## **Hugh Boyd Secondary School Newsletter May 2022**





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#### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGES

**BY** Mr. J. Leslie (Principal)

As we come to the end of May and enter the final month of the school year, the *excitement is beginning to escalate!* Special events are happening all around the school and **Awards celebrations** and **Graduation events** are now just around the corner! It is a very busy time of year, and students and parents are reminded to keep their lives balanced and healthy. Studies are important, and all the final exams that are on the horizon are sure to bring some stress. Be sure to get lots of sleep, eat properly and get some exercise. If you stay organized, you will be much more able to enjoy all the important year end activities.

The Grads of 2022 now get to enjoy a Rehearsal and BBQ on Wednesday, June 1<sup>st</sup> and then the Commencement Ceremony on June 4<sup>th</sup> at the UBC Chan Centre. And still to come is the Dinner/Dance and Dry After Grad party on June 24<sup>th</sup>. We will also have our Grade 10 students write their Graduation Numeracy Assessment the week of June 13-17, so please be sure you look at the schedule to see what time you write this Graduation Requirement exam!

We will have our **Awards ceremonies** on **Friday, June 24**<sup>th</sup>, where we will recognize the fantastic achievements of so many of our students. Special thanks go out to **Ms. Hui, Ms. Mahli, Ms. Lacson** and all our Educational Facilitators and Awards committee members for working so hard to organize the ceremony and collect all the nominations. Our students have once again done us proud. So, to all the winners of each of the awards we are excited to give out on June 24<sup>th</sup>, **Congratulations!!!** 

We will also be distributing **Yearbooks on June 24**<sup>th</sup>, so all students will need to ensure all fees are paid and textbooks returned to get their yearbook. **Student Council** will also be hosting a **Year End Carnival** from **1:00-3:30 on June 24**<sup>th</sup>. There will be lots of fun activities as we get ready to say goodbye for the summer. June 24<sup>th</sup> promises to be a busy and fun-filled day! **Report Cards** will be published to the **Parent Portal on June 29**<sup>th</sup>. *There is still lots on the horizon, so be ready!* 

It has been another great month at the home of the Trojans, and we are eagerly anticipating the last few great events on the horizon in June. We hope to see many of our parents and community members there! --Mr. Jason Leslie



#### MISSION STATEMENT

Hugh Boyd develops compassionate and respectful young adults who are well-balanced, principled inquires with an understanding of their responsibilities within society and as global citizens. Students balance academic excellencewith attributes that allow them to realize their potential as whole learners in a dynamic and complex world.

### **Important Dates**



#### **JUNE 2022**

Wed. Jun 1Collaboration Day-late start 9:55
Grad BBQ and Grad Rehearsal
Sat. June 4Valedictory Ceremony at UBC Chan Center at 1 pm
Mon. Jun 13-17GNA 10 Exams
Tues. Jun 21National Indigenous Peoples Day
Thurs. Jun 23Student Council Spring Fling (3-4 pm)
Fri. Jun 24Last Day of Semester 2 classes
,Yearbook Distribution
School Carnival (starting at 1:00) and Yearbooks
Awards ceremonies form Grade 8-11 students
Grad Dinner/Dance and Dry After Grad
MYP Service Due
Wed. Jun 29Report Cards Published
Thurs. June 30Administrative Day (no school)
Summer Vacation Starts

### NOTICE OF LATE RETURN



Our first day of school will be **Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022**. If you cannot attend on the first day of class, Please complete this "*Notice of Late Return*" form and email it back to Boyd at boyd@sd38.bc.ca

#### Counsellors

Mr. G. Reid: A-L

greid@sd38.bc.ca

Ms. T. Babecoff-Kimhi: M-Z tbabecoffkimhi@sd38.bc.ca

Career Counsellor and Scholarship Resource

Ms. J. Jones - jojones@sd38.bc.ca
Office Hours: Mon & Wed 8:00 - 3:30

Career Centre Website Facebook Page:

"Ms. Jones Career Centre News"

**Library Services** 

Teacher Librarian: Ms. J. Leung Library Technician: Ms. S. Moor

Website

**Hugh Boyd Library Learning Commons HUB** is open Monday-Thursday 8:00-4:00, and Friday from 8:00-3:30. A safe space for students to collaborate in groups or find a quiet place sit, eat, and relax. Students can sign out technology like laptops, Ipads, podcasting microphones, headphones, and more. Students can use the 3D printer, desktops for printing, or use three collaboration screens for projects.

Everyone is welcome!

The late return form (can be found on the school website) is to be completed for any student(s) who expects to return to school **LATER THAN 12:00 pm Wednesday**, **Sep. 7, 2022.** Please complete this form and return to the school principal before **June 24, 2022**. If a student is **not** returning on or before **September 16, 2022**, a school cannot reserve a spot guaranteeing the ability to be enrolled in the school. There may be a need for placement at another school upon the students' late return.

In the event of an unforeseen critical family circumstance occurring on or after July 1, 2022, that causes an unexpected late return to the school, the parent must advise the school as soon as possible by email via the school website or by letter directed to the Principal.

### **HOMESTAYS NEEDED**

The Richmond School District is seeking short- and longer-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.



### GRAD LITERACY ASSESSMENT



Grade 12s wrote the **GLA 12** during the week of May week. This Graduation requirement **MUST** be done to finish high school, so *if you missed your sitting, please see Mrs. McColl or Mrs. Mahli 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.** 

### **CONGRATULATIONS!!**



Congratulations to our Educational Assistant Shaida Rahemtulla, for achieving the 25 years of service award with the Richmond School District. You are an inspiration to others. Your dedication to your work is exemplary. Thank you for making a difference in our lives. *Happy "work" anniversary!* 

Congratulations also must go out to Ms. Lana Chu who has announced her retirement from teaching. She has had an exemplary career, teaching ELL and Math for the past 30 years in Richmond and the last 8 years at Hugh Boyd. Good luck in the next chapter of your life and enjoy your retirement, Ms. Chu!



### **TIMETABLE STRUCTURE FOR 2022-23**

The Hugh Boyd Timetable Structure for 2022-23 has been decided. Boyd will be using a **Semester model** (4 classes for half the year, then 4 new courses in the second half). Start and end times remain 8:30 AM and 3:00 PM with 10 minutes between classes and a 45-minute lunch. Personalized Learning Time will return to Boyd, offered from 8:30-9:25 AM on Tuesdays and Thursdays, where students can get additional help from the teacher(s) of their choice. See below for the schedule. We will follow next year. If you have questions about this model, please contact the school.

MON		
Α	8:30 AM	9:50 AM
BREAK	9:50	10:00
В	10:00 AM	11:20 AM
BREAK	11:20AM	11:30
С	11:30 AM	12:50 PM
LUNCH	12:50	13:35
D	1:40 PM	3:00 PM

	TUES	
PLT	8:30 AM	9:25 AM
BREAK	9:25	9:30
Α	9:30 AM	10:35 AM
BREAK	10:35	10:45
В	10:45 AM	11:50 AM
BREAK	11:50	12:00
С	12:00 PM	1:05 PM
LUNCH	13:05	13:50
D	1:55 PM	3:00 PM

WED		
В	8:30 AM	9:50 AM
BREAK	9:50	10:00
Α	10:00 AM	11:20 AM
BREAK	11:20	11:30
D	11:30 AM	12:50 PM
LUNCH	12:50	1:35
С	1:40 PM	3:00 PM

THURS		
PLT	8:30 AM	9:25 AM
BREAK	9:25	9:30
В	9:30 AM	10:35 AM
BREAK	10:35	10:45
Α	10:45 AM	11:50 AM
BREAK	11:50	12:00
D	12:00 PM	1:05 PM
LUNCH	1:05	1:50
С	1:55 PM	3:00 PM

	FRI	
Α	8:30 AM	9:50 AM
BREAK	9:50	10:00
В	10:00 AM	11:20 AM
BREAK	11:20	11:30
С	11:30 AM	12:50 PM
LUNCH	12:50	1:35
D	1:40 PM	3:00 PM
***ALTERNATE DAY 1/2 ROTATIONS		



The FINAL Report Card for school year will be published to the Parent Portal on Wednesday, June 29th. All parents have seen instructions for how to access these online accounts. You should be able to access the Parent Portal through the link: https://www.myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspen/logon.do. If you cannot remember how to access, please see the instructions posted to the website **HERE**.

# **LAST DAY OF CLASSES-JUNE 24:**

### YEARBOOKS, GRADE 8-11 AWARDS AND CARNIVAL

The last day of classes at Hugh Boyd is scheduled to be Friday, June 24th and it promises to be a fun-filled and memorable day! We will be distributing Yearbooks in first period and will then host Awards ceremony assemblies for Grade 8-11 students (Grade 8 in A block, Gr 9 in B block, Gr 10 in C block and Gr 11 in D block). In these assemblies we will distribute Service, Athletics, Performance certificates. We will also recognize Top Scholar, Top Athlete, Top Service, and Top Performing Artists in each grade. Along with these acknowledgements will also be our **Top Student in each subject** as well as our **Top All Around students** at each Grade.

We will dismiss classes on June 24th at 1:00 PM and Student Council will host a Year-End Carnival on the outside fields with all kinds of fun activities like an obstacle course, a dunk tank and a variety of games and carnival contests. The last day will be an opportunity to acknowledge your peers, sign some yearbooks, engage in fun activities with your friends and make some memories. Be sure you are there and thank you to Student Council and to all our staff for nominating all our Award winners!!

### **COURSE SELECTIONS FOR 2022-23**

Students should have completed all their course selections for 2022-23. **Check you MyEdBC account** to ensure you have 8 courses listed in your course requests. We are now building the Timetable and any changes you wish to make AFTER it is built are MUCH harder to accommodate. If you need to make a change, you need to see your Counsellor ASAP. We are hoping the 2022-23 schedule will be available to students in early June. Students will be able to make change requests through an online form but be advised that changes will be difficult. **This information will be made available to students in the first week of June. Stay tuned!** 

### **YEARBOOKS**

*Did you buy your yearbook yet?* If not, it is not too late, but we have a limited number remaining. Yearbooks will be given out in first period on **June 24**th, and all fees must be paid, and textbooks returned to claim yours. Make sure you have ordered your Yearbook and settled all outstanding fees. You will not want to go without on June 24th when everyone else is signing Yearbooks. See **Mr. Smythe** or **Ms. Robinson** in the **Busines Assistant** office to buy your Yearbook now. **The cost is \$45** 

### VALEDICTORY CEREMONY



The Valedictory ceremony is fast approaching. Please check *School Cash Online* to confirm that you are registered to attend this event. There will be a **rehearsal** on **Wednesday**, **June 1**<sup>st</sup> and the big event happens at **1:00 PM on Saturday**, **June 4**<sup>th</sup> **at the UBC Chan Centre**. All Grads will be given **2 tickets** with their cap and gown at the rehearsal, but if you want to buy more tickets, **don't delay**. Buy your tickets now through *School Cash Online-click HERE*! The ceremony promises to be a highlight of the year and it is the first time in three years we have been able to have it "in-person". We are very much looking forward to it and advise parents and students not to delay buying tickets for your family members.

### **DINNER/DANCE AND DRY AFTER GRAD ON JUNE 24**

Tickets are still on sale for Grade 12 students who want to attend the **Dinner/Dance** and **Dry After Grad** on **June 24**<sup>th</sup>. Please check your School Cash Online account (<u>HERE</u>) to ensure you are registered, and if not, please pay ASAP so you can be part of the fun! The **Dinner Dance costs \$130** and the **Dry After Grad costs \$90**. <u>Get signed up and pay your fee so you do not miss out on the fun!</u>

### **HUGH BOYD ATHLETICS**



Congratulations to all Hugh Boyd Spring Sport teams. Senior Girls Soccer came up one win away from qualifying for Provincial Championships, losing in overtime in the semi-finals of the South Fraser Zone Championships. Senior Golf finished one spot out of the BCs at the Zone playoffs and our volleyball teams represented themselves extremely well. We also had our athletes participate in the Provincial Championships in Ultimate Frisbee, and several Trojans qualified for the South Fraser Zone Championships in Track and Field. Well done, Trojans and thank you to all our coaches, sponsors and referees, scorekeepers and fans, and our very dedicated and organized Athletic Director, Ms. Hayden!

### **GRAD PRANKS**

Each year the district spends thousands of dollars dealing with instances of vandalism in the name of "*Grad Pranks*". Sadly, many of these pranks are destructive, harmful, and put people at risk. This is not a legacy we want our Grads to leave, so we are asking everyone to do their part to minimize these disruptions. We recognize that many of these acts are carried out by a small number of people, but you can do your part by discouraging others from participating. **Do the right thing, and help us spread the word.** 

### **SUMMER SCHOOL**

**Richmond Summer School and 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.

# **HUGH BOYD 2022-23 CALENDAR AT A GLANCE**

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New Student Orientation	Wednesday, August 31
Schools Open-HRs and Assemblies	Tuesday, September 6
First Day of Semester 1 Classes	Wednesday, September 7
Grade 8 Activity Week	September 7-9
Meet the Teacher Night (Semester 1)	Thursday, September 2.2
Terry Fox Run	Thursday, September 22
Non-Instructional Professional Development Day	Friday, September 23
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	Finday, September 30
Collaboration Day	Wednesday October 5
Thanksgiving Day	Monday October 10
Semester One Interm Reports	Fnday, October 21
Non-Instructional Professional Development Day (District Wide)	Fnday October 21
GNA 10, GLA 10, GLA 12 Exams	October 31-November 4
Collaboration Day	Wednesday November 2
Daylight Savings ends	Sunday, November 6
Remembrance Day Assembly	Thursday November 10
Remembrance Day (school closed)	Fnay November 11
Report Cards Published (Semester 1: Term 1)	Friday November 18
Parent Teacher Conferences (2 – 4 pm)	Wednesday November 23
Parent Teacher Conferences (2 – 4 pm & 6 – 8 pm)	Thursday November 24
Non-Instructional Professional Development Day	Friday, November 25
Collaboration Day	Wednesday December 7
Last day before holidays-Breakfast with Santa	Friday, December 16
Winter Vacation Penod	December 19 to January 2
Schools Reopen after Winter Vacation	Tuesday January 3
Lunar New Year-Year of the Rabbit	Sunday, January 22
GNA 10, GLA 10, GLA 12 Exams	January 23-27
Open House, Sem 2 Meet the Teacher, Program Planning Info Night	Thursday January 26
Last Day of Semester One classes	Thursday January 26
Non-Instructional Professional Development Day	Friday, January 27
Semester Turn Around Day (no classes in session)	Monday, January 30
First Day of Semiester 2. classes	Tuesday January 31
Collaboration Day	Wednesday February 1
Report Cards Issued (Semester 1 – Final)	Finday February 3
Non-Instructional Professional Development Day	Friday February 17
BC Family Day	Monday February 20
Pink Shirt Day-Anti-Bullying	Wednesday, February 22
Grade 10 MYP Personal Project Exhibition	Thursday, February 23
Collaboration Day	Wednesday March 1
Semester 2 Interim Reports	Friday, March 10
Daylight Savings begins	Sunday, March 12
Spring Vacation Period	March 13 to March 24
School Reopns after Spring Break	Monday March 27
Collaboration Day	Wednesday April 5
Good Friday	Finday April 7
Easter Monday	Monday April 10
Report Cards Published (Semester 2: Term 1)	Friday April 21
GNA 10, GLA 10, GLA 12 Exems	April 24-28
Parent Teacher Conferences (2 – 4 pm)	Wednesday April 26
Parent Teacher Conferences (2 – 4 pm & 6 – 8 pm)	Thursday April 27
Collaboration Day	Wednesday May 3
Non-Instructional Professional Development Day (District Wide)	Friday May 19
Victoria Day	Monday May 22
Valedictory Ceremony	Saturday June 3
Collaboration Day	Wednesday June 7
GNA 10, GLA 10, GLA 12 Exams	June 19-23
Last Day of Semester 2 classes	Fnday June 23
Final Report Cards Published Administrative Day-Schools Closed	Thursday June 29
	Finday June 30

### LIBRARY LEARING COMMONS

Mon-Thurs 8:00AM-4:00PM; Fri 8:00AM-3:30PM

#### **National Indigenous History Month:**

June is National Indigenous History Month. During this time, the Library Learning Commons will have displays focusing on the history of Indigenous Peoples in BC, as well as celebrating the culture and knowledge of First Peoples and their impacts. The Boyd Library Learning Commons has one of the most extensive collections of resources in Richmond. Students, staff, and parents are more than welcome to sign out resources over the summer to increase their own learning. There will be school wide displays and activities as well. Please check the Library website for more details. Just go to Hugh Boyd's school website and click on the "Library" tab at the top. You can also follow us on Instagram @hughboydlibrary.

#### **Final Return Dates for Library Materials:**

The final return dates for all resources taken out from the library is **June 13, 2022**. If you have material that you need to return, just put it in the Return box outside the library. If students still need resources for classes until the end of the year, please speak to Ms. Leung or Ms. Moor. Otherwise, the charge for the book will be applied for the end of the year. If you would like to sign out books and resources out for the summer, let us know as well, so we can adjust the due date for school return in September. Happy reading!

#### Resources for Media, Digital, and Information Literacy:

Did you know we have lots of resources for students to help them understand the world around them? Whether it's monitoring social media/cell phone use, debunking false information, or how to plow through myriads of information out there in this age of information overload, we have materials for students and guardians to check out. As a teacher librarian, it is my role to teach these skills to students. I am often able to do so through classes that come down for lessons on information literacy and research. However, these skills are best practiced when all stakeholders are on the same page in guiding students through these turbulent times. The following resources are just some that are available for loan:

- They're watching you: personal privacy on social media by Alexis Burling
  - o Explores the various ways to be safe on social media, including being smart about personal privacy
- True or False: A CIA analysts guide to spotting fake news by Cindy L. Otis
  - Explores the history of fake news and how to spot it.
- Debunk it! How to stay same in a world of misinformation by John Grant
  - o In an era of misinformation, much of it spread by authority figures, apps and websites, it is difficult to know what is true. The author uses contemporary, ripped from the headlines examples to clearly explain how to identify bad evidence and poor arguments, summarizes the rhetorical tricks people use to mislead, and offers advice about how to deal with people who intentionally misinform.
- You're addicted to your phone: how to break the habit by Taylor Morris
  - Explores how to wean teens off constant phone use, including the physical and emotional repercussions.
- Think for yourself: The Ultimate Guide to Critical Thinking in an Age of Information Overload
  - Shows how to think more deeply about your own life and current events. You'll learn how to ask questions, analyze evidence, and use logic to draw conclusions so you can solve problems and make smart decisions. All it takes is a little curiosity and an open mind!





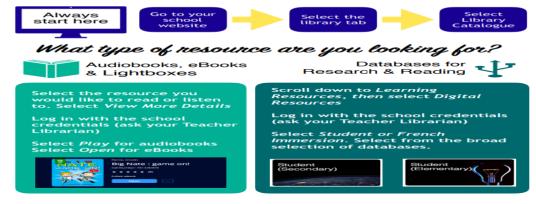






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#### Accessing Your School Library's Digital Resources





### **CAREER CENTER**

#### WEBSITES: PROVIDES WEEKLY UPDATES ON POST SECONDARY, CAREER AND SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Ms. Jones Career Centre Website:

https://msjonescareercentre.wordpress.com

Facebook Page "Ms. Jones Career Centre News":

### **POST-SECONDARY PLANNING**

<u>Education Planner</u>: <u>www.educationplanner.ca</u> EducationPlannerBC is an education planning tool that provides students with clear, reliable and detailed information on BC post- secondary education and applying. Log on and create an account. <u>myBlueprint</u> is a comprehensive education and career/life planning program with the tools students need to make the most informed decisions about their future.

'NEW' myBlueprint: <a href="www.myBlueprint.ca/sd38">www.myBlueprint.ca/sd38</a>. For students who haven't created their account, please follow these instructions: Getting Started:

- 1. Visit <a href="www.myBlueprint.ca/sd38">www.myBlueprint.ca/sd38</a>
- 2. Click Sign Up
- 3. Select your school from the drop-down menu and click Create Account.
- 4. When prompted to select your account type, click on Student, select your grade, and click Continue
- 5. Enter your Education Number (PEN number) and Personal Info and click Continue 6. Enter the Account Info, and agree





### APPLYING TO COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Not too late to apply to a college. Check program requirements and apply ASAP!

Most university deadlines have now passed but some may still be accepting applications. Please check with the specific institution's website before applying or see Ms Jones.

Most universities will have separate deadlines for documents, grades, transcripts, and addition information required for admission. Please check their website for more information on these upcoming deadlines.

### SENDING GRADES TO POST-SECONDARY

All students should have now completed their Student Transcripts Service (STS) Online Choices Form. The STS is an online service for students to view their marks, scholarships, and transcripts, and send transcripts to post-secondary institutions. To access the service, visit the Ministry of Education's Order Transcripts and Certificates website HERE. IMPORTANT NOTE! For those student's applying to Ontario Institutions, make sure you have listed OUAC (Ontario University Application Ctr) as one of your options on the student transcript form.

#### **OFFERS OF ADMISSION**

Grade 12 students, who have applied to a university/college for entry in Sept. are reminded to regularly check the institution's secured student website/portal for new messages. Many sites require students to use the Identification Number that was noted on their confirmation letter or email, along with a password. These sites contain important details regarding transcript submission, self-reporting, admission offers, course pre-requisites, registration, deadline dates, contact information, grades, etc.



#### **ACCEPTED YOUR OFFER: NOW WHAT?**

Check your emails for next-steps instructions – pay attention to deadlines – each university will have a specific deadline to accept an offer, apply for residence and more! - Make sure you follow your post-secondary school's instructions exactly and pay your deposit to confirm acceptance. Many colleges and universities offer workshops for new students, these workshops will teach you about: ~First year course planning - registration "how-to's. ~Tips for success ~Campus Services & more.

#### **STUDENT LOANS**

Applications usually open in early June, for details visit: <a href="https://studentaidbc.ca/apply/how-to-apply">https://studentaidbc.ca/apply/how-to-apply</a>

#### GR 10's & 11's: TIME TO START PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

Planning on Attending a USA or Int'l post-secondary institution after graduation?

Make sure you are familiar with, and have met, all the admission requirements

Many institutions begin accepting applications as early as Sept of your grade 12 year.

### ARRANGE FOR A POST-SECONDARY TOUR OVER THE SUMMER

- BCIT: https://www.bcit.ca/about/visit/tours/
- Capilano: <a href="https://www.capilanou.ca/programs--courses/get-started/visit-capu/">https://www.capilanou.ca/programs--courses/get-started/visit-capu/</a>
- Emily Carr: <a href="https://www.ecuad.ca/admissions/meet-us">https://www.ecuad.ca/admissions/meet-us</a>
- Douglas: https://www.douglascollege.ca/future-students/explore-douglas/take-campus-tour
- Kwantlen: <a href="https://www.kpu.ca/future-students/campus-tour">https://www.kpu.ca/future-students/campus-tour</a>
- Langara: <a href="https://langara.ca/about-langara/index.html">https://langara.ca/about-langara/index.html</a>
- VCC: https://www.vcc.ca/connect/student-recruiters/tours-request-form/
- SFU: http://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/campus-tours.html
- UBC: https://vou.ubc.ca/tours-info-sessions/campus-tours/
- UVic: <a href="https://www.uvic.ca/campus/tours-and-visits/index.php">https://www.uvic.ca/campus/tours-and-visits/index.php</a>

### RICHMOND DISTRICT CAREERS PROGRAMS (GRADE 10-12)

NOTE: Although the application deadline for Youth Train in Trades Programs has passed, some programs may still have spots. Please see your counsellor or career advisor ASAP if you are interested in either plumbing or cooking

- The Career Programs Office offers students in Richmond School District with opportunities to explore a variety of career options while still in high school. Whether students decide to pursue college, university or work after high school, these options open doors and allow students to:
  - o get a head start in a chosen career path while still in high school
  - o acquire skills relevant to today's labor market needs
  - o have flexibility and choice with respect to how, when and where learning takes place
- The *Youth Train in Trades* programs offer hands-on skills acquisition through post-secondary technical training to students in grades 11/12 (apply in grades 10/11). The first level of tuition is FREE (savings of ~\$2500-4000) paid for by the Richmond School Board.
- The *Youth Work in Trades* program means students aged 15-19 "*earn while they learn*", acquiring high school credits and industry credentialing in recognized trade, while in high school.
- Throughout the school year, the <u>Career Programs Office</u> strives to engage students, educators, parents, and the Richmond community to learn more about the skilled trades and other career areas by offering a variety of professional learning opportunities, activities, and events. Our office is available for classroom presentations and can facilitate student try-a-trade experiences at various post-secondary schools. (Currently, these are virtual.)
- We offer several other career exploration opportunities. These are outlined in our Career Programs flyer (find in the "Programs" tab)
- We invite you to explore our website to learn more about the various career development resources available to help determine "A Future without Limits": https://careerprograms.sd38.bc.ca/

### **VOLUNTEER AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

**Richmond Cares Richmond Gives (RCRG)** – All Richmond students should contact this group to access student volunteer and leadership opportunities: <a href="https://rcrg.org/WhatWeDo/RCRGPrograms/information-volunteer-centre">https://rcrg.org/WhatWeDo/RCRGPrograms/information-volunteer-centre</a> Contact: 604.279.7020, Location: #190 – 7000 Minoru Blvd. Richmond, BC

The City of Richmond—The city of Richmond offers a wide variety of volunteer opportunities for students, adults, and seniors. To get started, visit website and register. To register as an individual, group, Richmond Public Library, or with Emergency Services, please click on the appropriate option. Alternatively, you can search for our current volunteer positions by using the Volunteer Opportunities Search, and then register as a volunteers once you have found a suitable opportunity: <a href="https://www.richmond.ca/parksrec/about/volunteer.htm">https://www.richmond.ca/parksrec/about/volunteer.htm</a>.

Service Canada Youth & Student Employment: https://www.canada.ca/en/services/jobs/opportunities/student.html

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED—Philippine Flag-Raising Ceremony**



Date : Saturday, June 11, 2022 Time : 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Place: Richmond City Hall Plaza

The *Multicultural Helping House Society* will be having a community event on **June 11th** at Richmond City Hall Plaza about **Filipino Flag Raising Ceremony**, as part of the celebration of

Filipino Heritage Month in June. They are looking for volunteers and will be giving away **free t-shirts** to those who sign up. If interested, please contact **SUCCESS** at (604)279-7180.

The Career Centre at Hugh Boyd is open Mon 8:00-3:00 and Wed 8:00-3:00 & alternating Fri's to answer any questions or provide assistance regarding post-secondary entry. Students/parents may book an appointment online at: https://boydcounselling.setmore.com/bookappointment