

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thursday June 21st, 2018

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LAST DAY OF CLASSES

NEW NEWS – 1ST time run and also important current events.

- * **National Indigenous Peoples Day** – For generations, many Indigenous peoples and communities have celebrated their culture and heritage on or near this day due to the significance of the summer solstice as the longest day of the year. Consider celebrating with our community by attending events at many schools and tomorrow 2:00 -7:00 pm at Komoks First Nations Community Hall. Free Admission and everyone welcome.
- * **AbEd Feast and Cultural Celebration** – Vanier would like to recognize and celebrate the unique heritage, diverse culture and outstanding contributions of First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples, by hosting a lunch in the AbEd Room today at lunch. Come join us!
- * **Yearbooks** – will be available at lunch today in Room 003
- * **Locker Locks** - Vanier is starting a new system for locks and lockers next year. The school will buy back any combination lock for the remainder of this week at the tables set up in front of the library. We will give you \$5 for the lock with the combination written down and attached to the lock. After next week, any combination locks left on lockers will be removed and become Vanier property.
- * **Vanier Café** – Closed for remainder of year.

Numeracy Assessment Testing Schedule for all Grade 11's

**Numeracy Testing is a graduation requirement therefore it is NOT optional.*

Monday, June 25 th	Last Names A - C	Learning Commons Room (Library)	1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Tuesday, June 26 th	Last Names D – I	Learning Commons Room (Library)	9:00 am – 11:00 am
Tuesday, June 26 th	Last Names J – P	Learning Commons Room (Library)	1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Wednesday, June 27 th	Last Names Q – Z	Learning Commons Room (Library)	9:00 am – 11:00 am

SPORTS

- * **Summer Basketball Camp** – Comox Valley Summer Basketball Camp in July forms are available at the Main office, or see Mr. Taylor.
- * **Volleyball Players** – Comox Valley Volleyball Camp is July 9-12th. Please see Mr. Stevens (room 161) for registration form.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- * **Calling Student Mentors** - Any students interested in becoming a big brother big sister mentor to some students at Queenesh, please see the WEX office for more information.
- * **Are You Currently in Grade 11?** - Would you like to attend Vanier part-time and NIC part-time in your grade 12 school year? You can attend Vanier and NIC both and earn academic credits at both locations. Please see Mr. Jamieson in the WEX office very soon to start the process.
- * **Students Attending Camp Homewood** - Any students attending Camp Homewood this summer please see the WEX office.
- * **CYMC Youth Camp Work Experience Opportunity** - Any students interested in cooking for the CYMC Youth Camp this summer please see the work experience office for more information.

GRADS

- * **Summer clean out of L Drive** – If you have any pictures or videos in your L: drive, they will be deleted over the summer. Please move them to the V: drive or save them to a flash drive and take them home.
- * **Scholarship Opportunities** - Just because the school year is over doesn't mean the scholarship opportunities stop. ScholarTree.ca has \$935,500 worth of scholarship opening over the summer. We have created an Excel personal budget template for anyone to download, we hope this is a useful tool that will help students plan financially for post-secondary education:
https://static.scholarstree.ca/resources/school_year_budget_planner.xlsx
- * **\$500 Marine Education Scholarship** – Do you have a future in Marine Engineering/Marine Biology/Pile Driving/Dock Construction/Harbour Development/Marine Education? The Harbour Authority Association of BC will award one \$500 academic scholarship annually, to an individual beginning or continuing with a BC post-secondary program in marine education, harbour operations or harbour development. For more info and to download an application form visit: www.haa.bc.ca. **Deadline for applications is June 30th, 2018.**
- * **BCPVPA Student Scholarship** – The BC Principals' and Vice-Principals' Association annually awards up to 20 scholarships, in the amount of \$1000 each, to students who are graduating from the BC public school system and will proceed to a post-secondary institution. **Completed applications are due Sept. 21st, 2018.**
<http://bcpvpa.bc.ca/student-scholarships/>
- * **BC Retired PVPA Scholarship** - The BC Retired PVPA annually awards four \$1000 scholarships to students who are graduating from the BC public school system and will proceed to a BC post-secondary institution. **Completed applications are due by September 30, 2018.** <http://bcrvpa.ca/>
- * **BCIT Entrance Scholarships** – Over \$315,000 of awards are available for students. Get rewarded for your hard work. **Application deadlines Aug. 5th.** Learn more at bcit.ca/finaid/

OLD MISC NEWS

- * **School of Rock** - Audition sign up is now on for next year's School District Musical. You must audition to be in the show. Book your August and September audition dates before the end of June to make sure you don't miss your chance to rock! See or email Mrs. Williams for more information. Lisa.williams@sd71.bc.ca.
- * **Grad Ceremony Tickets** – are now available for pick up, at lunch only, from the Main office window.
- * **Homework Club** - is Mon. /Thurs. 3:15 – 4:50 pm, Tues. /Wed. 8:20 – 9:00 am, in the LST Room (Rm 192), with staff there to help.