

Events and Registrations



Events

Public Board Meeting - May 24

The next Board of Education Public Board Meeting takes place *in person* on Tuesday, May 24 at 6:30 p.m. Visit our [Meetings & Minutes](#) page for information on COVID-19 procedures for attending meetings in person, how you can provide input, and to review the complete agenda (available on the Thursday afternoon preceding the public meeting).

2023 District Quebec Trip Information Session - May 30

The school district plans to offer an optional extra-curricular educational experience for Grade 8 French Immersion students from across the school district to Quebec City, May 28 – June 3, 2023. Families interested in learning more about this trip are invited to attend an in-person information session on Monday, May 30 at 6 p.m. at the Education Services Centre (2121 Lonsdale Avenue). Click [HERE](#) for more information.

International Finance & Blockchain Conference - June 17 - 19

Secondary students and families of elementary and secondary students are invited to join the International Finance and Blockchain Conference, an NVSD student-led initiative, to be held June 17-19 from 5 to 7 p.m. daily, on Zoom.

This **free** conference will help attendees become aware of the factors that will lead to financial success. It will consist of a variety of guest speakers who will provide insights on:

- The financial principles, processes, and strategies of successful, professional investors.
- The current stock market and economic conditions.
- Professional experiences in finance and investing.
- Emerging technologies, such as the blockchain, cryptocurrency, NFTs, and the Metaverse – and their influence.

For more information, view the [poster](#); click [HERE](#) to register.

We can only hint at this with words - Exhibition open

Presented by the Gordon and Marion Smith Foundation for Young Artists, *We Can Only Hint at This with Words* consists of large scale, multi-surfaced mixed media paintings by Russna Kaur, shaped cut-out paintings by M.E. Sparks, and mixed media sculptures and stop-motion video by Andrea Taylor. All three artists navigate the complexities of working with historical reference, and in doing so, find ways to construct their own shapes and gestures. The exhibition will explore the different ways each artist quotes, pulls apart and reshapes the historical narratives that inform their work. For more information about this exhibition hosted at the Gordon Smith Gallery of Canadian Art, please visit the [exhibition](#) web page.

Registrations

Academies - Late Application period closes May 27

Late application to Academies for the 2022/2023 school year is open until tomorrow, Friday, May 27.

Academies accepting late applications are:

- AFK Studio Art Academy
- Basketball Academy (East & West)
- Business and Gaming Entrepreneurship Lab
- Dance Academy
- Digital Media Academy (DMA)
- Digital Media Academy Lite (DMA Lite)

- Field Hockey Academy
- Hockey Skills Academy
- Robotics Academy
- Rowing Academy
- Soccer Academy
- Volleyball Academy

For more information, including how to apply, please click [HERE](#).

Summer Learning - Registration open

[North Vancouver Summer Learning](#) provides a platform for students to explore and extend learning opportunities while fulfilling their educational requirements through a variety of opportunities in the month of July.

The Summer Learning 2022 suite of course offerings provides students the opportunity to enhance core skills and/or earn credits toward graduation:

- [Full Credit Academic Courses](#) (including French 11 - NEW this year)
- [7/8 Transition](#) (including 7/8 Music – NEW this year)
- [English Language Learning](#) (ELL)
- [Eslha7an](#) Secondary Review & Completion
- [Numeracy 8/9 Foundations](#)
- [Literacy 8/9 Foundations](#)

[Registration](#) is open to students within and beyond the NVSD and closes June 23 at noon.

AFKs' Paradise Valley Summer School of Arts - Registration open

Young artists ages 8-14 will explore their surroundings with artist Annie Canto in the beautiful setting of Paradise Valley. This overnight camp combines outdoor studio adventures, in-depth instruction in collage, drawing and painting, as well as daily recreational activities such as canoeing, hiking, archery and campfire singalongs. Students are taught by B.C. certified art

specialist teachers and mentored by an acclaimed Canadian artist. Visit [Artists for Kids](#) for more information and to register.

AFKs' Summer Visual Arts Intensive - Registration open

Students ages 14-18 will explore drawing, painting and printmaking with artist Janet Wang in the beautiful setting of the Gordon Smith Gallery, to develop a body of work throughout the week that can be added to their personal portfolio. Visit [Artists for Kids](#) for more information and to register.

Elementary Band and Strings Program -Late Registration open

Late Registration for the Elementary Band and Strings Program for the 2022/2023 school year begins March 11 and continues through to September 30. Programs will be offered at the following schools:

- **Elementary Strings (Grades 4-7)** at Braemar, Canyon Heights, Cleveland, Dorothy Lynas, Highlands, Larson, Montroyal, and Ross Road.
- **Elementary Band (Grades 5-7)** at all schools, except Montroyal, Norgate and Larson.

For more information, including program fees, visit our [Elementary Band and Strings](#) web page.

North Vancouver Online Learning (NVOL) - Registration open

NVOL provides students with rigorous, engaging, and interactive learning experiences. Students can choose to engage in their NVOL courses entirely remotely online or in a blended model of online and in-person interactions at our NVOL Centre. In addition, students can choose from a full suite of [courses](#) from grades 8 through 12 in both English and French.

The French Immersion Online Course offerings allow students the opportunity to meet the requirements of their Diplôme de fin d'études secondaires en

Colombie-Britannique online through L'École Virtuelle de Vancouver nord. Click [HERE](#) for a complete list of our French Immersion course offerings.

Online registration for NVOL is open; click [HERE](#) for more information.

Other Opportunities

CapU Summer Camps - Registration open

Registration is open for Capilano University Summer Camps for children and youth. There is something for everyone, from outdoor adventures, orienteering, basketball, volleyball, disc golf, and more! Visit the [Summer Camps](#) web page for more information and to register.

Spring Go by Bike Week - May 30 to June 5

Be a part of a week-long behaviour change campaign and help make Metro Vancouver a happier, healthier place to live, work and play. HUB Cycling's Spring Go by Bike Week will be packed with Celebration Stations where participants can ride by for free snacks, basic bike maintenance, cycling maps, prizes, and more. [Register](#) solo or as a team with your co-workers, roommates, family or friends.

Walk30 North Vancouver Challenge - June 6 to July 10

The first-ever Walk30 Challenge in North Vancouver, sponsored by the City of North Vancouver, TransLink and Better Environmentally Sound Transportation (BEST), encourages people to walk more to improve overall health and wellness, strengthen community connections, and rethink how we get around. Walk30 invites residents to walk at least 30 minutes a day through a 5-week challenge and input their minutes into an online platform. Walk on your own or join a team. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to sign up.

CapU's Education Assistant Program Information Session - June 22

CapU is hosting an in-person information session on Wednesday, June 22, at 6

p.m. about its [Education Assistant Certificate program](#), which starts in September and is offered evenings and weekends. Click [HERE](#) to find out more; RSVP to the session by contacting ea@capilanou.ca.

Expressions! Art-based program (July 18 - 22)

Offered by Impact North Shore, Expressions! Is a one-week program designed to support and enrich immigrant (permanent resident) youth ages 8-12 as they go through their settlement process in Canada. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to register.

Homestay Families Needed

Each year, the North Vancouver School District welcomes students from around the world to live and study in our vibrant community. We strive to place secondary school international students with families who live close to school to support each student's integration into the school and wider community.

There are secondary school international students in need of a homestay placement for the school term beginning September 2022. If you are interested in hosting an international student, please reach out to our International Education program office at international@sd44.ca. More information about the homestay program is available [HERE](#).