

Events and Registrations



Upcoming Events

Catchment review - Capilano/Norgate - Community consultation evening

The North Vancouver School District is considering changing the catchment areas for Capilano Elementary School and Norgate Community Elementary School to balance enrolment between the schools. Please join us for a community consultation evening on Thursday, May 2 from 7-9 p.m. at Norgate Community Elementary School (1295 Sowden St, North Vancouver). More information is available [HERE](#).

Ready, Set, Learn

The North Vancouver School District welcomes 3-5 year-olds with their parents, guardians, childcare providers, or early childhood educators to Ready, Set, Learn – free early learning events funded by the BC Ministry of Education. Events are taking place between now and the end of May 2019. For the schedule, click [HERE](#).

Standing Committee Meeting – Indigenous Education

All are invited to the public standing committee meeting of the North Vancouver Board of Education. Tuesday, May 7, 2019 at 7 p.m. at the Education Services Centre (2121 Lonsdale Ave., 5th floor). The topic is Indigenous Education.

Parent event - RESILIENCE: The biology of stress and the science of hope (film screening)

All parents are invited to a film screening on Tuesday, May 7 from 7-9 p.m. at Windsor Secondary School (931 Broadview Drive, North Vancouver). This film chronicles the promising beginnings of a national movement to prevent childhood trauma, treat Toxic Stress, and greatly improve the health of future generations. Screening of the film will be followed by a panel discussion involving experts in education, public health and mental health. Resources for families will be available. Register [HERE](#).

Catchment review – Eastview/Lynn Valley - Community consultation evening

The North Vancouver School District is considering changing the catchment areas for Eastview Elementary School and Lynn Valley Elementary School to balance enrolment between the schools. Please join us for a community consultation evening on Thursday, May 9 from 7-9 p.m. at Eastview Elementary School (1801 Mountain Hwy, North Vancouver). More information is available [HERE](#).

Parent event - The askable adult: Getting yourself ready for "the talk"

Free for all parents. Thursday, May 9 from 7-9 p.m. at Mountainside Secondary School (3365 Mahon Ave, North Vancouver). Workshop with certified sexual health educator, Jessica Wollen. Learn how

to talk about sexuality and reproduction with your children and how to address tough questions surrounding sexual health at age appropriate levels. Please RSVP [HERE](#).

Public Board Meeting

All are invited to the public board meeting of the North Vancouver Board of Education. Tuesday, May 21, 2019 at 7 p.m. at the Education Services Centre (2121 Lonsdale Ave., 5th floor). If you are unavailable to attend, but still wish to watch – we stream live. At the time of the meeting, please click [HERE](#) for the live stream. Agendas are posted [HERE](#) on the Friday before a meeting.

Parent event – Angst: raising awareness around anxiety

Tuesday, May 21 from 7-9 p.m. (doors open at 6:30 p.m.) at Kay Meek Arts Centre (1700 Mathers Avenue, West Vancouver). The West Vancouver Community Centres Society is extremely pleased to announce the next Forum for Dialogue and Learning on the subject of Anxiety. The event will include a viewing of the film *Angst* followed by an interactive Q&A panel session with professionals in the field. \$10 per ticket for sale online [HERE](#).

Parent event - RESILIENCE: The biology of stress and the science of hope (film screening)

All parents are invited to a film screening on Thursday, May 23 from 7-9 p.m. at Argyle Secondary School (1131 Frederick Road, North Vancouver). This film chronicles the promising beginnings of a national movement to prevent childhood trauma, treat Toxic Stress, and greatly improve the health of future generations. Screening of the film will be followed by a panel discussion involving experts in education, public health and mental health. Resources for families will be available. Register [HERE](#).

Cheakamus Centre

50th Annual Open House

A free family day of nature and discovery. Sunday, May 5, 2019 from 10:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at Cheakamus Centre (2170 Paradise Valley Rd, Brackendale, BC). More information is available [HERE](#).

2nd Annual River Feast

An exclusive dining experience hosted by the Cheakamus Foundation in support of environmental education for youth. June 9, 2019 from 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. at the Cheakamus Centre (south entrance, 1600 Paradise Valley Road, Brackendale, BC). A multi-course paired menu featuring local, seasonal fare. The evening begins in an authentic longhouse with culinary delights inspired by Coast Salish traditions, then moves to the farm and gardens for more tasting, and finishes off on the banks of the Ch'iyákmesh River for a long-table feast. Early bird ticket price: \$125. After April 30: \$150. More information is available [HERE](#).

50 Faces

As part of Cheakamus Centre's 50th anniversary, teachers, students, guests, employees, counsellors, volunteers, alumni, former staff, and friends of Cheakamus near and far are invited to share their stories and memories. The [50 Faces project](#) is a celebration of individuals who have been part of an extraordinary journey that spans five decades. Please [submit your story](#) for a chance for it to be featured and a chance to win tickets to River Feast 2019 and other great prizes.

Diversity Gala

Thursday, June 27 from 6-9 p.m. at the Gordon Smith Gallery (2121 Lonsdale Ave, main floor). Hosted by Artists for Kids, North Vancouver School District, and North Shore Connexions Society. Everyone is welcome to this free celebration of inclusive art on the North Shore.

Registrations

Young Entrepreneurship and Leadership Launchpad (YELL) – DEADLINE EXTENDED – April 30, 2019

The deadline to apply for Young Entrepreneurship and Leadership Launchpad (YELL) has been extended to April 30, 2019. For students entering grades 11 and 12. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to apply.

Summer Learning Online Registration Opens May 1, 2019 (grades 8-12)

Online registration for grades 8-12 Summer Learning courses opens on May 1, 2019 and closes on June 21, 2019 at 12 p.m. A variety of in-person courses are available, both advance credit and remedial courses. For detailed information about course offerings and to register, please visit: www.sd44.ca/school/summer

Please note: registration occurs through School Cash Online. Parents will receive an automated email on April 30, 2019 from School Cash Online advising them that Summer Learning Registration is now available (parents/students can then register for Summer Learning if they choose to do so).

Summer Learning Online Registration Opens May 1, 2019 (grade 7)

Online registration for Grade 7/8 Transition Summer Learning courses opens on May 1, 2019 and closes on June 21, 2019 at 12 p.m. Summer Learning 7/8 Transition is a non-credit course designed to provide a boost for students who have just completed Grade 7 and may be tentative about the transition to High School. There are four Grade 7/8 Transition courses:

- English Language Learner Transition
- French Immersion Transition
- International Baccalaureate Transition
- Secondary School Transition

For more information and to register, please click [HERE](#).

Please note: registration occurs through School Cash Online. Parents will receive an automated email on April 30, 2019 from School Cash Online advising them that Summer Learning Registration is now available (parents/students can then register for Summer Learning if they choose to do so).

Artists for Kids – Grade 12 scholarships

The application deadline for grade 12 scholarships offered by Artists for Kids is Friday, May 3, 2019. There are six scholarships in total for graduating grade 12 Visual and Performing Arts students. Please click [HERE](#) for further information and to apply.

Artists for Kids – Summer programs

Registration is now OPEN for Artists for Kids summer programs.

Paradise Valley Summer School of Visual Arts: July 2-6 for ages 13-18. July 7-12 for ages 8-12.

Located at Cheakamus Centre in Paradise Valley, Squamish, students learn from professional artists and are led by art specialist teachers to create their own art. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to register.

Summer Day Camps: For grades kindergarten to grade three. Located at the Artists for Kids studio (2121 Lonsdale, Ave.). Students will experiment with a variety of drawing, painting, printmaking and sculptural techniques, taught by an art specialist teacher. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to register.

Elementary Band and Strings

Register now for the 2019/2020 Elementary Band and Strings program. The Elementary Band and Strings program is a unique instrumental music program that is distinct to the North Vancouver School District. The Program provides school-based instrumental instruction to students in the intermediate grades (Grades 5 - 7 for Band and Grades 4 - 7 for Strings). More information is available [HERE](#).

\$1,200 B.C. Training and Education Savings Program (BCTESP) grant

If your child was born in 2006, please make sure they don't miss out on the \$1,200 B.C. Training and Education Savings Program (BCTESP) grant. The deadline to apply is August 14, 2019. This grant can be used toward future full-time and part-time studies in vocational schools, apprenticeships, trades training, college or university.

Deadlines for other eligible groups of children are as follows:

- Children born between 2010 and 2012 have until their 9th birthday to apply.
- Children born in 2013 can start applying on their 6th birthday.

Applications are done at financial institutions. Please click [HERE](#) for more information, including details on how to apply.

Student Opportunities in the North Vancouver School District Scholantis Portal

A wide variety of student opportunities – from scholarships, to leadership training, educational camps, workshops, volunteer opportunities, and paid work offerings – are all posted to one location in the Scholantis Portal. The Scholantis Portal is the same place where students login for their Self-Assessment of the Core Competencies. Instructions are available [HERE](#). Once logged in, click on My NVSD at the top, and in the green top banner click on Student Opportunities.

Here is what is currently listed in the Student Opportunities section:

- UBC Geering Up STEM workshops | FOR TWEENS IN GRADES 4-7 | May 6, 2019
- Hootsuite paid internships for secondary school students | Deadline is May 10, 2019
- SOAR scholarships | May 31, 2019
- SOAR Summit | June 15, 2019
- Sustainability Leadership Congress | June 8 & 9, 2019
- Artists for Kids Scholarships Open to Grade 12 Students | Deadline May 3, 2019
- DigiMusic 2019 Competition | April 2 - 30, 2019
- Ocean Literacy Leadership Camp | July 14 - 19, 2019

- Opportunity for Junior Entrepreneurs: Registration for Junior Vendors - North Vancouver Markets & Events
- AdventureSmart Search & Rescue Prevention / NVSD Spring - Summer 2019
- How to Join the New NVSD Student Environmental Network
- Upcoming North Vancouver District Public Library Events
- Performers Needed! 50th Annual Cheakamus Centre Open House May 5, 2019
- Student Budget Consultation: 2019 Federal Election Edition
- New Instructional Videos: How to Sign up for the Student Transcripts Service
- GrantMe Scholarship Platform - Paying For School Just Got Easier