



# Announcements

Tuesday, March 14 2017  
Day 2 GHEF

- **Grades 8s -11s** -The 2017-18 Jr. and Sr. Course Programming Guides are now available on the school website under the "About our School" tab; click on Programming. It is time to start considering what courses you will take next year. Each student will need to be able to access their student portal account to choose their courses for next year. This will take place immediately after Spring Break. Please use the "I forgot my password" link if you need a new password. Mr. McAskill and Mr. Patterson are available if you still need assistance.
- **Lost & Found** – Please check out the lost & found table between blue and yellow stairs for any forgotten items. This will be picked for donation by the end of the week.
- **Congratulations** - Congrats to Kate Waddell, Maggie Johnson, August McClellan and Sam Couch for advancing to the VEX Robotics World Championships in Louisville Kentucky this April!! This is the second year in row that Highland has been represented at the World Championships. Good luck everyone.
- **Skills Canada** - Congratulations to all competitors for a great attitude, work ethic and creativity.  
2D 1st place, Jacob Tauber and Roxanne Thibadeau  
2nd place, Isaac Guenther and Brandon Aguilera  
3D 2nd place, Crystal Pond  
Film 2nd place, Claire Make and Georgia Nickerson  
Graphic Design 1st place, Owen Norman-Laver  
Owen, Jacob and Roxanne will head off to provincials April 4 and 5
- **Hey Highland!** Interested in seeing what Jewelry and Woodwork are all about for next year? Check out the digital photo frame in the main office to see what goes on in our shops, or check out [mstancon.com](http://mstancon.com)!
- **All MUN** students interested in attending VIUMUN in Nanaimo (Apr. 28-30) need to confirm with Ms.Mather by this Thursday, March 16. You must confirm before registering so that you guarantee a spot in the car.
- **Highland's Gender Equality Alliance** – The GEA meets every Wednesday at the beginning of lunch in Room 213. Everyone welcome!
- **Interact Club:** Our meeting at lunch on Tuesday is cancelled. Just a reminder of the bake sale on Wednesday and Thursday. Wednesday: Baking- Taylor, Liam, Autumn, Arianna, and Teira. Selling - Miranda. Thursday: Baking - Haley, Nicole B, Molly, Nico, and Christy. Selling - Haley, Arianna, and Nico.
- **The Boys Club** – Any boys interested in joining The Boys Club, please come to an information meeting on **Wednesday, March 15** at lunchtime in room 122(downstairs yellows area by the foods room) Please see Mr. Mulligan if you are interested in joining but cannot make the meeting. This is for all grades.
- **HIGHLAND CLOTHING** - We are now taking orders for HIGHLAND CLOTHING! There is a Hoodie, grey with navy blue "HSS" across the front and "HIGHLAND" across the bottom of the back for \$40. There are long sleeve T-Shirt in grey with the Highland "H" and shield on the chest and "HIGHLAND" running down the right arm for \$20. And of course the crazy Highland socks for \$20. Order forms are available in the office. The deadline for ordering is March 31<sup>st</sup>.
- **Explore Program 2018** – Any grade 10 interested in the Explore Program, see Mr. McKillican. Pick up an application form in the office.
- **Yearbooks are for sale!** \$45 gets you 160 pages of memories and embedded videos! Grads of 2017 buy your book soon. Last year the book sold out and some grads missed out.  
You can buy the yearbook in the office with cash, cheque, debit or credit. You can also buy the book online. See the Highland website for the link to the store.

## GRAD

- **Bursary Applications are due TODAY, Tuesday March 14 until 3:30. No late applications accepted.**

## SPORTS

- **Run and Gun Basketball** - Gr 8 and 9 Boys who would like to play in the Run and Gun league need to see Mr Tinga for the information forms ASAP. Details are also posted on the Athletics Board
- **Girls Basketball CVAA** - To All Girls Grades 8-12 interested in furthering their Basketball skills. CVAA - Comox Valley Athletic Association - is starting their Spring Basketball Programs. See Mr Tinga for the Details.

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

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• **TO ALL GRADE 10,11,12 Students:**

School District 71 Careers Department is hosting an ACE-IT (Accelerated Credit Enrolment in Industry Training program, offered to high school students which allows youth to get a head start on a Career and job by learning the skills and level 1 technical portion of a trade for high school credits), information night on **March 16<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm at Isfeld Secondary School.**

This is for any parents/students interested in their son or daughters applying for an ACE IT program.

For more information on this program, please visit [Sd71.bc.ca](http://Sd71.bc.ca), Quick Links ACE-IT Career Resources, or contact Highland Work Experience office at 250-339-3617.

- **RCMP camp students** that have not picked up and discussed their Work Experience package please come see Tracey in the Work Experience office.
- **Cumberland Lake Wilderness Society** – Cumberland Lake Wilderness Society is taking applications for summer work at the campground for office assistant and operations assistant please see information in the Work Experience office

**CONCESSION**

<b>Monday – Hotdogs \$2 &amp; Chili Dogs \$3</b>	<b>Tuesday - Pizza \$2</b>	<b>Wednesday – Hotdogs \$2</b>
<b>Thursday – Pizza \$2</b>	<b>Friday –NO CONCESSION</b>	