



Oct 14-18

Monday Oct 14	Tuesday Oct 15	Wednesday Oct 16	Thursday Oct 17	Friday Oct 18
Day 1 Thanksgiving Holiday (School Closed)	Day 2 Gr 8 Camp Form Deadline 3:30 Boys Soccer vs Boyd @ Gateway 3:30 Bantam Girls VBall vs Palmer @ Home 3:30 Jr Boys VBall @ RC 3:30 Jr Girls VBall vs Palmer @ Home 6:00 Sr Girls VBall vs Palmer @ McNair	Day 1 3:30 Bantam Girls VBall @ MacNeill 3:30 Juv Girls VBall vs MacNeill @ Home	Day 2 Interim Reports Sent Home 3:30 Boys Soccer @ McNair 3:30 Jr Boys VBall vs RC @ Home 3:30 Jr Girls VBall @ MacNeill 6:00 Sr Girls VBall @ MacNeill 7:30 Sr Boys VBall @ MacNeill	Day 1 Photo Retakes SFU Applied Science, A105 @lunch 3:30 Bantam Girls VBall vs McNair @ Home



THANKSGIVING – OCT 14TH

Have a Happy Thanksgiving! School will be closed this day.

MORNING DROP OFF

As we approach the fall season, the mornings are busy for drivers, especially on rainy days. If you live a long distance away and drive your child in, please give yourself enough time. A friendly reminder that our first bell rings at **8:15 am** and that school is open for students much earlier, if you wish to drop off before the rush. Remember, our round-a-bout is for curb drop off only; please move forward as far as you can before dropping off your child. Thank you!

GRADE 8 CAMP FORM SUBMISSION – OCT 15TH



All forms should be in now to students' Humanities teachers. We're looking forward to the Camp and will have more details to share with students near the end of the month. If you have any questions or need help with finances, please contact Mrs. McFadyen.

INTERIMS - OCT 17TH

The first Interim of the year will be sent home with students on Thursday, Oct 17th. Please note that we won't have achievement data, yet, but you will see valuable information about work habits; there is a strong connection to achievement. Please take the time to review the information before the parent-teacher conference.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

We will be opening the online booking system for parents to schedule appointments at 6 pm on Thursday, Oct 17th. Spaces fill up fast so please remember to book early,

PHOTO RETAKES - OCT 18TH

Students who wish to have a retake **must** bring their original Student ID card back to the photographer at the time of retake. Students who were absent on the photo day or new to the school can simply show up for retakes.

SFU APPLIED SCIENCE – OCT 18TH

Representatives from SFU will be here at lunch to share more information about the Faculty of Applied Sciences. This is a great opportunity for Gr 12 students who are considering a career in this field.

GRAD PHOTOS (REPEAT)

Attention Grads! Formal graduation photographs will be taken in a mobile studio located at the school on November 21st to 30th. Grads must book an appointment time online on the Artona website. Please note that only grad photos taken by Artona will be included in the grad composite. Spaces fill up fast so remember to book early.

GRADE 11 NUMERACY ASSESSMENT – NOV 6TH

The Numeracy Assessment is a requirement for graduation in BC (Grade 12 students wrote the exam last year; Grade 10 students will be writing later this year (likely in April)). We have sent detailed information to Grade 11 parents by email and will talk to Grade 11 students this week. We want students to feel comfortable with the exam and have set up practice sessions on October 23rd and 24th, during students' Grade 11 Math classes.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct 22nd: Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting, 7 pm
- Oct 23 & 24: Grade 11 Numeracy practice sessions in Grade 11 Math classes
- Oct 23 & 24 : Parent Teacher Conferences
- Oct 25 : Pro-D Day (school closed)
- Oct 30 : Collaboration Day (late start)
- Nov 6 : Take Your Kids To Work Day (corrected date – in error on our student calendar)

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