



Port Moody Times

Tuesday
April 25, 2023
Day 1

LOST & FOUND:

- ❖ A retainer was found in Room 217 and can be claimed on the Lost & Found stand during lunch.
- ❖ The following **new** items were turned in. Please come to the office during lunch or after school to claim:
 - Pandora bracelet with charms
 - Silver chain with ring
 - A pair of headsets

COVID TESTS: We have some covid tests available at the office. Please feel free to come by during lunch or after school to grab some.

EMERGENCY EXIT SIGNS

In the past year, the school's emergency lighting and exit signs were upgraded to current standards.

An unexpected, and unfortunate consequence to this is that some students regard the signs as an appealing item to jump up and hit. In turn this dislodges the sign from its mounting bracket.

To date we have managed these incidents informally and directly with the student(s) involved. As the issue continues, please note that from this point forward consequences will be addressed formally with the student and family.

Parents - we'd appreciate you taking some time at home to reinforce the signage is an important component of the fire protection system of any public building and is clearly a no touch item.

Please contact Mr. Conley gconley@sd43.bc.ca if you have any questions or comments.



HISTORY TEAM *NEW*

"Congratulations to Port Moody Secondary's History team who competed in regional championships at St. Georges Secondary School this weekend. Jahau Y. competed individually in the Bee competition, securing the silver medal, and the PMSS team (Jahau Y., Andy X., Haolun L. and Ben F.) won the bronze medal in the Bowl competition. Nice job one and all!"

SENIOR BADMINTON TEAM

Congratulations to the Senior Badminton Team on retaining the Individual Districts Trophy today. The following players had a hand in contributing to the success.



Boys Doubles:

Eric C./Kevin L. – 1st place
Ethan A./Brayden L. – 2nd place

Girls Doubles:

Bella C./Christine S. – 1st place
Emma D./Grace G. – 5th place

Boys Singles:

Robert S. – 1st place

Mixed Doubles:

Robert S./Christine S. – 1st place
Eric C./Bella C. – 3rd place

Some of these players will move on to play in the Fraser North Individuals.

2023 GRAD INFO

DINNER DANCE TICKET PURCHASE/SEAT SELECTION

Students who still need to choose their table/seat for the dinner dance may do so during lunch, or after school in the main office. Please see Ms. Nembhard or Ms. Mueckel about seat selection. Tickets can be purchased from SchoolCashOnline, or may be purchased in the office, again during lunch or after school. The deadline to purchase tickets is **May 5**.

GRADE 12 COMMENCEMENT COMMENT WRITE-UPS

Grade 12's are reminded to complete their Commencement comments. This is the message that will be read out as they cross the stage during Commencement June 17th at the Orpheum Theatre. The comments need to be submitted by the end of April. <https://forms.office.com/r/VjX24UiKqp>

GRADES 9/10: CEMC WATERLOO IS HOSTING AN ONLINE COMP-SCI WORKSHOP CALLED SPARCS

We are pleased to inform you that the [Centre for Education in Mathematics and Computing \(CEMC\)](#) at the University of Waterloo is hosting [SPARCS \(Virtual\)](#), an online computer science workshop for students in Grade 9 and 10. **This workshop is designed specifically for people belonging to gender identities under-represented in computer science including women, non-binary and trans folk who are interested in learning about computer science.**

We are looking for participants with an aptitude in mathematics but with little or no previous exposure to computer science. Past participants have raved about the great time they had and how the workshop changed their perceptions of computer science and computer scientists. It will take place online from Sunday, June 11, to Wednesday, June 14, 2023, with two, one-hour long sessions per day (1:30 p.m. & 4:30 p.m. EDT on Sunday and 4:30 p.m. & 7:30 p.m. EDT Monday through Wednesday). A registration fee of \$25 will need to be paid after invited applicants receive their confirmation package; there is no fee to apply for the workshop.

If you are interested in participating in this workshop, please apply. The [online application form](#) is open now and will close on Wednesday, May 3, 2023, at 11:59 p.m. EDT. Post application, teachers will receive an email to verify their student's grade and math mark.

ONGOING

PARENT FORMS & STUDENT FEES: School District 43 uses the KEV School Cash Online (<https://sd43.schoolcashonline.com>) for both fee statements and District Policies 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.

PAST YEARBOOKS FOR SALE

Yearbooks from 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 are on sale for **\$25 CASH ONLY**. Please come by the office to purchase one during lunch or after school.

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, in the Cafeteria under the clock, and in the Library Learning Commons beside the circulation desk.

CAREER CENTRE

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

PMSS Career Resource Centre

Room: 3066. Open from 8:00am – 3:30pm Monday-Friday.

If you have any questions or to book an appointment, please feel free to email Ms. Rose at jorose@sd43.bc.ca or call 604-939-6656 ext. 3066. **Join the Port Moody Secondary Career center TEAMS page! Code to join: 46n1w80 or e-mail Ms. Rose**

Virtual / In-person Information Sessions, Presentations & University / College Fairs

EduationUSA College Fair --- Explore the possibilities! Meet 50+ admissions officers from 27 U.S. states and an NCAA representative. Learn about the diverse education offerings in the United States, such as community colleges, research universities, liberal arts colleges, technical institutions, performing and fine arts institutes, summer programs, culinary programs, and more! Free and open to the public. For students/families. VANCOUVER: May 9, 5-8 pm PT. [Registering Here](#)

Justice Institute BC, LAW ENFORCEMENT STUDIES. DIPLOMA PROGRAM | UPCOMING INFO SESSION During the session, students will discover what it takes to pursue a law enforcement or public safety career. They will learn about the education, applied skills, and specialized knowledge required to become a superior candidate in the recruiting process. **Next Law Enforcement Studies Info Session is on May 17, 2023.** For more information and to register visit, [Law Enforcement Studies Diploma Info Session - May 17 | Justice Institute of British Columbia \(jibc.ca\)](#)

UBC Up coming events for admitted students [April 24 and April 27: Finances](#): Join for a virtual information session to learn more about financial planning and resources for your studies at UBC.

Upcoming UBC Engineering Events in 2023 Visit, [Upcoming events to share with your students \(envoke.com\)](#). The following virtual and in-person events with any of your students that might be interested in learning how they can change the world and make a positive impact as future engineers.

General Learning Opportunities

22+ TRADES TRAINING PROGRAMS, Visit ["TRAIN in Trades" Programs - School District No. 43 \(Coquitlam\) \(sd43.bc.ca\)](#)

Contact: Ben King Career & "TRAIN in Trades" Coordinator 778-984-1354 bking@sd43.bc.ca

NEW Are you interested in pursuing STEM and making a difference in the world? Join Hackamental 2023, a free in-person hackathon, organized by XdHacks Mini Vancouver happening on Saturday, June 24, 2023. The venue will be the Vancouver Independent School for Science and Technology (VISST). The hackathon encourages local high school students from Vancouver to work collaboratively and develop prototypes that will focus on Mental health and well-being. Within 8 hours, teams will work together to develop digital ideas aimed toward helping assist struggles with mental health and build awareness in societies today. XdHacks Mini Vancouver will provide resources like workshops, keynote presentations, interactive activities and mentors to help better equip you with skills to create innovative designs.

Venue: Vancouver Independent School for Science and Technology (VISST) 1490 W Broadway #200, Vancouver, BC V6H 4E8 Date and time: June 24, 2023 from 9am to 6pm Cost: FREE! You will have the option to place an order for lunch.

There are limited spots, so sign up quickly through <https://forms.gle/s5npUwKstTW4KWlb6>. Direct any questions to xdhacksmini.van@gmail.com or our Instagram, @xdhacksmini_van.

Steam Works Studio British Columbia sessions in May: Mon May 1st – Friday May 12. Register at: [BRITISH COLUMBIA | STEAM WORKS STUDIO CA](#)

HEADSTART IN ART PROGRAM Emily Carr University of Art + Design and Coquitlam School District #43 are pleased to announce the continuation of a partnership that will see ECU offer a first year studio course, taught by Emily Carr at Gleneagle Secondary School in Fall 2023. **For further information contact: Admissions:** Emily Carr University of Art + Design 604.844.3897 | admissions@ecuad.ca Ben King SD43 Coquitlam 778-984-1354 | bking@sd43.bc.ca **APPLICATION DEADLINE:** MAY 26th, 2023. [Career & Trades Programs - School District No. 43 \(Coquitlam\) \(sd43.bc.ca\)](#)

BCIT's ACE Microcredential – Summer 2023 (Pilot). Are you interested in Architecture, Construction or Engineering? The **ACE Microcredential – Introductory Design and Technical Skills for Architecture, Construction and Engineering**, is a unique work-based entry level educational program designed to introduce high school students graduating and recent high school graduates to the worlds of Architecture, Engineering and Construction. Students will be introduced to skills, concepts and terminologies used in these sectors, participate in site visits, work on both physical and digital models, and hear from leaders in these professions. The ACE Microcredential is delivered to students in a blended format, which includes classes held at BCIT's Burnaby campus, virtual learning through BCIT's Learning Hub platform, and fieldtrips to local design firms and construction sites. The aim of the program is to build an understanding of the spectrum of careers that exist within these fields and to prepare students to explore those careers via this unique immersive polytechnic program. Following completion of the ACE Microcredential, successful students would then continue on with a related Certificate program that begins September 2023 and runs for one year, which includes paid internships with local companies in the construction, architecture and engineering fields. Program runs from July 10 to August 4, 2023 (4 weeks, full-time) at BCIT's Burnaby campus. The deadline to apply is **April 30, 2023**. For more information contact: **Ben King** (bking@sd43.ca) or **Ann Martineau** (amartineau@bcit.ca)

The African Ancestry Project. Are you a BIPOC person living in BC between the ages of 15 and 19? Interested in meeting and connecting with like-minded peers who similarly come from diverse cultural backgrounds? Join the [BC Black History Awareness Society](#) and the [SFU Morris J. Wosk Centre for Dialogue](#) (CFD) for the **African Ancestry Project's Youth Dialogue Series** and unpack what it means to belong in a country known for being diversely multicultural. They are recruiting 40 BIPOC youth of and between ages 15 and 19 years across the province. Participation for each event is Free and includes workshop training, a physical copy of the project report "Worlds Within: Diverse Histories, Identities & Experiences of Black People of African Ancestry in British Columbia," and a certificate of participation. When: May 6, 2023. For more information and to apply visit, [African Ancestry Project, Youth Dialogue Series Registration form \(google.com\)](#)

SFU Upcoming STEM workshops & events

Community Data Science - Spring 2023 Date: Apr 29, 2023 Time: 10-11:30 am

Delivery: Online via Zoom **Student:** Trans and cisgender women, non-binary and Two Spirit students in Grade 9-12

Cost: Free **Sign-up link:** <http://websurvey.sfu.ca/survey/441802144>

Volunteer/Employment Opportunities

NEW Youth Assembly on Digital Rights and Safety. **OPPORTUNITY FOR 18-YEAR-OLD STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN CANADIAN POLICY-MAKING.** *Recruitment is now open and will close on May 12, 2023.* they are looking to reach 18-year-old from coast to coast to coast that represent Canada's diversity. Anyone interested in volunteering can learn more and sign up at <https://digitalassembly.ca/> or by calling (833) 319 1839

University of British Columbia, Summer learning camp, [Phenomenal Physics Camps](#) in July 2023 is looking for volunteers. They need volunteers currently completing grades 10-12 to help them run their camps. This is an excellent outreach/teacher helper experience which includes training, mentorship and learning basic physics and astronomy skills. For volunteering information please see [here](#). They are accepting volunteer applications from **May 1 – 31st** and

will be contacting students for interviews in early June. They are looking to hire 3-4 volunteers/camp to assist campers with science and recreational activities. For any questions and more information, please contact camps@phas.ubc.ca.

International Summer School Position- Assistant Activity Coordinator. The International Education Department invites current grade 12 students to apply for the position of Assistant Activity Coordinator for International Education Summer Programs. **Responsibilities include:**

- acting as a cultural ambassador for International students attending summer programs
- leading games and activities with visiting International students
- working to teachers, activity coordinators, and other staff in a supporting role
- assisting teachers in the classroom
- helping chaperone International students on field trips and activities
- setting up and helping to prepare for activities

Interested candidates should fill out the attached application form and submit it along with a resume and cover letter to Troy Cunningham, Summer School Principal (tcunningham@sd43.bc.ca) by April 28, 2023. [Summer Assistant Activity Coordinator Application.pdf \(sd43.bc.ca\)](#)

Coquitlam School District's Summer Learning program is pleased to once again offer a volunteer opportunity for our students. Last year we placed approximately fifty students into SD 43 Summer Learning classrooms, a valuable experience for students and teachers! Successful volunteers will be placed in local classrooms and earn necessary volunteer hours as well as a letter of reference. Summer Learning Website: <https://ce43.augusoft.net//info/landing/summer-learning>. For more information and to apply visit, [Secondary students' volunteer application form](#). Application is due by **May 19th**.

Rivershed Society of BC is hiring. Looking for someone who shares our commitment to connecting, protecting, and restoring the Fraser Watershed. We are seeking candidates that meet the requirements of the Canada Summer Jobs* program to fill the following full-time positions: **Regional Assistants:** [Mid Fraser Regional Assistant](#) & [Upper Fraser Regional Assistant](#) . **Media Relations Assistant:** [More info](#). **Database Assistant:** [Get the details](#). For more information and to apply, [Employment Opportunity: Database Assistant - Rivershed Society of BC](#)

Volunteer! Be a Beachkeeper. Looking to have fun and make a difference this summer? Volunteer as a beachkeeper and gain experience in stewardship, public education, and scientific data collection. Participants must be 16 years or older. For information or to apply: beachkeepers@metrovancover.org. Applications due by **May 26**.

UBC Physics Outreach Summer Camps. The Phenomenal Physics Summer Camp is an annual summer camp program run by UBC Department of Physics & Astronomy. Camp participants engage in fun scientific activities designed to encourage thinking and experimenting. Volunteers are expected to commit to at least one week of volunteering for our summer camp program (Volunteer hours are Monday to Friday, 8:30am – 4:30pm, two-week commitment preferred). To apply and for more information visit, [Volunteer Opportunities | UBC Physics & Astronomy Outreach](#)

2023 Playland Summer Jobs. They are looking for over 200 enthusiastic and motivated individuals to join our Games, Rides, Guest Experience, Playland Maintenance, and Food & Beverage teams for this year's exciting Playland season. To apply visit, [2023 Playland Summer Jobs in Vancouver, British Columbia | Careers at Pacific National Exhibition \(icims.com\)](#)

Rainforest Adventure Camps, Adventure Play Care Society www.RfCamps.com. Are a non-profit that has been providing camps for ages 5-12 and other programs in the Tri-Cities since 2019. Their goal is to empower and inspire youth and create community. They are always looking for kind, patient, and respectful people to volunteer for the activities they offer. Activities at camp include swimming, boating, laser tag in forests, parachute games, tag games, Capture the Flag, sports, board games, card games, hiking, arts and crafts, and more based on the interests of participants. Their out trips include White Pine Beach, the Coquitlam Aquatic Centre, Poirier Pool, Crash Crawly's, Buntzen Lake, Rocky Point, and more. If you are interested email <http://www.rfcamps.com/Contact-Us/> indicating your interest.

The Royal Soccer Club, a registered non-profit organization is excited to host our 31st annual grassroots summer day camps to children aged 5 to 13 in your community. They have an amazing opportunity for students to **volunteer** at their camps this summer. Their program is designed to promote personal development, team building and of course, FUN! Offering full day and morning sessions to all children aged 5 to 13, the program runs all weeks in July and August. Candidate can apply by visiting the EMPLOYMENT page on their website [Home - Royal Soccer Club](#).

Port Coquitlam Recreation is excited to be offering several volunteer opportunities for people 14+ years of age beginning this over Spring Break and into the Spring, with opportunities for community members to build their resumes, develop their leadership skills and connect with their community. Applications are now available on our website at www.portcoquitlam.ca/volunteer.

2023 Vancouver International Children's Festival is interested in onboarding a few **Key Volunteers (KV's)** right away, who can begin working within your school to recruit and screen more volunteers. **KVs** generally work around 20 hrs in advance of the Festival, and then transition into Crew Captain roles onsite during the Festival. Serving as a KV and/or Crew Captain provides very strong leadership and communications experience, plus being creative and fun. Any Volunteer who completes over 24 hrs of service will receive a personal reference letter from the Festival. If you are interested, please contact Ms. Rose at jorose@sd43.bc.ca or call 604 939 6656 ex. 3066

Sky's No Limit - Girls Fly Too! April 29-30, 2023 Main event days **volunteer** areas include: Passenger/Volunteer Check-In, People/Traffic Control, Motorcycle Security, Helicopter Support Crew, General Help. **Contact:** www.girlsfly2.ca

Port Moody Winter Farmers Market (Volunteer) For: Youth 13+ **Runs:** Every Sunday from Nov 6 2022 – April 30th 2023 between 8:00am – 3:30pm (2 hour shift minimum) **Where:** Parking lot of 300 Ioco Road [2022-23 Port Moody Winter Farmers Market - Volunteer Interest Form \(google.com\)](#)

Scholarship / Awards

Graduating students please see updated 2023 PMSS External Scholarship Package. The deadlines for these scholarships are April 27th, May 1st & 11th & 21st, June 1st, and July 1st. [PMSS LOCAL and DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES PROGRAM \(sd43.bc.ca\)](#)

***NEW* 2023-2024 Morehead-Cain Scholarship**

The **Morehead-Cain** is a four-year, fully funded educational experience for students of the highest caliber. It is so much more than tuition and room and board at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. It sets scholars' potential free. It offers life-changing summer enrichment and Lovelace Fund for Discovery experiences. Immersion in a dynamic student body at a world-class university. And lifetime connection to an unparalleled community of Morehead-Cains living all around the globe. For more details, [PowerPoint Presentation \(sd43.bc.ca\)](#)

***NEW* 2023 Harry Jerome Scholarship Award Application (financed by the Vancouver Foundation) APPLICATION DUE FRIDAY May 19 @ 5pm.** Eligible applicants must be residents of British Columbia and matriculating students progressing to full-time post-secondary education. For more information and to apply,

https://www.cognitofirms.com/BCAthletics1/2023HarryJeromeScholarshipAwardApplicationfinancedByTheVancouverFoundationAPPLICATIONDUEFRIDAYMay195pm?fbclid=IwAR0ay7-RhkM4PEz5yTJUUnFltjXM9JkhQyXeMhy76CKtT173osSR_baKk_eM

***NEW* Vancouver Island University Application Fee Waiver.** Limited Time Offer – [Application Fee Waiver* for Undergraduate Applications](#). From April 19-May 19, VIU will waive the application fee for students applying to undergraduate degree, diploma and certificate programs. This offer is valid while seats are available, so apply today to save \$150 CAD!

The \$1,000 **Hal Weinberg Scholarship** is awarded annually each spring to a Grade 12 Anmore resident graduating from high school and continuing to post secondary education. The recipient of the scholarship will have one (1) year to enroll into the post-secondary institution of their choice. Proof of enrollment must be provided prior to disbursing the \$1,000 scholarship. **Application deadline is MAY 7, 2023.** Full details regarding the scholarship application, criteria, questions, submissions, etc. are posted to our website at <https://anmore.com/community/scholarships-awards/hal-weinberg-scholarship-2-2/>

AMC Insurance Services Ltd. Scholarship. \$500 will be awarded to one PMSS grade 12 graduating student who has experienced unexpected struggles and hardship and demonstrated perseverance in the face of these difficulties. To apply, please use the [PMSS Universal Application form 2023.pdf \(sd43.bc.ca\)](#) and email your application to, MoodyScholarshipSubmission@sd43.bc.ca. If you already applied to the PMSS Local and District Scholarships and Bursaries program, email MoodyScholarshipSubmission@sd43.bc.ca with your name and explain how do you match the criteria for this scholarship. Deadline to apply, **Tuesday April 25th, 2023, 3:00pm.**

North Fraser Pretrial Centre Scholarship. \$1000 will be Awarded to one grade 12 graduating student who is proceeding to post-secondary studies in a Criminal Justice related field at an accredited university or equivalent institute in British Columbia. Preference given to applicants aspiring to work in the Corrections field. The financial need of the applicant is to be given serious consideration. To apply, please use the [PMSS Universal Application form 2023.pdf \(sd43.bc.ca\)](#) and email your application to, MoodyScholarshipSubmission@sd43.bc.ca. If you already applied to the 2023 PMSS Local and District Scholarships and Bursaries program, email MoodyScholarshipSubmission@sd43.bc.ca with your name and explain how do you match the criteria for this scholarship. Deadline to apply, **Tuesday April 25th, 2023, 3:00pm.**

2023 Grace Family Network Foundation Scholarship. Founded in the memory of Rebecca Chan, the **Grace Family Network Foundation (gfnf)** is a non-profit organization that aims to support and encourage under-resourced children and youth in the Metro Vancouver area. **gfnf** is the embodiment of Rebecca's heart for others and the hope that it will be carried on in some small way.

Three scholarships of \$1000 each are available to Metro Vancouver area students graduating in 2023 and beginning their studies at any post-secondary institution in the Fall of 2023. Priority will be given to students in financial need. Applications must be received in full by **11:59pm on Wednesday, May 31st, 2023.** Winners will be notified by July 2023.

To apply and for more information visit, [Grace Family Network Foundation \(gfnf.org\)](http://GraceFamilyNetworkFoundation.org)

Resolute Legal Disability Lawyers Scholarship. Are you a high school student pursuing post-secondary education? Do you have a parent or guardian who has a disability? If so, you may be eligible for a \$2,500 scholarship. In accordance with their mission, the students must have a parent or guardian who is unable to work due to a disability.

Application deadline: June 1, 2023, at 11:59 p.m. No applications will be accepted after this date. To apply and for more information visit, [Resolute Legal Disability Lawyers Scholarship - Resolute Legal Disability Lawyers](#)

The Confratellanza Italo-Canadese was founded in 1904 and is committed to the preservation of Italian cultural heritage and contributing to the enrichment of the multicultural community in the Greater Vancouver area (for more information about us visit our web site at www.confratellanza.com). This year they are offering several \$1,000 scholarships to assist eligible students in their post-secondary studies:

The scholarships are open to this year's graduating secondary school students planning to enroll in a post-secondary educational institution for the first time in 2023. To be eligible for this scholarship candidates must 1) be of Italian origin i.e. as having at least one parent or grandparent of direct Italian descent, 2) be living in a city or municipality within the 21-member Greater Vancouver Regional District, 3) have an academic standing sufficient to qualify for entry into the post-secondary institution of their choice, and 4) submit a completed application form with supporting documentation post-marked no later than **June 15, 2023**. To apply, [Scholarship Application – Confratellanza](#)

The Theatre Society Legacy Fund – Arts Education Bursary - Bursaries of up to \$2,000 each are available for students who have graduated or plan to graduate this year from a high school (public or private) in the Tri-Cities region (Anmore, Belcarra, Coquitlam, Port Coquitlam and Port Moody). **The Theatre Society Legacy Fund – Arts Education Bursary** is intended for a student enrolled at a CRA-recognized post-secondary institution in [Canada](#) or [internationally](#) in a formal arts program anywhere in the world. Annual Bursary Application Intake: April 19th – May 31st. For more information and to apply visit, [TSLF Bursary – PoCo Community Foundation \(pocofoundation.com\)](#)

Trevor Linden Community Spirit Scholarship rewards students who have demonstrated outstanding leadership abilities and exemplary contributions and commitment to enriching the lives of others in the community. The Trevor Linden Community Spirit Scholarship recognizes four student leaders in the province of British Columbia who are entering their first year of post secondary education. Submit application by May 1st 2023 5:00pm. To apply and for more information please visit [Trevor Linden Community Spirit Scholarship | Vancouver Canucks \(nhl.com\)](#)

BCIT is pleased to announce that the following Entrance Awards are available to students who are planning to attend our institute starting *May 1, 2023 to April 30, 2024*.

- Over 100 additional BCIT Entrance Awards
 - Some valued up to \$18,000 each.
 - Deadlines: April 15 and/or October 1, 2023**

More information about BCIT Entrance Awards and the application forms can be found at bcit.ca/financial-aid.

The Coquitlam Teachers' Association Awards and Bursaries are available to SD43 students. The deadline to submit applications (other than the Roy Krutow) to the CTA is June 1. For more information and to apply, please visit [Forms & Scholarships - Coquitlam Teachers Association](#).

Contest Opportunities

[Raising the Roof](#), a national homelessness prevention charity is looking to create a limited-edition tote bag to sell in their online store in support of their charitable work to build affordable housing and end homelessness in Canada. **They are putting a call out to creative Canadian high school students grades 9-12 to submit their designs.** They are looking for designs inspired by the theme 'RESIDE'. The deadline for submissions is May 31, 2023. All the details can be found on our website: <https://raisingtheroof.org/tote/>

***NEW* 2023 Applied Arts Awards. Start your day on a good note by entering your work into our 2023 Student Awards competition?** Your work will be seen by our jurors, industry creatives who are among some of the most influential in the visual arts business. Truly an opportunity for you like no other. **Now is the time to shape your future. 2023 STUDENT AWARDS. DEADLINE: May 5, 2023** For more details, [Applied Arts Student Awards \(appliedartsmag.com\)](#)

PARENTS

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

Please mark your calendars for upcoming PAC Meetings:

- Tuesday, May 2nd at 7pm
- Tuesday, June 6th at 7pm

Summer Learning 2023

Elementary
Eight locations, Tuesday July 11 - Friday July 28 9:00am-12:00pm. K to 11 transition, English for Beginners, Visual & Performing Arts, French Immersion, Integrated Studies, Math, Reading & Writing, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, and more!
Free to all BC residents*

Middle
Three locations, Tuesday July 11 - Friday July 28 8:45-11:45am. Band, Guitar, Creative Writing, Drama/Improvisation, English for Beginners, Guitar, Home Ed/Culinary, Integrated Studies, English and French Immersion Language Arts, Mathematics, PE/Leadership, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, Tech Ed, Visual & Performing Arts, and more! Free to all BC residents*

Secondary Skill Building
Two locations, Tuesday July 11 - Friday July 28 8:30-11:30am OR 12:00-3:00pm. English, English for Beginners, IB Math & Science, Jazz & Concert Band, Science, Home Ed, Sewing, 2D Animation, Metal and Wood Tech Ed, Math, Coding (Info Tech), Skills for Success. Free to all BC residents*. These non-credit courses may be taken to review previously covered course content OR preview a course. Academic Completion 9/10 (earn a passing mark) also available, by referral.

Face-to-Face Advanced Credit OR Online Blended Fast Track
Two locations, Wednesday July 5 - Thursday August 10 8:00-11:30am OR 12:00-3:00pm. Biology 11,12, Career Life Education 10, Chemistry 11,12, PA, 10,11, English 10,11,12, English First Peoples 11,12, Mathematics 10,11,12, Physics 11,12, PHE 10, Socials 10,11.

Secondary Full Credit
Registration begins at 6:00am for...
- Elementary: Tuesday May 2
- Middle & Secondary Skill Building: Friday May 5
- Secondary Full Credit: Week May 10
Phone 604-936-4261 for assistance.
*SD43 Residency requirements apply

To Register

Check out the SD43 full day program on our website!
WWW.SD43SUMMERLEARNING.CA / Phone 604-936-4261

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AFTER GRAD 2023

Please consider supporting one or more of the following fundraisers.

ME and ED'S PIZZA NIGHT:

Tomorrow Wednesday, April 26, 2023 is our second pizza night. Take the night off from cooking and support our Grads!! Order lunch or dinner from Me & Ed's at either the Coquitlam 604 931 2468 or Port Coquitlam 604 942 1200 location. Be sure to mention you're supporting Port Moody Secondary AfterGrad for us to receive 20% of the sales on dine in, take out or delivery. Here's to our second pizza night being as successful as our first.



PIZZA NIGHT FUNDRAISER!

Mention Port Moody Secondary
when you order for take-out,
dine-in, or delivery
on April 26

Me-n-Ed's will donate 20% of the sales back to the school!



Coquitlam 604-931-2468

ONLINE 50/50 RAFFLE: BC Gaming License # 140525

<https://pmspacag2023.rafflenexus.com/>

The AfterGrad Committee is holding a 50/50 cash raffle fundraiser, with the net proceeds being used to fund a memorable after-grad event for the graduating students of Port Moody Secondary.

Not only do your ticket purchases give you the chance to win serious cash, but you will also be supporting the Class of 2023 in celebrating a life milestone by helping offset the costs for a safe and fun after-grad event.

Thank You for supporting our Grads!

IMPORTANT DATES:

50/50 Sales Deadline: Thursday, May 18th, 2023 at 12:00 pm

50/50 Draw: Thursday, May 18, 2023 at 4:00 pm

TICKET PACKS:

2 Ticket Pack \$10

8 Ticket Pack \$20

20 Ticket Pack \$40

School Cash Online: <https://sd43.schoolcashionline.com> and select "After Grad Donation"

PORT MOODY LIQUOR STORE:

When making a purchase at the Port Moody Liquor Store (2929 St. Johns Street by the 7-11) mention that you would like to support PMSS After Grad prior to paying and they will return 5% of the sales.

RETURN-IT (Any location):

Did you do a big Spring Clean-up during the break? Save your time on sorting and donate your refundable containers to AfterGrad.

Bring your unsorted containers in a sealed, clear or transparent bag to any Return-It Depot.

Enter **604 939 6656** at the Kiosk, a label will print, attach label(s) to your bag(s) of bottles/cans, scan the label(s), put your bag(s) in bin. Please note (Max 12 glass bottles per bag for safety).

Grad Parents, After Grad needs you! We are actively recruiting parent volunteers to cover the stations at After Grad.

SIGN UP GENIUS:

The AfterGrad Committee needs your help!!!

In order for an event like this to take place there is a need for many volunteers (30-50).

If you can help out on the night of the event, please follow the link below and sign up for one (or more :) shifts).

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094aa5a928aafec07-byjune#/>

HEY PARENTS of the 2023 Graduating Class... be sure to **follow** us on INSTAGRAM and FACEBOOK for updates on the 2023 AfterGrad Fundraisers !!!

INSTAGRAM: PMS Grad 2023 @pms_grad_2023
FACEBOOK: PMSS AfterGrad 2023 @pmss after grad 2023

Our next meeting is Wednesday, April 26 – 7pm in the Library

With appreciation,
PMSS After Grad Committee

COMMUNITY

PORT MOODY GOLDEN SPIKE DAYS FESTIVAL

We are currently looking for volunteers for this year's festival. Held June 30th to July 3rd, 2023. If you are interested, sign up on our website goldenspike.ca/volunteers.



Registration...click on one of the two links right here:

[#FemaleStrongMoresportsBC](https://www.instagram.com/FemaleStrongMoresportsBC)

<https://forms.gle/Eq2qX7aGEy9edbUi6>

Join Us at our Speaker Series: **Female Strong**

Enhance your understanding of motivators and barriers for females to engage in sport and physical activity...a great learning opportunity for all youth.

Wednesday Evenings - 630-730pm

April 5,12,19,25

Open to all ages