

## May 2 – May 6, 2022

Monday May 2	Tuesday May 3	Wednesday May 4	Thursday May 5	Friday May 6
		<i>Collaoration Day Late Start (9:55 am)</i>		

**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](#).

**CHANGES TO HEALTH PROTOCOLS**

Health and Safety protocols in schools have not been eased. All students and staff must continue to perform **Daily Health Checks** and stay home when sick, but wearing a mask is now a personal choice. We encourage all to sanitize hands and maintain distance where possible and *appreciate your continued efforts to maintain health and respect choices about masks*.

**TIMETABLE STRUCTURE FOR 2022-23**

All Richmond high schools are presently reviewing the results of the structures surveys and will *very soon* be making decisions about next year. We are debating between **Semester** and **Linear** and if/where to incorporate **Personalized Learning Time**. *We hope to communicate the decision regarding structure by mid-May. Thank you for your patience.*

**GRAD EVENTS**

We are so excited that events for the Graduates of 2022 are taking place again this year after two years without. Already, the Grads have enjoyed the *Black and White Dance*, and on **May 19<sup>th</sup>**, we have booked the *Grad Boat Cruise*. Tickets are on sale now, but to confirm the event, we need people to **buy their tickets ASAP**. *Ticket sales close on May 12<sup>th</sup>, so buy yours now! If we do not sell enough, we may have to cancel!* Please be advised that due to COVID protocols in schools, **guests are not permitted at this event-Grads of Hugh Boyd only!**

**PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES**

Parent-Teacher Conferences took place last week on April 27<sup>th</sup> (2:00-4:00) and April 28<sup>th</sup> (2:00-4:00 & 6:0-8:00). Hopefully, everyone who wanted to was able to connect with their child's teachers. All conferences took place virtually (by telephone or Teams or Zoom conference). If you were unable to make an appointment, but still have questions for your child's teacher(s), please contact the teachers by email or call the school and our staff will be sure to connect with you.

**UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER:**

April 30: Eid-al-Fitr (*last day of Ramadan*)  
 May 4: Collaboration Day (*late start 9:55AM*)  
 May 16-19: At-Risk Interims sent home  
 May 19: MYP Service forms due  
 May 19: Grad Boat Cruise  
 May 20: Pro D Day (*no classes in session*)  
 May 23: Victoria Day (*school closed*)  
 May 26: PAC Meeting (7:00 PM)

**SUMMER SCHOOL OFFERINGS**

**Summer School and Richmond Virtual School 2022** are now taking registrations. If you need to complete courses or wish to take some specific interests online this summer, please visit [RVS](#) or [Continuing Education](#) to learn more.

**GRAD LITERACY ASSESSMENT**

Grade 12s wrote the **GLA 12** this past week. This Graduation requirement **MUST** be done to finish high school, so *if you missed your sitting, please see Mrs. McColl or Mrs. Hui and get registered for the June 13-17 session*. The **June session** is for **Grade 10 students to write the Grad Numeracy 10 Assessment** (*look for you name and time if in Grade 10*), but we can fit in a few Grade 12s who may have missed the **GLA 12. Get signed up if you missed the GLA 12.**

**HUGH BOYD TALENT SHOW**

Congratulations to all the *incredibly talented and courageous performers* who signed up to compete in the **Boyd's Got Talent Show**. All the performers did a wonderful job, impressed the audience members and did themselves proud. Kudos to the contestants and thank you to the Student Council for organizing this fun event. Special recognition goes out the Talent Show Champion, Grade 9 **Matthew Mintsis** and his stirring rendition of Elton John's *Your Song*. **Well done, Matt!**

**INCIDENT AT HUGH BOYD**

As many are aware, there was a serious incident at Hugh Boyd on Thursday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at lunch. Some media stories have misrepresented what occurred, and while it was very unsettling, it was handled *very effectively* by Student First Responders and several staff-**thank you to all involved!** Richmond School District is continuing the investigation with the school and RCMP and we will ensure that safety at Hugh Boyd remains of paramount importance. Extra Counselling is in place again next week, so anyone who is struggling with what they witnessed can be supported. *If you have questions or concerns, please contact Mr. Leslie at the Hugh Boyd office.*

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