

# IN BURNETT SECONDARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

# September 2021

# HOME OF THE BREAKERS

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# **IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS**

Oct 7 **PAC Meeting** Oct 8 Conference Day Oct 11 Thanksgiving Day Oct 15 Dassehra Oct 18-19 Mawlid-al-Nabi Oct 19-20 Parent TeacherConferences Oct 20 **Photo Retakes** Oct 22 Pro D Oct 31 Halloween Nov 4 **PAC Meeting** Nov 4 Nov 7 **Daylight Savings Time Ends** 

Nov 10 Daylight Savings Time Ends
Nov 10 Remembrance Day

Assembly

Nov 11 Remembrance Day

Nov 19 Birthday of Guru Nanak Dev

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September was a good month at Burnett Secondary. It has been wonderful to welcome back all our students to full-time attendance. We would like to thank all students and their families for their continued support in following all public health orders. Students have responded by completing daily health checks, wearing their masks, remaining socially distant, practicing good hand-hygiene, and being diligent when eating and socializing. We encourage all students to stay home when sick or showing any symptoms. Our teaching staff will be flexible in providing alternative learning and assessment as needed. Please don't hesitate to reach out to your teachers or counselor for support if you are remaining home for illness. Together we will continue to navigate these complex times. Our school remains a safe place to work and learn. We are looking forward to a good year of learning and personal growth for everyone.

I would like to thank our staff for their dedication and care in starting the 2021-2022 school year. There were many extra tasks associated with starting this school year successfully as the pandemic continues. I am especially thankful for the *culture of care, kindness, and compassion* for student well-being and learning that is cultivated each day at Burnett. As I walk around the school and visit classrooms, it is evident to me that our staff are dedicated to making their classrooms accessible to everyone and providing the supports needed for all learners to be successful and reach their goals.

The Terry Fox Run on September 15<sup>th</sup> was very successful. Our school raised over 1500 dollars for the Terry Fox Foundation. In the beautiful sunshine of a warm September day, our PE incentive 10 students led our entire community in a fun and energetic run/walk for Terry. Well done, Breakers! Another highlight in September was our annual grade 8 retreat. In a normal year, we take all of the grade 8 students to Camp Stillwood at Cultus Lake for two nights of fun, learning, and mentoring. This year our leadership team and our senior mentors provided a rich retreat experience at Burnett. It was great to see our students sharing in some fun activities while learning about each other and our school. We are hopeful that we may be able to do a larger event in spring. The month ended with our first National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. All staff participated in teaching students on the importance of our continued and sustained commitment to learning, understanding the truth about residential schools, and the stories of Canadian First Nations.

We have successfully introduced our new learning schedule for the 2021-2022 school year with *Burnett Learning Time* and *Staff Collaboration Time*. I would like to thank all parents/guardians and students for reading and embracing the information that we have sent out through MyEdBC email and the mail since June. As I talk with students, it is encouraging to hear many students say that they are using BLT to support their learning, pursue passions, and attend to their well-being and health. Please read the brief update below. All information about BLT is available on our website at Burnett Learning Time.

We are looking forward to the month of October. Happy Thanksgiving to all families.

Mr. D. Ratzlaff

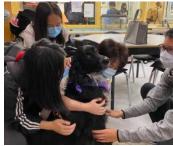
# Learning in FOcus

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In ELL 1/2 we spent some time being creative by making classroom objects out of play dough and asking others to guess what they were.

In ELL 1/2 and 4 we've been learning about Jet's rescue story and how Jet can help relieve stress in the classroom by being someone to talk to and hug. Jet loves his job and never gets tired of being the center of attention.





# **MAKER CLUB**

Burnett has its first Maker Club! Last Monday was our first meeting in the library. Students decided on the different crafts they want to do in the coming semester. We started with crocheting, magnet- and button making, origami, and LEGO building. While crafting, students are forming friendships and honing their social skills. Some of our members are using BLT time to work on their unique creations. Why not join Burnett's Maker Club? Our upcoming meeting dates are October 4, 18, November 1 and 15 and December 6 at lunch in the library: Everybody is welcome. Discover the Maker in you!







# **ATHLETICS**

We are pleased to welcome athletics safely back to J.N. Burnett Secondary. We would like to welcome Mr. Peter Yu to his new role as Athletic Director. Fall sports are underway. Thank you to our teacher sponsors/coaches and community coaches for volunteering their time. At this time only staff and current students can attend games at Richmond Schools.





# **TERRY FOX RUN**

JN Burnett students and staff participated in the Annual Terry Fox Run event on September 15. Classes walked or ran a 2 km route around the school to "Try like Terry" and show our commitment to his legacy, leadership, and inspiration.

Mrs. Reidy and her PE 10 incentive Breaker students publicized the event and encouraged along the way, handing out Terry Fox Tattoos to everyone as they crossed the finish line. Mrs. Carv and her photography students captured great photos, and the Access students of Mrs. Keng and Mr. Lim, created a beautiful collage.

Many resources were shared with students and staff leading up to the event to share his story, and to personalize it for individuals. Sadly, many students have been directly impacted by cancer. We have raised over \$1700.00 and are still collecting contributions through the school cash online system. Thank you, Burnett Community! If you would like to access more information about Terry Fox, please visit





# **GRADE 8 RETREAT**

On September 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> we were able to welcome grade 8 students to J.N. Burnett with our Grade 8 Retreat. Unfortunately, due to the pandemic we were not able to do our normal activities but we were able to find new ways of celebrating. Over two days, we were able to facilitate activities and a pizza lunch for the grade 8 students as a welcoming to the school. The day consisted of crafting friendship bracelets, relay activities, a tug-a-war, scooter races, etc. As well, Burnett Mentor Reya Lee generously provided care packages to the grade 8s. Thank you to all the administrators and teachers who helped us in this process. Without this, we would not have succeeded with this event. A special thanks to Ms. Carvalheiro for leading many of the activities during our bonding session.





# **DELTA LANGUAGE CHALLENGE**

Information about this year's Delta Language Challenge is now posted on the Counselling Center Door.

The deadline to return completed forms to your School Counsellor is October 29, 2021.

# LATES AND ABSENCES

If your child will be absent or late please let us know by phoning our Early Warning

# **BURNETT LEARNING TIME UPDATE**

Burnett Learning Time is providing many opportunities for students to deeply engage with and manage their learning. Thank you for your ongoing support. We have been pleased to see a very high rate of participation and engagement with BLT in the first two weeks. Students are learning to explore all possible options available to them in alignment with British Columbia's redesigned curriculum. We will continue to thoughtfully develop and review BLT as a learning community in the coming months. All documents related to BLT are available on our website at <a href="Burnett Learning Time">Burnett Learning Time</a>. Please continue to work with your children using the <a href="Easy Weekly Planner">Easy Weekly Planner</a> and the <a href="Student Planning Guide">Student Planning Guide</a> to review their personalized plan for BLT each week.

# **Guiding Principles for Burnett Learning Time**

BLT is Self-Directed, Self-Managed, and Self-Regulated

BLT Enhances Curricular and Core Competency Development

**BLT Builds on Individual Passions** 

BLT embraces the development of Self-Care, Self-Awareness, Physical, and Mental Health









# NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION AT BURNETT SEPTEMBER 30, 2021



Wings of Commitment:

Burnett's Ongoing Commitment to Truth, Reconciliation, Equity, and Inclusion

This eagle display, created in June 2021, speaks to JN Burnett's commitment to truth, reconciliation, equity, and inclusion. The eagle feathers represent over 500 voices of students and staff and our commitment to acknowledging Canada's First Nations, learning about and understanding Indigenous culture, reflecting on our country's history of systemic racism and its ongoing legacies, honouring our community's diversity, and promoting respect and kindness.

The feather outline was created by Gitxsan artist Michelle Stoney, who currently lives in northwestern British Columbia. She designed the feather in response to the horrific discovery in May 2021 of unmarked burial sites at Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc residential school. Stoney states that, in her culture, eagles represent strength, wisdom, and healing; the human face at the base of her feather symbolizes the children who were taken from their families.

Each feather on the eagle display has been thoughtfully coloured by a Burnett student or staff member and states each personal commitment to truth, reconciliation, equity, and inclusion. As a school community, we understand that the path to reconciliation involves each individual taking on this commitment, which may look different for each person. Together, the feathers form the majestic wings of the eagle and serve as a visible reminder to our school of our commitments, both individually and collectively.

# **COUNSELLOR'S UPDATE**

Our counselling department has undergone several changes in the first month of school. Mr. Mcdonnell (Sh-Z) has taken a personal leave for semester one. We were able to bring in a retired Burnett counselor, Mr. Almas, for the month of September. Our district HR department has been actively pursuing qualified counselors for our school. In the interim, we want students and families to know that Ms. Takada and Ms. Murad are available to all students for social-emotional and emergent needs that arise. In addition, our vice-principals are available to support students in the Sh-Z alpha with more routine requests around guidance as it relates to course management, planning, scholarships, and general questions related to school life and personal well-being. Students are always encouraged to reach out to staff members or any member of our administrative team through district email, dropping by or by making an appointment for support.



# J.N. Burnett Secondary School Career Centre News

Ms. Carter the Burnett Career Information Advisor offers an abundance of resources and support for students who plan to go to post-secondary. Ms. Carter also provides career and educational planning information regarding post-secondary options.

To make an appointment with Ms. Carter, Career Information Advisor email: shcarter@sd38.bc.ca (appointments offered in person, over the phone or via zoom)



- The District 38 Career Programs Office is located at Cambie Secondary School
- We help interested students to register as an apprentice while in high school
- Training is in grades 11 or 12 and Working is ages 15-19:



CONTACT US: Email: careerprograms@sd38.bc.ca

Phone: 604-668-6060 (ext 3766)

LOOK FOR INFO AT:

Website: https://careerprograms.sd38.bc.ca

> Twitter/Instagram: @sd38careers



We offer 14 TRAIN program trades in Richmond School District



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## JOIN US ON ZOOM for more INFORMATION! **Secondary Parent Information Evenings**

- » Presented VIRTUALLY in the
- comfort of your own home!

  » CHOOSE an evening that works for you (Time is 6:30-7:30pm):

  - Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> OR

  - Wednesday, January 26th OR
- Thursday, February 24\*\*

  \* Learn what our programs offer to students:

  Post-secondary credits earned in high school
- Free tuition paid by SD38

- Life-long employability skills acquisition
   Apprenticeship certifications and more
   Hear from Industry Guest Speakers
   Meeting link details will be posted on our website

## PROGRAM BROCHURES COMING SOON...

Found on Career Programs website and in the slat boards in or near your school's counselling centre.







# Check out the below trades offered at SD38 Richmond

# PLUMBING

## Day 2's (Sept. - June @ Palmer Secondary, including 4 weeks at Piping Industry College)

Through this ITA foundation program, students receive Level 1 technical training in this trade. Students will apply their knowledge by learning how to plan, design, install & service various types of piping systems. They also learn how to use industry specific took and machinery. Students started the UR Piping industry College for four non-consecutive weeks during the program. Upon successful completion of this program, students will achieve technical training credit for the first of four levels towards Red Seal certification and on seek employment as apprentices.

- ogram Presequisities
  Any Math 11 AND a Language Arts 11
  Physically able (tight spaces, moving heavy equipment)
  Successful result on district math assessment
  Physics 11 recommended

## PROFESSIONAL COOK 1

## Day 2's (Sept. - June @ Richmond Secondary) + subsequent July @ VCC

This ITM countation program offers students an opportunity to receive Level 1 technical training in this trade. Students perform all phases of fitting the register including the presentation and presentation of vegerabales, soops, susces, ment, find and postifyce, told likehen items; desserts, basking, pastry basic memu planning/cotting as well as knowledge of safety, sanitation and food strongs, and customer relations. Students attend MaNDATORY four weeks att VC in July (includes 114 each soft Certificate of Qualification). Upon successful completion of this program, students will achieve technical training credit for the first of three levels towards Red Seal certification.



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  Any hours worked in the trade are registered with the ITA and go toward PCI
  Level 1 completion

### AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE ENGINEER - M Full-time @ BCIT - Start date varies (see below\*\*)

An Aircraft Maintenance Engineer Adults responsible for the elease (certification) of an aircraft after maintenance, inspection, repair or modification. This is an occupation requiring a high degree of responsibility and skill. Some of the skills learned include certifying airworthiness of aircraft, trouble-booking mechanical-decirctical systems and adjusting and repairing systems according to strict.



**BCIT** 

The program consists of 16 continuous months with short breaks between terms. SD38 covers tuition for the first term (4 months) ONLY and students are responsible for the tuition for terms 2,3 and 4 (months 5-16).

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  Any Midh 11 (nin 60%) AND a Language Arts 12 min 67% or 50% for

  Must have Physics 11 SDBs requirement)

  Succossful result BCTf Mechanical Reasoning Trades pre-entry test
  Recommend And Mechanical 1 and/or any Tech Ed 11

  Good colour vision, and interest in mechanics

  Participation in Art Cadeta pilus

- CREDITS AND CENTRICATION EARNED

  Receive credit for Term 1 (of 4) toward AME certification and 16-20 section Grade 12 credits

  NOTE: Once registered, student must commit to complete this 64 consecutive-week (16 month) program. AME license will be granted! Transport Canada when required work experience is achieved and ap reaches ago?

  "Check with Career Programs Office for program start date (filesy early fail of these prings) tast date in Grade 12).

# CONSTRUCTION ELECTRICIAN

## Full-time Semester 2 @ BCIT (Delta Satellite Campus) – January - July

This TA foundation program teeds to a Certificate of Competition for Level 1 technical training in this trade. Construction Bestriators plant, design, assemble, install after specific integret, verify, commission, convert, operator, maintain and decommission destricts of parties. Electrical systems: provide heating, lighting, power, alarm, security, communication and control in residential, commercial, institutional, industrial, transportation, marine and entertainment environments.

Upon successful completion of this foundation program, students will achie Red Seal certification and can seek employment as apprentices.

- OGRAM PRESEQUISITES
  Any Math 11 (min 60%) AND a Language Arts 11 (min 67%)
  AND Physics 11 (min 67%)
  Successful results on math and reading assessments

# CEDITS AND CERTIFICATION EARNED Pass course work to earn Level 1 (Certificate of Completion) - credit for 350 work-based hours Receive 20 credits (5 courses) at Grade 12 level

# JOINER (CABINETMAKER)

# Full-time Semester 1 or 2 @ BCIT (Burnaby)

**BCIT** 

Upon successful completion of this foundation program, students will achieve technical training credit for the first of four levels to Red Seal certification and can seek employment as apprentices.

# METAL FABRICATION

# Full-time Semester 2 @ BCIT (Burnaby) - January - July

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- GRAM PREREQUISITES
  Any Math 11 AND a Language Arts 11
  Successful results on math and reading assessments
  Relevant ADST (Tech Ed) course work an asset
  Good hand/eye coordination and physical condition an asset

- CREDITS AND CERTIFICATION EARNED

   Plass course work to earn Level 1 technical training certification (Certificate of Completion) + credit for 450 work-based hours
   Receive 20 credits (5 courses) at Grade 12 level

# **AUTO COLLISION REPAIR TECHNICIAN** Full-time Semester 2 @ VCC (Broadway) - January - Augu AUTO REFINISHING PREP TECHNICIAN Full-time Semester 2 @ VCC (Broadway) - January - Augu \*Full-time Semester 1 @ VCC (Pender) - August - Januar poly by first deadline (END OF FERRUARY IS PREFERRED) - PROGRAM STARTS IN AUGUST AFTER Gr. 11 CARPENTRY (FRAMING AND FORMING) INDUSTRIAL MECHANIC (MILLWRIGHT) Full-time Semester 2 @ KPU (Clov PAINTING AND DECORATING (COMMERCIAL) 6 weeks at FTI (Surrey) - Mid-June - July chnical training program provides an overview of the painting industry. Student on techniques, and proper use of the tools and materials used in this trade, inclu-respirator training, fall protection, ladder and scaffold training, elevated platform SHEET METAL Full-time Semester 1 @ RCIT (Rurnaby) - Ser BCIT

# To All Grade 10/11/12

Many post-secondary institutions offer

virtual tours/information sessions. You can also make an appointment to meet with an Academic Advisor before you register for courses. Visit post-secondary websites for details, and to register if necessary to check out the campus.

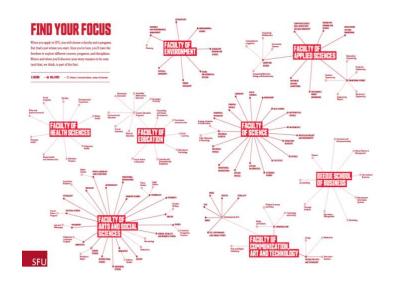
# **General admission requirements**

# **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. What do I need? Contact Ms. Carter, Career Information Advisor mailto:shcarter@sd38.bc.ca





# POST SECONDARY INFORMATION



BC's post-secondary system has the breadth and flexibility to offer programs on a wide variety of career options.

Find the BC post-secondary program that fits you at:

https://www.educationplannerbc.ca/plan/start/planning/

# PARTNERSHIP WITH SFU GIVES DOUGLAS COLLEGE ENGINEERING GRADS THIRD OPTION TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE

Douglas College Engineering students can now complete their bachelor's degree at Simon Fraser University's new <u>School of Sustainable Energy Engineering (SEE).</u>

Effective January 2021, graduates of the Douglas College Engineering Foundations Certificate program who meet the GPA and other requirements have a guaranteed transfer pathway into the second year of SEE's Bachelor of Applied Science program.

The pathway is in addition to existing pathways for Douglas graduates to the schools of <a href="Engineering Science"><u>Engineering Science</u></a> and <a href="Mechatronic Systems"><u>Mechatronic Systems</u></a> Engineering at SFU.

# The Path to UBC **Attend Online Events** · Live campus tours **Choose Your** Campus & Degree · General information sessions · Topic-specific sessions · First and second choices: any Indigenous-specific sessions degree on either campus · Review requirements Submit Application December 1 Deadline: Prepare Your · First-round offers of admission **Personal Profile** · Major entrance awards Attend an application workshop January 15 Deadline: · Final deadline for all programs **Apply For** Housing May 1 Deadline: Admissions · For guaranteed Submit first-year housing **Decisions: Documents** February - April (February - April) · Transcripts/documents February 15 Deadline: · Ensure you meet UBC's English Language Admission Standard

## **OCTOBER EVENTS**

October 1<sup>st</sup> most Post-Secondary Institutions Admissions open for Fall 2022

https://www.kpu.ca/find-your-program



OCT 14/21 – Discover UVic 5-6 pm – Are you thinking about studying at UVic, then join them for an online event to learn what it truly means to be a UVic student. You'll explore the possibilities of what a UVic education has to offer. You'll hear about co-op programs and why hands-on learning is so important, how you can engage with your surroundings, and how the UVic community can inspire you to succeed.

Register here: https://www.uvic.ca/undergraduate/tours-events/events/#ipn-discover-uvic

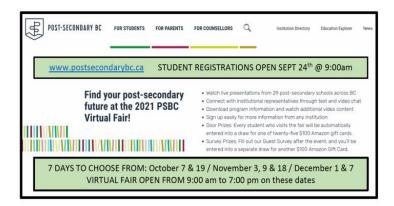
# OCT 12/21 Corpus Christi and St. Mark's College at UBC virtual event 7:00-8:00 pm

Learn how we offer students with the best start to their university studies with proven success programs, intentionally small class sizes, and a warm community all located on the UBC Point Grey Campus!

Register online at https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/169660291499

Bring your questions. We'll have answers!

Zoom Password: 123456



# **Post-Secondary Institutions of BC Schedule**

Thurs Oct 7/21	PSBC Vir Fair 1	9:00 AM-7:00 PM
Tues Oct 19/21	PSBC Vir Fair 2	9:00 AM-7:00 PM
Wed Nov 3/21	PSBC Vir Fair 3	9:00 AM-7:00 PM
Tues Nov 9/21	PSBC Vir Fair 4	9:00 AM-7:00 PM
Thurs Nov 18/21	PSBC Vir Fair 5	9:00 AM-7:00 PM
Wed Dec 1/21	PSBC Vir Fair 6	9:00 AM-7:00 PM
Tues Dec 7/21	PSBC Vir Fair 7	9:00 AM-7:00 PM

# **Douglas Foundations of Nursing Application Open**

When 4 – 6 Oct 2021

Description

OCT 4/21 opens at 9 AM until OCT 6/21 closes at 4 PM Douglas College Academic Foundations for Potential Nursing Applicants Application Period The Douglas College Academic Foundations for Potential Nursing Applicants program (the pathway into Bachelor of Science in Nursing) fills up quickly. Douglas College recommends applicants apply first thing on Monday, October 4th. Applications are only open until 4 PM on October 6th! https://www.douglascollege.ca/program/ctafpn

A few additional things to note: General Applications open OCT 1 and remain open until programs are full. There are a handful of exceptions with hard

September 30<sup>th</sup> to October 6<sup>th</sup> from 4 - 7 pm PDT.

# CANADIAN UNIVERSITIES EVENT © © ©

The updated dates and times for the

Canadian Universities Event 2021 event are as follows:

Virtual Fair Time and Dates

- September 27, 28, 29 (Monday to Wednesday) 4 pm -7 pm (PDT)
- October 2 (Saturday) 10 am 1 pm (PDT)
- October 4, 5, 6 (Monday to Wednesday) 4 pm 7 pm (PDT)

To Register go to: https://cuebc.org/

For more events online go to the Career Centre website: <a href="https://portal.sd38.bc.ca/public/du602hu/Pages/Post%20Secondary%20Institution">https://portal.sd38.bc.ca/public/du602hu/Pages/Post%20Secondary%20Institution</a>'s.aspx#/=

# Check out these Job Boards for student work:

https://www.bcjobs.ca/

https://www.go2hr.ca/

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

Tsawwassen mills

MacArthur Glen Outlets





The Quest for Excellence program is a bursary program for grade 12 students in Western Canada. It was established by RE/MAX of Western Canada to recognize the success and ongoing pursuits of Western Canadian students in regard to leadership and community contribution initiatives.

# What is Awarded?

RE/MAX of Western Canada will award 16 bursaries of \$1,000 each to qualifying Grade 12 students. In addition, each award includes a Certificate of Excellence signed by the Regional Executive Vice President of RE/MAX of Western Canada. Winners will be notified in April 2022.

## Who Can Participate?

The Quest for Excellence is open to all Grade 12 students attending high school from September 2021 – June 2022, Grade 12 students may not have particip

- British Columbia
- AlbertaSaskatchewar
- Manitoba
   Vukon Territor

# What is Required?

Students are to convey the contributions they have made to their communities in a short online essay, maximum 1,250 words. Key qualities students should demonstrate are leadership, motivation and communication skills. Other attributes may include volunteering, participation in charitable events or fundraising, and

SUBMIT ESSAY HERE

RE/MAX 2022 Quest for Excellence program will open for submission on September 13th, 2021 until March 14th, 202

For questions regarding this program, please email ksheppy@remax.net

Note: All entries become the property of RE/MAX of Western Canada and photos and names of winners may be used in print publications and media

# SEEKING MORE SCHOLARSHIPS! GO TO THE CAREER CENTRE WEBSITE AT:

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

TO RECEIVE UPDATES REGULARLY Subscribe to Careers and Post-Secondary Education on MYSCHOOLDAY APP at: https://portal.myschoolday.app/home.php?s=jnburnett

# BECOME A HOMESTAY AT THE RICHMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Richmond School District is seeking short and long term homestays for international students from over 30 countries starting immediately.

We have over 20 years of experience supporting students and homestays in the Richmond area. Get in touch with our homestay department to learn more about how you can welcome an international student into your home.

# FUNDRAISER BOTTLE DRIVE

Simply drop off any recyclable drink containers in a clear bag to a ReturnIT facility (like Blundell Centre) and print off a sticker with this code:

1234567890

and all funds will go towards supporting theatre for students at Burnett. Or bring it in to the school- your choice. So easy and it makes a big difference! Thank you!

# 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



Hi Parents,

Happy October!

Thank you for joining the first PAC meeting in September. We were very happy to meet the new parents of our Grade 8 students.

We were saddened to hear of Mr. Gault's passing this past summer. He was a teacher that inspired students whom he taught at Burnett several years ago. As stated on his memorial page, his family is accepting donations in David's memory. All proceeds may be made to the Canadian Mental Health Association at <a href="mailto:cmha.ca">cmha.ca</a>

David Gault's Memorial Page: https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/vancouver-bc/david-gault-10343094

# **Our Mission in October:**

- PAC Meeting: October 7, 2021 at 7:00 pm
- Annual PAC Budget Approval

# **Dry Grad:**

- We are seeking for a Dry Grad Chair member!
- If you are interested in being involved in your kid's big day and party, please kindly email me at connie\_bobo@hotmail.com and I will connect you to the Grade 12 Parent's committee.

Connie Huang PAC Chair