This Week in the Dog House 🧶



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Mar 12 to Mar 16th, 2018

28th edition

The week ahead...

MONDAY, MARCH 12th

- Girl's Rugby practice at 3:45 5:30 pm.
- Track Throwing practice @ lunch front field
- Interested in Rock Climbing? Meet Ms. Pampin in room A136 at the start of lunch.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13th

- Jr & Sr Boys' Rugby practice at 3:45 5:30pm
- Track Running practice @ 3:45pm front field
- Badminton Practice 3:30 5:00pm
- Staff Mtg. @ 3:45 pm in Learning Commons

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14th

- Track throwing practice @ lunch front field AND after school
- Girl's Rugby practice at 3:45 5:30pm.
- Skills Canada Regional Competition at Camosun College Interurban Campus

THURSDAY, MARCH 15th

- Track Running practice @ 3:45pm front field
- Badminton Practice 3:30 5:00pm

FRIDAY, MARCH 16th

• Girl's Rugby practice at 2:30 – 4:00 pm.

SUNDAY, APRIL 1st

• Track throwing, jumping, running practice @ RBSS 1:00pm.

Coming soon...

- Mar 17 St. Patrick's Day
- Mar 19 Apr 2 Spring Break (school not in session)
- Mar 30 Good Friday
- Apr 2 Easter Monday
- Apr 4 1st Track Meet @ UVIC 4 6pm
- Apr 6 Term Ends
- Apr 10 Dept. Head mtg @ 3:45pm Learning Commons
- Apr 10 PAC mtg @ 7pm Learning Commons
- Apr 10 Drygrad mtg @ 8pm Learning Commons

Reminder that Grade 10s should complete assignments #1-8 for #PlanningNotPlanning (Career Life Education 10). Assignments can all be found in the Google classroom, any questions come see us in room B210.

Interested in rock climbing? It's awesome! Belmont is offering a recreational rock climbing club! Please see Ms. Pampin in room A136 on Monday (March 12) at the start of lunch for details.

Congratulations to Ben C., Christine C., Blair T. and Isha C. who are members of the **BC RCMP Youth Advisory Committee (YAC)**. These students were selected from youth across BC to participate as youth advisors. Youth advisors connect with a diverse group and engage in an open, safe and lively discussion about issues affecting youth crime and victimization. They inform current and new youth issues, priorities and strategies for the RMCP. All four students were invited to attend the 2018 BC RCMP Youth Advisory Committee Workshop over on the mainland on March 2 -4, 2018. Ben, Christine and Isah attended the workshop and had the opportunity to network and connect with other YAC youth. For more information about the RCMP Youth Advisory Committee please see Mrs. Nicholson or Mrs. Hyde in the Career Centre.

Scholarship update

Note that this is the last update before spring break. The next update, on April 3, will outline many local scholarships that have due dates before the end of April, including the District 62 Scholarships, Belmont Scholarship Society Scholarships, and PAC Bursaries.

March 29 RBC Students Leading Change: Eight awards of \$10,000 are awarded to students who show a passion to lead and inspire positive change. Applicants will need to prepare an essay and apply on line at: https://contact.rbc.com/scholarship/form-page-1.php?lang=en

March 31 BC Aboriginal Student Award: The Victoria Foundation offers three award programs for Aboriginal students pursuing post-secondary education in BC. They are available to First Nations (status or non-status), Metis, or Inuit students. Apply at http://www.ikbbc.ca/aboriginal-awards/about-this-award/

April 1 West Shore RCMP Community Policing Advisory Committee Scholarships:

- 1. The Helping Professions Scholarship of \$500 is awarded to a student who is entering studies in the fields of policing, nursing, social work, justice studies, firefighting or counselling
- 2. The Full Potential Scholarship of \$1000 is awarded to a student in recognition of their ability to overcome adversity and who plans to pursue post-secondary education

For more information or to apply, use the scholarship weebly https://belmontscholarship.weebly.com/ or pick up a paper copy from the scholarship bin in the counselling suite.

April 1 Ian Ford Trust Fund Bursary: This bursary is available to a Vancouver Island student entering postsecondary next fall. Preference is given to students with financial need as well as reasonable grades and community involvement.

Athletics news...

Sr. Boys Basketball team represented us at the AAAA BC Championships and placed an amazing fourth place in a tremendously talented field.

Most Inspirational Team: Belmont Bulldogs

Most Inspirational Player: Lucas Gage

2nd Team Provincial All-Stars: Nishad Tarak & Isaac Ickovich



As the Winter season closes, **Belmont Athletics** will be heading towards the Spring sports.

Winter sport achievements:

Senior Girls Bball – 4 in the city and 5th on the Island

Senior Boys Bball -2^{nd} in the City and 2^{nd} on the Island. 4^{th} at BC's Junior Boys Bball -4^{th} in the City and 4^{th} on the Island. 4^{th} at BC's

Grade 9 Boys Bball – 1st on the Island and T15th at BC's

Junior Girls BBall – 4th in the City

Junior Girls B team – made it to playoffs in City league

Senior Boys B team – had a successful season playing in exhibition tournaments

Any students interested in the upcoming sports to contact the following:

Coed Golf (Mr. Lowe)

Spring Football (Mr. Sanschagrin)

Senior Boys and Junior Boys Rugby (Mr. Beattie and Mr. Huck)

Senior Girls Rugby (Ms. Haley)

Coed Senior Badminton and Junior Badminton (Mr. Willing & Mr. McHugh)

Track and Field (Ms Evans and Mr. Smith)

Ultimate Frisbee (Mr. Wilson, Ms. Christ Rowling and Mr.Stee)

Senior Girls Soccer (Mr. Marseille)

DryGrad News

Blossoming Artist or want tot start? We are doing a paint nite fundraiser to raise money for Dry Grad - Adults only©

https://www.paintnite.com/events/beach-sunset-ii-at-roval-canadian-legion-langford-10060306

We are having our **next meeting offsite** because it is during **Spring Break**.

Where: Quality foods by the Victoria General Hospital and Coast Capital on the top floor meeting rooms

When: March 20 7PM

Please RSVP to velvetcable@gmail.com so we know the numbers coming.

Thanks for helping provide a safe Dry Grad for our Grads after their Prom/Dinner-Dance on June 23rd!

District Careers News

SD62 had a great showing once again at the Skills Regionals Competition on March 7th at Camosun. The following students will be preparing now for the Provincial Competition on April 18th at the Trade X Centre in Abbotsford. Also, a big congratulations once again to EMCS for being the most winningest school at Skills Regionals!

In addition to our winners, a huge thank you to all staff that supported every competitor, and a big congratulations to all the students who competed, there were a number of SD62 competitors up at Skills, and it was so good to see – thank you for all your support!

Full results are posted http://camosun.ca/learn/south-island-partnership/skills-canada/past-results.html

- 1. Architectural CAD Josef K. (Edward Milne Secondary)
- 2. Cabinetmaking Carter G.(Royal Bay Secondary)
- 3. Carpentry Jameson A. (Belmont Secondary Camosun College)
- 4. Electronics Ezekiel G. (Edward Milne Secondary)
- 5. Welding Justin L. (Edward Milne Secondary Camosun College)

Students in the news...

diplomacy/

Belmont's Model UN Students Shine with diplomacy: https://www.goldstreamgazette.com/community/belmonts-model-un-students-shine-with-un-s

Community News...



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