| October 24 - 20, 2022 | | | | | |
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| Monday Oct 24 | Tuesday Oct 25 | Wednesday Oct 26 | Thursday Oct 27 | Friday Oct 28 | |
| Diwali ABCD | PLT ABCD | Photo re-take day BADC | Post-Secondary BC Fair PLT BADC | BADC | |

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HEALTH DECLARATION

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

INTERIMS

Just a reminder to parents that Semester 1 interims will be published on Oct 21st for all students. The interim is an opportunity for teachers to communicate to parents about their child's progress at this time. Please have a conversation with your children about their progress and how they can seek to improve over the last half of the semester. To see your child's interim report, you will have to go to your MyEd parent portal or the student's portal account.

REPORTING INFORMATION SESSION FOR FAMILIES

Reporting is changing across the province. Please join District staff for an information session on K-12 reporting and what to expect in Richmond. This session is open to caregivers and staffs and will be recorded for future use. This session is a webinar on Zoom and will include an opportunity for questions.

WHEN: Oct. 25, 2022 at 6:00pm Vancouver TOPIC: K-12 Reporting Information for Parents

Please click the link below to join the webinar: https://sd38.zoom.us/j/63271614481 Webinar ID: 632 7161 4481 Passcode: 6000

DRY AFTER GRAD (DAG) FUNDRAISERS INFO DAG Fundraising volunteer – Parent only

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to distribute bottle drive flyers in the Boyd neighborhood next week, as well as pick up bottle donations on Sunday, Nov. 6th in the morning. Volunteers needed to help with the doughnut sales pick-up day on Friday, Nov. 18th. Please contact Carly at <u>hughboydpac@gmail.com</u> if you can help.

- SAVE YOUR BOTTLES! The Dry After Grad parent committee is holding a Bottle Drive fundraiser on Sunday, November 6th! Bottles will be picked up by volunteers or you can drop bottles and cans at the back of the school on <u>Sunday, November 6th between 9:00am –</u> <u>12:00pm.</u>
- SAVE THE DOUGHNUT! Krispy Kreme doughnuts FOR SALE! Ordering details coming soon.

"TAKE YOUR KIDS TO WORK DAY"

Parents and Guardians of Grade 9 students, **Nov 2nd** is "Take your kids to Work Day". This is a good opportunity to job shadow you and give your child a learning experience at your workplace. A completed permission form is required (see attached or at Boyd website) by **Oct. 28th**. Since it falls on Wednesday, Collaboration Day a late start at 9:50AM, please call the early warning line (604-668-7813) to excuse your child should you opt to keep your child at home and not participate in this event.

POST SECONDARY INSTITUTIONS (PSI) FAIR

Thanks to all the grade 12 students and families who attended the virtual Grade 12 Parent Night. Grades 10-12 students are invited to the PSI Fair which will be happening on Thursday, October 27 from 4:00 - 5:00pm in the lounge. Representatives from different Post-Secondary Institutions will be present. Students and families are welcome to attend.

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

- Oct 24: Diwali
- Oct. 26: Photo retake day
- Oct. 27: Post-Secondary BC Fair
- Oct. 31: Grad Assessment (GNA10/GLA10/12)
- Oct. 31: Halloween Nov.01: GLA 12 Provincial Assessments
- Nov.01: 24 Without
- Nov 02: Grade 9 Take Your Kids to Work Day
- Nov 02: Collaboration Day late start 9:50am

PROVINCIAL ASSESSMENTS GRAD LITERACY ASSESSMENT 12

The GLA 12 will take place for all Grade 12 students on **Tuesday**, **November 1st** unless otherwise specified. Students must know school log-in and password (same as TEAMS). Please see schedule below:

| TIME | LOCATION | LAST NAME BY ALPHA | |
|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 8:15 – 11:30 AM | LAB 226 | A - G | |
| 8:15 – 11:30 AM | CAD LAB (TECH ED) | H - M | |
| 12:00 – 3:15 PM | LAB 226 | MC – SAK | |
| 12:00 – 3:15 PM | CAD LAB (TECH ED) | SAL - Z | |

MYP SERVICE LEARNING

The 8, 9 and 10 MYP Grade Teams are live in MS Teams for all students. For each grade, we have created a place to find explanations, opportunities and the forms they need to be documenting their service learning and action. Service is a key component of MYP and well-rounded citizenship in our world. This is connected to our school mission statement and the ideals of the International Baccalaureate Programme.

"TRICK OR TREAT" OTHERS WITH RESPECT

Halloween can be fun. However, we need to be aware that celebrating Halloween needs to be fun for ALL and not at the expense of equity seeking groups. It is important to keep in mind that we need to be sensitive to groups that have been marginalized through mimicry and cultural appropriation during Halloween and other 'dress up' events. A few things to keep in mind that the following are NOT Costumes:

- RACE (black face/brown face)
- CULTURE (Indigenous regalia/dreadlocks)
- RELIGIOUS FAITH (religious figures/gods/saints/gurus/hijab
- GENDER (gender switching for humour or to mock)
- TRAUMA (hangman's noose/weapons)

PHOTO RETAKE DAY

Photo Retake Day will take place on Wednesday, Oct. 26th after lunch. Students will be called down by their last name and should remain in class until they are called. Photo retakes are restricted to those who didn't get a photo taken on the original day and those who have something wrong with their original picture (eyes closed, glare, bad position). Staff and students who missed photo day, as well as new students, get to have their photos taken first. Students who require a retake must bring their ID card to the camera. The photographer needs to scan the QR code on it.

24 WITHOUT

The 24 Without is coming up on **Tuesday**, **Nov** 1st. Students will go 24 hours without eating, handheld technology and make up to raise money for Rotary International's Child and Maternal Health Initiative. Students should be sure to hand in all forms to Mr. Aura. If you have any questions or want to support the event, please email Mr. Aura at <u>baura@sd38.bc.ca</u>

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