

October 27th, 2023

Dear Carson Graham Community,

We want to make you aware of some important information and opportunities for students, parents and guardians:

Upcoming Events

Oct 30 & 31 - Grade 10 Literacy Assessments

Oct 31 - Hallowe'en

Nov 1 – Grade 9: Take Our Kids to Work Day

Nov 8 - Late Start for students 9:50am

Nov 13 - Remembrance Day (schools closed)

Nov 16 - Parent Teacher Interviews (early dismissal)

Nov 17 - Early Dismissal

Nov 22 - Carson Graham PAC Meeting (7pm)

https://www.carsongrahampac.ca/news

Nov 30 - Term 1 Ends

MESSAGE FROM CARSON GRAHAM CAREERS DEPARTMENT

North Vancouver School District has a long history of helping students achieve their career paths. A major part of this process involves work experience and apprenticeship opportunities. We need YOUR help.

If you can provide an opportunity for a work experience placement please reach out to John Grant, <u>Jgrant@sd44.ca</u>, or Stella Ying, <u>sying@sd44.ca</u>. These volunteering opportunities rely on our connections with the community and businesses. Please help us to continue this excellent experience.

MESSAGE FROM CARSON GRAHAM GIRLS RUGBY

Girls Rugby is running a Neufeld's fundraiser where you can buy frozen food and help support our girls on their big trip to NZ in 2024. Fundraiser runs from Oct 19-Nov 6 with pick up on Nov 14th @ 4pm

https://app.neufeldfarms.ca/fundraising/2023-carson-girls-rugby/ref/sm

MESSAGE FROM THE CARSON COUNSELLING DEPARTMENT

COMMUNITY EVENT! Meet representatives from CMHA NWV and learn more about various programs and services they offer on the North Shore, including the **Peer Assisted Care Team (PACT)**, **Counselling** and **STEPS Youth Program**. Light refreshments will be provided.

WHEN: Monday, Nov 6th from 6PM - 8PM

WHERE: St. David's United Church (1525 Taylor Way, West Vancouver)

MESSAGE FROM THE NVSD DEPARTMENT OF INCLUSIVE ED

District Student Sub-Committee Opportunity

The Student Inclusive Education Committee is a sub-committee of the school district's Inclusion Committee and was created in 2022. The sub-committee provides neurodivergent students and students with disabilities an opportunity to ensure support for students' education and school journey by:





- Sharing their experiences and perspectives.
- Providing advice to the NVSD on all matters pertaining to students with disabilities, autism and/or intellectual disabilities.

Participation is open to students in Grades 6-12. All students have the option to attend meetings with the support of a family member, peer or support person. Meeting locations and schedule will be determined with the participants, we will meet multiple times throughout the year.

If you would like to participate on this sub-committee for the 2023-2024 year, please email lnclusiveEducation@sd44.ca and provide your name, school, grade and contact information. The number of sub-committee participants will depend on the number of applicants.

WHERE TO FIND MORE INFORMATION:

Carson Graham staff are actively working on updating our school website https://www.sd44.ca/school/carson/ and we will be re-launching our Carson Graham Instagram @CGSEAGLES next month! Stay tuned for more information!

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to me via email at rsamra@sd44.ca

Stay well,

Rupi Samra-Gynane, Principal