

NEWSLETTER



April 2022

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IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS

May Canadian Jewish Heritage Month
May Asian Heritage Month
May 2-3 Eid-al-Fitr (Ramadan ends)
May 3 Mid-term Report Cards published
May 6 Conference Day #4
Visak/Buddha Day
May 8 Mother's Day

May 18 Staff Collaboration Day #11

May 19 Grad Boat Cruise
May 20 Pro-D Day
May 23 Victoria Day

May 27 Grade 7 Orientation Day

Jun 3 Grad Dinner and Dance/Dry Grad
Jun 6 Staff Collaboration day #12
Jun 21 National Indigenous Day
Jun 24 Last Day of regular classes
Jun 27 Yearbook/Carnival/Grad BBQ
Jun 29 Report Cards Published
Valedictory at Chan Centre

HOME OF THE BREAKERS

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

April was a busy month with many opportunities for students to be involved in the life of the school. We have a large number of students participating in athletics including Table Tennis, Ultimate, Juniour Volleyball, Tennis, Track and Field, Soccer, and other spring sports. It has been wonderful to see our Breaker athletes competing all over the city. Many of our teams have been very successful already and we are looking forward to playoffs. I encourage everyone to come out and see our athletes. Find out more information at Burnett Athletics and read about our April athletes of the month in this newsletter. Many of our clubs have been involved in fund raisers and activities that demonstrate Burnett's commitment to community and social responsibility. This is the theme of our last Conference Day on May 6th. It is wonderful to feel energy in the building again as we celebrate all the things that make Burnett the great school it is!

This was also a difficult month for our community. On Monday April 11th, we lost our much-loved food services chef George Domae. I have met with his family several times over the last few weeks. His family wants to express their gratitude for the love and support the Burnett community has provided. Parents and staff raised over 2,000 dollars to support George's family during this difficult time. George's wife has been touched by the generosity and care of the Burnett community. I want to thank everyone for the outpouring of support.

The mental health and well-being of staff and students has been one of our themes for this school year. You can read more about this theme at <u>Our School Story Our Learning</u>. We are approaching Mental Health Week (May 2nd – 8th) in Richmond. I would like to highlight the **Parent Information Session** on Adolescent Mental Health & Wellness on May 4th, 2022 (on Zoom). I encourage parents and guardians to attend. More information can be found at <u>Parent Information Session</u> in English and Chinese.

June Calendar Update: Please see our updated calendar here.

June 21 & 22: Regular ABCD Days (BLT moved)
June 23 & 24: BLT Days for final assessments

June 24: Last day of regular classes

June 27: Celebration (Yearbooks, Carnival)
June 27: Grad BBQ & Valedictory Rehearsal

April 25 to 29 was Education Week in the Richmond School District. Education Week is an opportunity to openly share the many remarkable things happening in Richmond schools. Each day of the week the district highlighted different aspects of school and classroom learning, with a direct connection to the curriculum through the lens of our Strategic Plan. I am very proud to say that Burnett Secondary has contributed many incredible stories about our school and is the only high school to celebrate a story on each day of Education Week. **Learning is in Focus** at Burnett. Please take the time to visit Education Week 2022 and read about our wonderful school.

Mr. D. Ratzlaff

Learning in FOcus

ART CLASS!!!



The students created colorful trumpet flowers by positioning strings on a canvas and pulling them to make beautiful flower petals.

Some of our ELL and international students participated in a pulled string painting workshop on April 8 as an inschool field trip. Our Amazing art instructor taught the students different techniques of string-pulling so they could be creative and experiment with patterns and colors.





All the student artists were proud of their beautiful paintings and embraced this opportunity to express their artistic talents and enjoy the company of their friends.





Help support ARC Animal Rescue

DELICIOUS (LOCAL HANDMADE

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Order window: April 28 - May 12

kup: May 19 (4:00-5:00pm) @ JN Burnett Secondary Sch

Pickup: May 19 (4:00-5:00pm) @ JN Burnett Secondary School (front parking lot) 5011 Granville Ave, Richmond BC

ARC will be holding a *Pie Hole* fundraiser in May. The *Pie Hole* is Vancouver's most popular pie maker and sells fresh and frozen meat, vegetarian, and fruit pies. **Starting on April 28th**, the link arc.thepiehole.com will open and pies can be ordered online. Pick up will be in the parking lot at Burnett on May 19th from 4-5 p.m. ARC gets a percentage of the profits from all pies ordered. Please support our rescue efforts and stock up on delicious dinners and desserts!





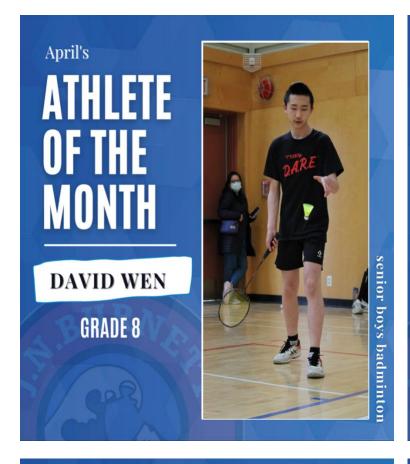
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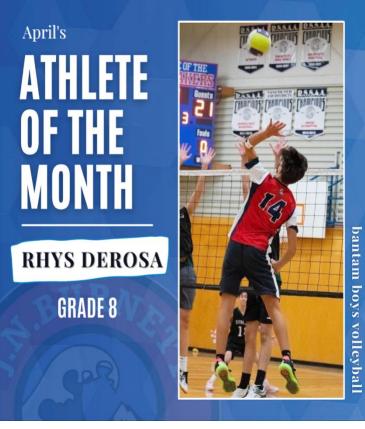


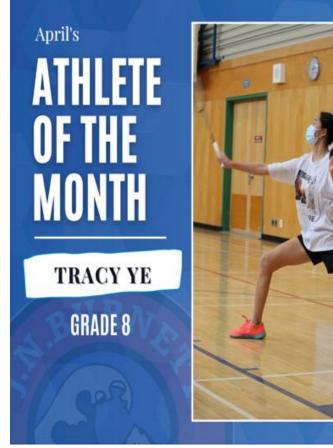
ARC is also celebrating the successful placement of our latest rescue, George, in his new foster home with Mr. Bevan and his family. George has quickly become part of the family and we are hoping that the Bevan's will adopt this very good boy.

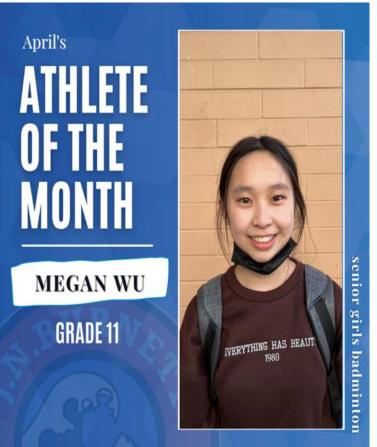
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junior girls badminton





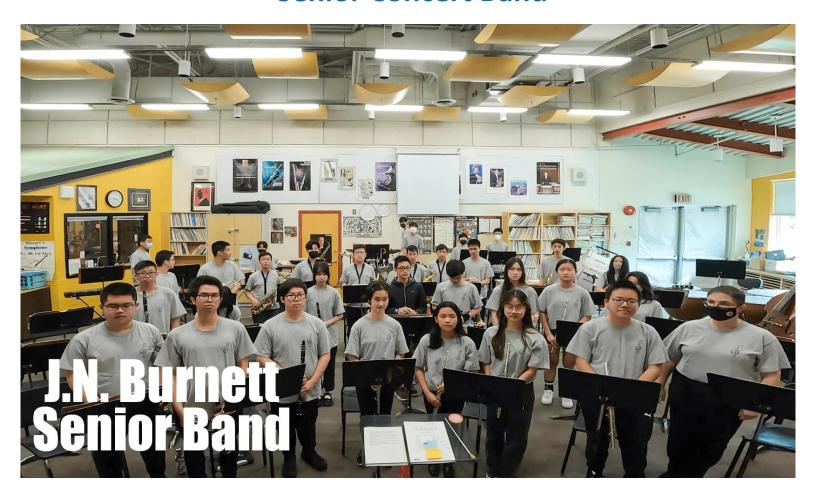




BURNETT'S GOT TALENT!

Burnett's got talent is a bi-weekly showcase of student talent that took place in Burnett's library learning commons during lunch hours this year. Students could present any talent they wished to share with the school population. There were solo singers, solo instrumentalists, a dance team, small ensembles from the music program, artists from the AP art class and a textiles display. The event ran twice a month on Tuesdays from October to May and will finish the year with a poetry showcase by students in English and Humanities classes. Students and staff are invited to come to the LLC on May 3rd at lunch to share in the readings of original poetry by Burnett students.

Senior Concert Band



Burnett's Senior Concert Band received a ranking of EXCELLENT+ for our festival entry into the Vancouver Island Concert Band Festival!

Well done to all!

Breakers Breaking Barriers

To build community in the Grade 8 Class, the Breaker Mentor Leaders and Conference Day Team have planned activities throughout the year to foster an inclusive and welcoming environment for the newest Breakers at Burnett. As part of the community building endeavour, the Mentors have designed a t-shirt that is unique to this grade 8 class. The theme for this year's grade 8 class is "Breakers Breaking Barriers. We encourage grade 8s to purchase a shirt as a way of connecting with their peers in grade 8." Shirts can be purchased online for \$15 and picked up from Ms. Meralli in room D122





Grad events are officially back on, and we are excited to announce that Prom/Dinner Dance and the Dry Grad After Party is booked for Friday, June 3!

Please go to https://richmondsd38.schoolcashonline.com/ to pay your prom and dry grad fees by TUESDAY, MAY 3rd.

SchoolCashOnline.com: Welcome

SchoolCash Online is an easy to use and safe way to pay for your children's school fees. richmondsd38.schoolcashonline.com

We are also looking for a number of parent volunteers to help with this year's re-invented Dry Grad After Party on Friday, June 3rd. We are planning this event on very short notice, due to the recent lifting of Covid-19 restrictions. As such, we need to act quickly to assemble a team of volunteers to help make this event a success. If you are able to help out, please contact Joyce Chan jpchan325@gmail.com or Natalie Wong nataliewong.wong@gmail.com.

Your time and help is appreciated in running this much-anticipated safe, and memorable event for the grads of 2022!

April 2022 Newsletter



May 7th is about building caring connections between young people and the caring adults in their lives. We know having caring, connected conversations can have a big impact on the mental health of children and youth.

As Founders of National Child & Youth Mental Health day in 2007, FamilySmart has been leading May 7th and creating opportunities for home, schools, communities and organizations to connect around our "I care about you" message. We hope you will join us this year.

Join us and register for these free events at:

www.familysmart.ca/events

VIRTUAL EVENTS FOR PARENTS & CARING ADULTS

It's Never Too Late: Healing Parent-Child Relational Stress Using Emotion-Focused Family Therapy (EFFT)

With **Dr. Adele Lafrance**, clinical psychologist, author, scientist, and developer of emotion-focused treatment modalities, including Emotion-Focused Family Therapy

Monday, May 2nd Time: 6:30pm - 7:30pm

Building Connection With Our Kids When It Feels Impossible

With Diane Evans, FamilySmart Parent Peer Support Worker, BC Children's Hospitals Kelty Mental Health Resource Centre.

Tammy Music, Family Smart Parent Peer Support Worker, Surrey Memorial Hospital, Child & Adolescent Psychiatric Stabilization Unit (CAPSU) and Short Term Assessment Response Treatment (START) Fraser North.

Tuesday, May 3rd Time: 12pm - 1pm

The ABCs of Substance Use and Connecting With Our Kids

With Cindy Andrews, senior associate on the team leading The ABCs of Youth Substance Use, a BC government funded project focused on supporting schools,

Angela Lawrence, educator and a registered clinical counsellor with SD73

Art Steinmann, Senior Associate, Youth Substance Use Health Promotion, Bunyaad Public Affairs.

Wednesday, May 4th Time: 6pm - 8pm



Our May 7th website is full of videos, resources and activities for Elementary, Middle and High Schools.

Jack Talks are mental health presentations delivered by young people to young people. Trained and certified youth speakers use the power of personal stories and mental health education to inspire, engage, educate, and equip young people to look out for themselves and their peers. Check out Jack.Org's Livestream: Classroom Edition and Pre-Recorded Classroom Edition to help adult allies start important mental health conversations with the young people in their lives.

<u>Videos and activities</u> to help build kids' understanding about how smart their brains and bodies are! And how sensations are our body's way of telling us how we feel and what we need. When we practice focusing on the sensations in our body, we are being mindful. Created by Karen Peters, RCC Thrive Life Counselling & Wellness

We certainly can't do this work without the support and encouragement of people like you. We remain committed to making things better for young people with mental health challenges and their families or caring adults.

Thank you for being on this journey with us - and for allowing us to be on your journey with you.

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It's Never Too Late: Healing Parent-Child Relational Stress Using Emotion-Focused Family Therapy

Online Event, Free May 2nd, 6:30pm - 7:30pm PST

When we experience relationship challenges with our children, it can be stressful for all involved, leaving parents confused, frustrated, even walking on eggshells. This one-hour presentation will provide techniques to support parents to heal relational ruptures with kids and teens using an emotion-focused approach.



Speaker: Adele Lafrance, Ph.D.

Adele is a clinical psychologist, author, scientist, and developer of emotion-focused treatment modalities, including Emotion-Focused Family Therapy. She has published extensively in the field of psychotherapy, emotion and health, including a clinical manual to support families published by the American Psychological Association. She has also written a popular parenting book titled: What to Say to Kids When Nothing Seems to Work, and provides practical resources to parents and adult influencers at no cost at www.mentalhealthfoundations.ca.

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The ABCs of Substance Use and Connecting With Our Kids

Online Event, Free May 4th, 6pm - 8pm

Join us for 1 or all of our May 7th online events for parents and caring adults.

www.familysmart.ca/events

For more information, resources and activities to celebrate May 7th - National Child & Youth Mental Health Day in your school or community, go to: may7icare.ca

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BECOME A HOMESTAY at the RICHMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT



Be a host for an international student for a month, semester or year. Richmond International Education (RIE) Homestay Program is looking for local families to offer a welcoming home.

Contact us to find out more about this enriching opportunity.



study@sd38.bc.ca 604-668-6217





There are currently 9 provincially approved secondlanguage programs in B.C. Are you interested in learning Farsi as an elective course?

We need your support to include the Persian Language in the curriculum,

 INTERESTED IN LEARNING A NEW LANGUAGE THROUGH RVS/RICHMOND VIRTUAL SCHOOL? SIGN UP HERE FOR NEXT YEAR BY USING THE QR CODE:

For more information, please email : Ms. Abbasi or Ms. Erfan via the following emails:

FAbbasi-Fard@sd38.bc.ca Aerfan@sd38.bc.ca



ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH & WELLNESS

Richmond parents and our community are invited to a free discussion and presentation with internationally renowned experts in adolescent mental health Andrew Baxter, Dr. Li Sha and Dr. Yifeng Wei.







DR. LI SHA

Dr. Li Sha, MEd, PhD, is currently the research coordinator of the Mental Health Literacy project in SD 38, and has worked as an instructor at the Trinity Western University since 2020. In recent years he has provided educational consulting services for local Chinese families. Dr. Sha worked as researcher in educational psychology in Canada, Hong Kong, Singapore, and the US. His research focuses on studying K-12 students' learning and motivation. Dr. Sha is a member of American Psychological Association (APA).



SCHEDULE

May 4, 2022 | 7:00pm - 8:30pm

7:00pm Introduction and Secondary Student Panel

7:30pm English Session with Andrew Baxter

Chinese Session with Dr. Li Sha & Dr. Yifeng Wei

REGISTRATION

<u>Click here</u> to register or use the QR code below – parents are encouraged to register by Friday, April 29, 2022.



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J.N. Burnett Secondary School Career Centre News

Ms. S. Carter is the Burnett Career Information Advisor located in the Counselling Centre who is available to help you with post-secondary admission requirements and applications, discuss future careers, jobs, scholarships and monumental advice and coaching. Do you have any questions and or would like to meet with Ms. Carter please email shcarter@sd38.bc.ca. Ms. Carter is at J.N. Burnett on Monday's, Thursday's and alternative Wednesdays.

Career Centre website:

https://portal.sd38.bc.ca/public/du6o2hu/Pages/Ca reer-Information.aspx#/=

To All Grade 10/11/12

General admission requirements for postsecondary institutions

English language requirement

Quantitative and analytical requirement

Four to Six approved Grade 12 courses, including English Studies 12 (min 70%) or equivalent. Admission is based on an evaluation of all approved Grade 11 and 12 courses and a proficient level of performance on the Grade 12 Literacy Assessment.

What do I need? Make an appointment to see Ms. Carter, Career Information Advisor at mailto:shcarter@sd38.bc.ca and have your questions answered.

UBC Geering Up offers all-girls free events

All-Girls* Events are exciting opportunities for girls across BC to explore how they can use their creativity to help the world. Attendees will learn about engineering design and will enjoy fun, handson activities led by current university students and meet inspiring mentors. Connect with other likeminded students and talk to current engineering students and professionals who will share their stories and experience. For event listings and to sign up go to:

https://geeringup.apsc.ubc.ca/programming/gener al-information/events/all-girls/

Association of Scientific Technologists and Technicians of BC (ASSTBC)

The ASTTBC website is specifically focused on 'technology' careers and provides information about careers and training/certification in the technology sectors. https://asttbc.org/



What are you made of? Find your trade here

http://youth.itabc.ca/trade-finder/

Career in Trades Online Q& A Series May 4th & 18th @ 3PM

Learn about SD38 apprenticeship program offerings (e.g. Plumbing, Professional Cook, Carpentry, Welding, Aircraft Maintenance Engineer, Construction Electrician, Millwright, etc.)

- how to receive FREE tuition to take one of these programs
- how to get school credit (and award \$\$) for paid work you are doing in a skilled trade
- how to apply for one of our programs
- what the program entry requirements are
- how to get both college and high school credits with our programs

Zoom Meeting ID: 616 3753 0153

Passcode: 860349

https://sd38.zoom.us/j/61637530153

2022 USA College Admissions Guide

College Admissions Guide [USA Edition] E Book -

2021 2022.pdf

SAT Prep classes

SAT Prep Classes for those wanting to study in the USA. https://prepskills.com/prepstore/sat-prep/ For test sites go to:

https://satsuite.collegeboard.org/sat/test-centersearch

The BCIT Technology Entry (TE) program is a 15week, full-time day school program that offers a broad introduction to post-secondary education in a focused and welcoming atmosphere. TE provides solid academic preparation to help you meet BCIT Technology program entry requirements in core areas such as communication, mathematics, chemistry, and physics.

https://www.bcit.ca/programs/technology-entryte-full-time-0020nobcit/

MAY 16 & 18/22 Monday at 3:30 pm KPU Next Steps Online Information Workshop

For details and to register for the session visit :https://www.kpu.ca/info-sessions/futurestudents/next-steps/may-202

MAY 18/22 KPU Wilson School of Design Fashion Marketing Program Information Session @ 6 PM

Do you have an eye for style and a head for business? KPU's Wilson School of Design has a twoyear rigorous diploma program that nurtures both! For details and to register visit:

https://www.kpu.ca/info-sessions/design/fashionmarketing/May-18

MAY 18/22 6-7 PM UBC First-Year Student Welcome to Science Virtual Information Session

Welcome to the Faculty of Science! Join Associate Deans, Dr. Ian Cavers and Dr. James Charbonneau for this hour-long question and answer session to learn more about your next steps as a Science student. To register for this event

visit: https://ubc.zoom.us/.../u5YscqhpjsoHtb8Y4IPEwCagj229eogiYjz

MAY 31/22 Langara Business Program Application & Document Deadline for Sept 2022

Entry: https://langara.ca/admissions/apply-tolangara/index.html

JUN 1/22 KPU Deadline to pay deposit for Open Intake programs and priority registration: https://www.kpu.ca/admission/deadlines-domestic

Kwantlen Employment and Community Studies for People with Disabilities

Please visit KPU Employment and Community Services program on the EACS website

The Community and Career Education Department at Vancouver Community College is pleased to share with you information on our Adult Special Education programs and courses. VCC Community

Development programs: CACE VCC Program

Booklet.pdf

MAY 25/22 at 4:30 PM

UBC Sauder Online Information Session

UBC Sauder will be hosting upcoming virtual sessions with information on admission requirements, programs, and the application process. Attend a session to learn more: https://www.sauder.ubc.ca/programs/bachelors-degrees/bachelor-commerce



BC School Sports Scholarships

https://www.bcschoolsports.ca/memberservices/scholarships

BC Sports Scholarship Booklet 21-22 Final 1.pdf

MAY 6/22 Clean Energy BC Secondary School Student Scholarship deadline

Thanks to the generous funding of Ecofish Research
Ltd., The Clean Energy Association of British
Columbia (CEBC) is pleased to offer a scholarship of
\$2,000 to a BC secondary school student who is
interested in pursuing a future in clean energy at a
post-secondary institution. For more information on
how students can apply, please follow this link.

MAY 6/22 The Canadian Scholarship Trust Foundation Bursary deadline

In honour of notable members of the Canadian Scholarship Trust family, we are excited to provide \$150,000 worth of bursaries to students facing financial barriers in order to help them access postsecondary education. To apply go to: http://education.myblueprint.ca/cstf/



Now accepting applications for 2022/2023

LISA HUUS BURSARY

To assist persons with physical disabilities to begin or continue postsecondary education in British Columbia or Alberta.

The Lina Huas Memodal Fund was created in memory of Lina Pouline Haza to help maderns with disabilities achieve their education of goals. Again now to access your between

- APPLICATIONS DUE 31 MAY 2022 -

For eligibility requirements, to learn more, or to egoly, go to identicidativa com/tacheco kursery

MAY 6/22 - IODE British Columbia 2022 Arts Award Deadline - value \$1,000

This is an Award given each year, in competition, to help a student of the Arts (Visual or Performing). More Info at: https://www.iode.ca/iode-britishcolumbia-arts-awards.html

Sr Arts Award - 2022 application.pdf



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Application available at http://starwell.com/bursary-application/

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MAY 15/22 - Shashi Assan and Bursary Deadline

Vancouver & Lower Mainland Multicultural Family Support Services Society is proud to establish a \$1000 Bursary for a female Grade 12 student to honour the founder Executive Director, Shashi Assan and for her 35 years of selfless service to the settlement and anti-violence sectors in the Lower Mainland of British

Columbia. See attached application form. SHASHI ASSANAND BURSARY Information Jan 28th 2021 lb-mn-sc Jan 23

2022.pdf Questions? Contact: www.vlmfss.ca

MAY 20/22 Hebden Chemistry Bursary Award deadline

The \$1000 bursary will be awarded to one student who has performed service for their school and/or community while maintaining grades in science that are necessary for success in a post-secondary education.

https://westerncampus.ca/exclusive-towcr/hebden-chemistry/

MAY 24/22 Canadian Hearing Services National Scholarship 8:59 PM Deadline

Canadian Hearing Services proudly offers scholarships (\$3000 for full time and \$1000 for part time students) to deaf and hard-of-hearing students to help break down barriers to higher education and build brighter futures. For complete details

visit: https://scholartree.ca/scholarship/canadianhearing-services-national-scholarship/asm3D6CXp5



StudentAid BC supports over 60,000 students each year with grants, loans & other financial aid programs.

For more information visit our website at: www.StudentAid8C.ca

Jobs & Volunteer

Now is the time to look and apply for your summer job!

CLUBHOUSE KIDS - WORK WITH US

Each summer, we hire several seasonal team members to join our core team to ensure our children and preteens have their best summer ever. The number of openings varies each year. Our typical timeline is as follows:

Application form:

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Canada Summer Jobs Applications Now Open

CSJ is a program under the Youth Employment and Skills Strategy, which aims to provide flexible and holistic services to help all young Canadians develop the skills and gain paid work experience to successfully transition into the labour market. For more information go to: <u>Canada youth</u> <u>employment</u>

MAY 6/22 at 12 PM Community Environmental Leader Positions Lower Mainland Green Teams Deadline

Are you a student aged 15-19 who is passionate about the environment and would thrive in a handson position that developed them into a community leader? Two youth will be hired to work full-time over the summer 2022 and part-time from Septearly April 2023. For more info and application instructions go to:

https://greenteamscanada.ca/about/employment/

Also check out these website links:

Richmond jobs

http://careers.richmondoval.ca/#job-openings

https://www.yourlibrary.ca/about/jobs-at-rpl

https://www.jobbank.gc.ca/youth

https://www.mcdonalds.com/ca/en-

ca/careers.html

McArthurGlen Designer Outlet Jobs

https://www.canadapost-

postescanada.ca/cpc/en/our-company/about-

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Get Started Tip and 4 Common Mistakes to Avoid

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- Relate to the employer's needs.
- Highlight your most relevant skills, experience and accomplishments.
- Clearly identify the job you are applying for.

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Cover letter template.doc

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https://portal.sd38.bc.ca/public/du6o2hu/Pages/Sc holarships.aspx#/=

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On behalf of the parents of our School, PAC would like to express our great sadness at the loss of our Chef George Domae. PAC received a donation of \$1221 as a tribute to the George's family from parents and students. Big thanks to Burnett for being a very warm community. Thank you, all!

我们家长委员会谨代表我们全校的父母表示非常难过失去了我们的厨师 George Domae.我们家长委员会更是收到\$1221 的捐款是父母们和学生们对 George 家庭的心意!感恩 Burnett 是一个非常温暖的社区。谢谢大家!

Upcoming Events:

- Thursday, May 5, 2022 PAC Meeting @ 7:00 pm in the school Library and overseas parents on MS Teams.
- 星期四的晚上@7:00 开家长委员会, 欢迎各位父母前来学校开会。更欢迎我们的海外的父母一同参加会议!校长会给您发送 Teams 的链接。
- In June, we are looking for 15 to 20 parent volunteers (grades 8-12) to come to the school and select five of grade 12 students to give a \$500 scholarship to college. If you are interested, please contact me at: jnburnettpac@outlook.com
- 六月份要寻找 15 到 20 个的父母义工(8-12 年级)来学校挑选五个优秀的十二年级的毕业生赠予\$500 的奖学金上大学,如果您有兴趣和我们一起欣赏优秀的孩子们演讲可以报名联系 Connie Huang: jnburnettpac@outlook.com

AGM

It's the annual PAC executives AGM! Every June, we select a few of those who love children and can sacrifice their own time to lead the school's parents to care for the school and benefits our children. We're seeking:

- President of the PAC
- Vice-President
- Treasure
- Secretary
- Chairman of the Fundraising Committee
- Vice Chairman of the Fundraising Committee
- Fundraising Committee Member at Large (3 or more parents)

If you would like be a part of our PAC Executive, please nominate yourself, or you know who would like to be more involved with us. Submit your nominations to the attention of Connie at jnburnettpac@outlook.com.

又到了一年一度的家长委员会核心成员的选举,我们每一年六月都需要选出几位热爱孩子,且可以牺牲自己私人时间去带领全校 父母关心学校和为孩子谋福利!我们需要:

- PAC 的主席
- 副主席
- 财务
- 秘书
- 筹款委员主席
- 筹款委员副主席
- 筹款核心委员(三位以上)

如果您愿意或者您想推荐任何一个父母成为我们家长委员会的一份子话,请您写电邮给 Connie Huang: jnburnettpac@outlook.com



April 19, 2022

JN Burnett Secondary School Dry Grad After-Party Prize Request

To: All J.N. Burnett Secondary Parents, Friends and Community Supporters

We are holding our annual Dry Grad- After-Party event for this year's graduating class on June 3rd, 2022 from midnight to 3am. The evening is intended as a fun, safe, alcohol and drug free event totally organized by parent volunteers' intending to show our students an alternative to off-site alcohol-fuelled grad parties. There will be food, DJ, dancing, movies, fantastic door prizes and lots of other surprises!

One of the highlights of this event that the students look forward to is the great prizes we are able to offer. We are hoping you will be able to help us by donating merchandise or gift cards. We understand that you probably get many requests from the community, but we are hoping that you could support this worthwhile event to help keep our students safe.

Should you choose to make a donation, we will not only thank you personally for your donations, we will recognize all donations post-event in our social platforms and parent communication channels.

Please send all donations or questions to Ellie Kharazmi – ekharazmi@yahoo.com or Janeil Mackay janeil@prettythingsvancouver.ca

On behalf of the Dry Grad After-Party 2022 committee, thank you for your generous donations!!



J.N Burnett Secondary

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NOTICE TO ALL JNB 2022 GRADS!

The following notice will outline pertinent information regarding the order of events on Friday, June 3rd, 2022. <u>Please note, there are a few NEW changes to the format of events.</u>

- 4:00 pm Red Carpet Pre-event (NEW): All Grads attending the dinner/dance can arrive at the school any time after 4:00 PM on Friday, June 3rd. The red carpet and 2022 marquis picture scape will be set up outside. Parents are welcome to come and take pictures. All students will meet in the gym at 5:00 pm, be organized and walk the red carpet onto the coach busses headed for the Vancouver Convention Center.
- 5:30 pm Transportation (NEW): Transportation to and from Burnett by deluxe motorcoach is complimentary (PAC) with tickets for **all** Grads attending dinner/dance at the Convention Centre. All students attending must ride in coach busses to and from this event. *Please do not book private limos or party busses to or from the dinner/dance*.
- 6-11:00 pm Dinner Dance at the Vancouver Convention Centre (NEW LOCATION): This portion of the evening is reserved for grad 2022 students only. Familes/friends are encouraged to take their photos with grads at the Red Carpet Pre-event only.
- 11:30 pm Transportation (NEW): Buses will drop off **all** students to the school between 11:30-11:45pm. Students not attending Dry Grad are picked up by parents at 12:00 midnight when coaches arrive.
- 12-3:00 am Dry Grad After-Party (NEW HOURS): See details below. Parents pick up their children from the school at 3 am if they attend Dry Grad.

What is Dry Grad? The Dry Grad After-Party is a stylish event organized by the Grade 12 parents to provide students the opportunity to continue the night's celebrations in a fun and safe environment, free of alcohol and drugs. There will be themed areas around the school decorated in Oscar-worthy glitz and glam where you can mix and mingle with your friends and keep the party going! You can expect a dance floor with live DJ, an outdoor courtyard lounge under the stars with snacks/mocktails and life-size games, a movie theatre for those that want to chill with their BFF's, and amazing door prizes, including gift certificates for Apple, Amazon, Starbucks, Netflix and much more.

Fee: The Dry Grad After-Party costs \$60.00 per person and includes all entertainment, activities, and food. The memories you will make as you celebrate your Grad 2022 are priceless! *Deadline to order tickets (via School Cash Online) is May 3, 2022.*

Clothing check in: Students attending the Dry Grad After-party are required to bring a change of clothes such as comfortable pants, hoodies, or t-shirts in a garment bag to change into after the official Grad event downtown. Clothing drop-off will occur at the school on June 2nd by parent volunteers. More specific details for Dry Grad 2022 Clothing Drop-Off will be released after the May 3rd deadline.

Dry Grad News

From the Dry Grad Committee and co-chairs, Ellie Kharazmi and Janeil Mackay, to the Grade 12 parents:

We have just released our Grad 2022 Red Carpet, Dinner/Dance, and Dry Grad announcement. Thanks to the dedicated work of a small group of parents, we have been able organize a Dry Grad event quickly for our graduates. We have also made some changes to make the day more special for students and families, including a Red-Carpet opportunity for families to take pictures. In addition, PAC has been able to support the rental of beautiful coach busses to transport all Grads from Burnett to and from the Convention Centre. Our goal is to provide a safe and amazing event for our Grads.

As you can imagine, planning Dry Grad is usually a yearlong endeavour. The newly formed Dry Grad committee needs your help! We need volunteers, prizes, and donations from our community to make the event as awesome as possible. Please read the attached letters and decide on a way you can contribute. We will also be asking parents from future grad years to help in the coming days. Burnett is an amazing community. We want to make Friday June 3rd a safe and fun day for everyone.

Thanks for your time and consideration!

2022 毕业典礼新闻

我们刚刚发布了 2022 年毕业生走红地毯、晚餐/舞会公告。感谢毕业典礼筹办小组的家长们辛勤工作,我们才能够在短时间内迅速为我们的十二年级的毕业生组织这次毕业典礼活动。 我们筹办小组的父母为了这重要的一天更加特别和难忘,我们设办了一个安全而精彩的活动,就是让毕业的家庭可以在红地毯上拍照,还有在 PAC 大力的经费支持下支付和租用了漂亮的长途汽车,将所有我们的毕业生从学校 Burnett 一次运送到 Convention Centre 的会议中心。

正如您可以想象的那样,规划 毕业典礼通常是一项为期一年的工作。 新成立的 毕业典礼筹办委员会需要您的帮助! 我们诚意邀请各年级段的父母(8-12 年级)来做义工和希望您可以捐赠奖品和捐款,以使我们的毕业典礼活动增加无限欢乐和精彩。 请阅读随附的信件并决定您可以捐赠的方式。谢谢! Burnett 是一个非常了不起和有爱心的社区。 我们希望 在 6 月 3 日星期五毕业的学生有一个美好的、欢乐的、安全的毕业舞会!

感谢您为毕业典礼付出宝贵时间和努力!

12 年级毕业典礼和晚会的筹办小组

主席: Ellie Kharazmi 成员: Janeil Mackay

April 2022 Newsletter

2022 Fundraiser Committee News

Thank you for your contributions towards computers for the school. However, we are still around \$9,225.00 short. Our students need these computers to complete research and homework. Some of the students are unable to learn due to lack of these devices. In addition, our computer clubs could use the new electronics in the library for future coding competitions. Our fundraising committee will prepare some fundraising activities such as emergency first aid kits and other fun activities. Dear parents, please support us and let us build a brighter future for our kids together!

Our Burnett Secondary School is now open for donations (Cashonline). We also accept donations in forms of cheque and cash. (If you are a parent who donates cheque or cash, please download the form and fill in the personal information. Your child can proceed to bring the cheque or cash to the school or to Connie. This way, we can return the tax receipt to you.) If you have any questions or suggestions, please contact Emily at: jnburnettpac@outlook.com

2022 年筹款小组新闻:

亲爱的家长和学生,

感谢您为学校图书馆提供的捐赠。 然而,我们仍然在需要\$9,225,我们 Burnett 的学生需要这些电脑来做研究和功课。由于缺乏这些设备,一些学生无法准时完成功课和他们的学习计划。此外,我们的计算机俱乐部可以使用图书馆的新设备进行未来的编码比赛。我们家长委员会的筹款委员会小组已经准备好一些筹款活动,例如紧急急救包等……亲爱的父母,请支持我们,让我们一起为我们学校的孩子创造更美好的未来!

Burnett 中学现在已开放了网络捐款(Cashonline) 也接受捐赠支票和现金!(如果您捐支票与现金的父母,请下载表格和填写好私人资料后与支票或者现金一同让孩子交给学校或者交给 Connie 或者 Emily 方便我们回寄报税收据给您!)

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If you have any questions or suggestions relating to the school or PAC, please feel free to contact PAC at jnburnettpac@outlook.com.

We look forward to seeing you at the PAC meeting!

Connie Huang

PAC Chair