February 14 - 18, 2022				
Monday February 14	Tuesday February 15	Wednesday February 16	Thursday February 17	Friday February 18
Happy Valentine's Day!!!			24 Hour famine PAC Meeting (7PM)	District wide PRO-D Day (school closed)

#### MANDATORY DAILY HEALTH DECLARATION

Before coming to school, parents and students need to review the Mandatory Daily Health Declaration – this document is provided on our website **HERE**.

#### DRY GRAD INFORMATION

Important upcoming dates:

- <u>Neufeld Farms:</u> February 14-28. Pick up from Hugh Boyd March 8. More details to come.
- Purdy's Easter: February 2-March 29. Pick up from Boyd April 13. Times TBA. See link here.
- Online Silent Auction: <u>32auctions.com</u>. April 4-19.
   More details to follow
- Fundscrip: Last Day to order is April 30. Go here to support.

If you have questions, please contact Melissa at <a href="melissbalback@yahoo.ca">melissbalback@yahoo.ca</a> Hugh Boyd Dry Grad Committee

# PRO-D DAY FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18<sup>TH</sup>

Just a reminder to all Hugh Boyd families that **Friday**, **February 18<sup>th</sup>** is a **Professional Development Day** and *school will be closed*. This will make for a 4-day weekend for students as **Monday**, **February 21<sup>st</sup>** is the Provincial **Family Day holiday**.

### **GRADUATE INFORMATION NEEDED**

Grad Valedictory planning has been under way for some time. Due to evolving COVID-19 health regulations, we still cannot confirm exactly what Hugh Boyd's 2022 Valedictory Ceremony will look like. However, we appreciate your patience and will update you once we are able to confirm details. In the meantime, we are proceeding with planning and need your assistance:

- We are collecting personalized Valedictory write-ups that are read as students cross the stage. Please submit a Valedictory write-up to be read at the ceremony. Deadline to complete is April 8, 2022. Please click on this link to complete the survey
- Hugh Boyd Valedictory scholarship applications are now available. Deadline to complete is also April 8, 2022. Click on this <u>link</u> to complete the application
- The survey to collect grad gown sizes is due on February 25, 2022. Please complete the <u>survey</u> if you have not already done so

Please reach out to Mrs. Hui at <a href="mailto:shui@sd38.bc.ca">shui@sd38.bc.ca</a> if you have any questions.

#### **UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER:**

Feb 17: 24 Hour Famine

Feb 18: District-wide PRO-D (school closed)

Feb 21: Family Day (*school closed*) Feb 23: Pink Shirt day (anti-bullying)

Feb 25: Grade 10 MYP Personal Project Presentations

#### PROGRAM PLANNING INFORMATION

Counsellors made presentations to all returning Hugh Boyd students on February 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. Students were advised about course offerings, Grad requirements and how to select courses they want in 2022-23. The window for making your selections is *now open* and *closes on February 25<sup>th</sup>*. It is important that you tell us what you want to take next year, so we can build our timetable with this information. Please review the information on our website here and if you don't know how to login to the MyEdBC Student Portal to make your selections, go here.

#### SEMESTER ONE REPORT CARDS

Semester One Final Report Cards were published to the MyEdBC Parent Portal on **Thursday, February 10**<sup>th</sup>. Please look at your child's Report Card with them and if you haveany questions, please contact the school or your child's teacher(s) directly. If you cannot recall how to login to the Portal, please see the instructions on our website here.

#### SWIS VIDEO FEBRUARY ANNOUCEMENT

SWIS Activities for February 2022-Adult Program Tips for successful students. Information regarding how to support children to achieve their goals. Click on the video link here.

#### **PAC MEETING**

The next PAC meeting is scheduled for **Thursday**, **February 17**<sup>th</sup> **at 7:00 PM via Teams**. All parents are invited. We will be joined by a special guest. **Trustee Heather Larsen** will be in attendance to answer any questions you may have. The Teams meeting link will be sent to all families next week. We hope to see you all there!

## **BLOOD DONATION AWARENESS**

The **Richmond Blood Fund** is a student-run, virtual blood donation awareness campaign working to raise awareness for the Canadian Blood Services and the shortage of blood in Canada and increase the donation rate in our local community. Follow <u>@richmondbloodfund</u> on Instagram. We will be posting information about eligibility, how to donate, and how to show your participation in the drive.

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