

Friday, April 28th, 2023

Dear Carson Graham Community,

We hope this correspondence finds you well. We would like to remind you of some important information:

Student Learning Survey - Participate by April 29th!

Grade 10 and 12 students and their parents/guardians are invited to take part in the Student Learning Survey from the Ministry of Education. Click on the following link to take the survey: Student Learning Survey

Capstone Projects

Grade 12 students will be presenting their Capstone Projects (formerly known as Exit Interviews) on Thursday, May 18th. This will be an early dismissal for grades 8-11 and Carson Staff will participate in the interviews with the grade 12s in the afternoon.

The schedule for the day is as follows:

- TUTORIAL 8:30am 9:12am
- Period 6 9:12am 9:51am
- Period 7 9:55am 10:34am
- Period 5 10:38 11:17am
- Period 8 11:21am 12:00pm
- LUNCH 12:00pm 1:00pm
- Capstone Projects 1:00pm 3:00pm

The schedule and room assignments for the afternoon will be posted soon.

Spring Comedy: No Substitutes

Please join blocks 2 and 4 Drama 11/12 classes for their production of *No Substitutes*. The 70-minute show will run from May 8th to 17th. It is family friendly, but 9+ is recommended...the clown is creepy. Tickets are available here. Buy yours now... limited tickets available!

The students of Seymour Oaks Secondary [SOS] are having trouble in their Earth Science class. Their teacher has been ill. The district is suffering budget cuts and teacher shortages. Will the students get someone who knows anything about plate tectonics? The former spy? The bride to be? Maybe the conspiracy theorist!

Block 4 performances:

May 8, 7pm May 9, 4pm, 7pm May 10, 4pm, 7pm May 12, 4pm

Block 2 performances:

May 15, 7pm





May 16, 7pm May 17, 4pm, 7pm

Career Fair

There will be a Career Fair on May 25th from 9:45am-1:00pm. There will be 25+ vendors/employers. Bring your resume to get a Job with Browns, Pedalheads or Cypress. Or seek out organizations like North Van Arts or NVRC Canadian Wildlife Federation for volunteer hours. Need career advice? There will be JIBC, NV City Fire Department, Skilled Trades BC, Zazou Hair Academy and more on deck to answer your questions.

Grad 2023

We are currently finalizing prices for our Graduation Banquet on Monday, June 26th, as well as our Graduation Ceremony on Tuesday, June 27th. Once we know this information, we will be sending out a Grad 2023 Update and posting on our website here.

Post Secondary BC Spring Virtual Mini-Fair

Post Secondary BC (PS BC) will be hosting a Spring Virtual Mini-Fair. The event will take place on Wednesday, May 10th from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm and 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. It is a drop-in fair where students can meet with university, college, and polytechnic representatives.

This event is an excellent opportunity for students in grades 10-12 who are exploring post-secondary options and planning ahead, those looking to apply last minute, and admitted students who have questions about their next steps. To attend the fair, students and parents can pre-register through the PS BC website at www.postsecondarybc.ca.

Science World: Future Science Leaders — Apply by May 1

Future Science Leaders is an after-school science enrichment program for teens (entering grades 10 and 11) designed to unleash creative potential and build a life-long network of like-minded peers while engaging curious minds with the nature of STEAM in sessions led by diverse experts and professionals.

Build Your City Minecraft Challenge — Deadline Extended to May 29!

The Build Your City Minecraft Challenge provides K-12 students with the tools and resources to showcase their creativity and design skills, while also learning about sustainable practices and solutions for building a better world.

CityFest

This free, youth-led festival takes place from 12:00pm-4:30pm on Saturday, May 6th at The Shipyards. For more information, see https://www.cnv.org/community.

Foundry Vaping Cessation Group

Foundry North Shore presents a 6-week support group on Thursdays, May 4th -June 8th from 4:00pm-5:00pm. The group is being offered to youth (grade 8- 12) who are currently vaping and want to quit but may be struggling to do so. To register, please contact 604-984-5063.





Summer Learning

Please note that Summer Learning online registration opens on Monday (May 1, 2023) for students currently attending a North Vancouver School District #44 school. Registration opens on May 9th for all other students. More information is available here.

PIC Forms

At the beginning of the year, through the <u>School Cash Online website</u>, you should have completed a series of digital forms. This included the Personal Information Consent (PIC) for School District Publications. Unfortunately, the deadline for completing this form has passed and **students for whom it was not completed will not be included in the Yearbook**.

School Fees Reminder

Thank you to everyone who has cleared their child's account on SchoolCashOnline. If you have not already done so, please log on to SchoolCashOnline now and clear up any outstanding fees as soon as possible. School fees must be cleared prior to picking up yearbooks at the end of June. Any monetary queries can be directed to our Administrative Assistant, Jennifer Harman.

Upcoming Events

May 1 - Music Concert @ 7:00pm

May 2-18 - DP Exams

May 3 - Late Start @ 9:52am

May 5 - National Red Dress Day

May 8 - District Professional Development Day (no classes)

May 10 - CPAC Meeting @7:00pm

May 14 - Mother's Day

May 17 - Carson Advisory

May 18 - Capstone Projects (early dismissal)

May 22 - Victoria Day (schools closed)

May 25 - Career Fair

May 27 - One Night Only @ 6:00pm

Sincerely,

Suzette Dohm Principal