents Value: \$1000 Deadline: Friday, May 6th

CLEAN ENERGY BC SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$2000 Deadline: Friday, May 6th

BC TRANSPLANT – "LIVE LIFE, PASS IT ON" SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1500 Deadline: Friday, May 6th

RCAF FOUNDATION STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS:

For: STEM students pursuing career in Aviation or Aerospace
Value: 50 x \$1000
Deadline: Monday, May 9th

CIBC: MY MONEY, MY FUTURE CONTEST:

For: Students 14-18 with an interest in teaching others financial knowledge
Value: Up to \$10,000
Deadline: Monday, May 9th

PACIFIC LEADERS' SCHOLARSHIP FOR CHILDREN OF PUBLIC SERVANTS:

Value: 60 x \$2500 Deadline: Friday, May 13th

SHASHI ASSANAND BURSARY – FOR GR. 12 FEMALE CHILDREN OF REFUGEES AND IMMIGRANTS: Value: \$1000

Deadline: Sunday, May 15th

SENIORCARE SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1500 Deadline: Sunday, May 15th

2022 JIM HEBDEN CHEMISTRY BURSARY APPLICATION: **NEW**

Deadline: Friday, May 20th **Value:** \$1000

CANGAP GAP YEAR SCHOLARSHIP: **NEW**

Value: \$1000 Deadline: Friday, May 27th

MYBLUEPRINT SCHOLARSHIP:

Value: \$1000 Deadline: Saturday, May 28th

GRACE FAMILY NETWORK FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS 2022:

Value: \$500 Deadline: Tuesday, May 31st

LUKE SANTI MEMORIAL AWARD FOR STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT:

Value: \$1000 Deadline: Tuesday, May 31st

MADD YOUTH BURSARY FUND: Value: \$5000- \$10,000

Deadline: Tuesday, May 31st

LISA HUUS BURSARY:

For: Students with physical disabilities who will study in BC or Alberta
Value: Up to \$5000
Deadline: Tuesday, May 31st

FRASER INSTITUTE STUDENT ESSAY CONTEST: **NEW**

Prizes: 1st prize - \$1500, 2nd prize - \$1000, 3rd prize - \$500 **Essay Topic:** What in the world would Adam Smith say? **Deadline:** Wednesday, June 15th

Deadline: Friday, July 15th

DE BEERS GROUP SCHOLARSHIPS FOR CANADIAN WOMEN: **NEW** Value: \$4000 USD

2022 ERA SCHOLARSHIP - \$1 MILLION & \$100K: Eligibility: The competition is open to students who reside in Canada What: \$1 Million Dollar scholarship – Collect 1 million laptops and smartphones (suitable for donation) Canada-wide, and win OR \$100K Dollar scholarship for 100K approved devices Deadline: Competition opens January 1st – September 1st

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PARENTS

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

NEXT PAC MEETING: Tuesday, May 3rd at 7:00 pm

Join our meeting: The link will be posted at a later date.

GRAD 2022

Grad 2022 needs the support of all families in our Port Moody Secondary School community.

NEXT AFTERGRAD MEETING: Wednesday, April 13th at 7:00 pm

Join our meeting:

Please email Shirley McQueen at shirley.mcqueen@shaw.ca for a link to the meeting.

NEUFELD GOURMET FOODS & DESSERTS - AFTERGRAD FUNDRAISER:

We are excited to announce our next PMSS 2022 AfterGrad Fundraiser! We need your help to forward this email to your Family, Friends, and Neighbours who want some **Neufeld Gourmet Foods and Desserts** and each order will help benefit 2022 AfterGrad. This is quite simple by sharing and using the Link below or scan the QR code. Please help make this successful:

Order deadline is Sunday, April 24, 2022.

All pick up orders will be at PMSS Parking lot (300 Albert St, Port Moody) on Wednesday, May 4, 2022 at 7:30pm.

https://app.neufeldfarms.ca/fundraising/2022-port-moody-secondary/ref/em

Please also share this on your social media or have your Grad post and share with their friends.

https://app.neufeldfarms.ca/fundraising/2022-port-moody-secondary/ref/sm





We have had a successful launch of the FUNDSCRIP gift card-fundraising campaign raising funds for the 2022 graduating class at PMSS. Our initial response has been strong.

Hello PMSS families, friends and relatives,

As of Thursday December 9th, 2021, you can purchase gift cards directly from the FUNDSCRIP site and have them delivered to your own home at any time – think graduation, birthdays, weddings, friend's day, Mother's Day, Father's Day, Grandparents Day. With this new purchase option, a percentage of all gift cards will still go towards helping to fund the PMSS 2022 AfterGrad celebration in June 2022.

Here is the link to the online site: <u>https://www.fundscrip.com/support-a-group/6TMMSM</u>

You will use the Direct Shipping or E Gift Cards or Reloadable options. This will allow you great flexibility in ordering.

Please feel free to share this information with friends and families near and far. Every gift card purchase will bring us closer to being able to host an afterward event in June 2022.

Thank you for supporting the 2022 PMSS graduating class by purchasing your gift cards through this platform.

Meijane Quong on behalf of the Port Moody AfterGrad Committee

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