



Byrne Creek Community School  
BULLDOGS

STUDENT BULLETIN

**PLEASE READ TO CLASS DURING BLOCK 2**

THURSDAY

March 9, 2017

DAY 1

**WHAT'S HAPPENING TODAY**

**EARLY DISMISSAL – MARCH 9, 2017 - BELL SCHEDULE**

X Block 7:30 – 8:43

Period 1 8:48 - 9:45

Break 9:45 – 9:55

Period 2 9:55 – 10:50

Period 3 10:55 – 11:50

Lunch Break 11:50 – 12:30

Period 4 12:35 – 1:30

Y Block 1:35 – 2:20

**THE BYRNE CREEK FUTSAL TOURNAMENT – DEADLINE FOR TEAM ENTRY.**

The deadline to register your team is TOMORROW – Friday, March 10th

Please pick up registration forms in the PE office. Ask any teacher as they are on the filing cabinet just inside the office door.

At this point there are not enough teams to run the tournament, so get your entries in ASAP.

(Mr. VanBylandt)

**ATTENTION GRADE 12 STUDENTS**

Would any Grade 12 students interested in writing the Euclid Math Contest please see Mrs. Gordon in A207 by TOMORROW – Friday, March .

**PLEASE HAND IN YOUR BASKETBALL ACADEMY FORMS NOW!**

If you are interested in earning school credits while improving your basketball skills and fitness knowledge then get a Basketball Academy application from Ms. Mizuno or the head office, fill it in and hand it in this week! If you have any questions about the program please talk to Ms. Mizuno in B103 or the PE Office.

**INTERESTED IN SCOREKEEPING VOLLEYBALL GAMES?**

Our boys' volleyball league starts after spring break and we are looking for scorekeepers. See Mr. Shorthouse to sign up. Games will be after school on Mondays and Thursdays.

**POTENTIAL HONOUR CORD RECIPIENTS ARE POSTED BY THE ELEVATOR**

If you have any questions please see Ms Tonks in the office

**SPRING FORMAL TICKETS ON SALE – ATRIUM @ LUNCH**

Spring Formal is now taking place **March 30, 2017**. Tickets still for sale in the Atrium at lunch.

**REMINDERS FROM MR. STARR**

**Smoking:**

A reminder that smoking and the use of tobacco (including vaping) is not allowed on school grounds. This is especially true outside of A wing.

**Bluetooth Speakers:**

Guidelines for these speakers are:

Not to be played during class time

No music with inappropriate language

Volume must be low enough to not impede the enjoyment of common space by other students

At present we do not have a 'rule' prohibiting their use. We are giving students an opportunity to self-police. If you are unable to do so then we will have no option but to considering banning their use from the building.

**If you want to have your phone stolen please do the following:**

Leave it charging unattended in the atrium

Take it to the gym and leave it in your backpack or on a bench

Leave it on your desk unattended

Give it to a 'friend' for safekeeping

Lend it to a person you met in the atrium and you think their name might begin with a "D" or some other letter

Leave it on the counter or the toilet paper roll when you are in the bathroom instead of class

Give your BFFs your locker combination then have a falling out with them

**If you don't want your phone to go missing then do the exact opposite of the above.**

We aren't CSI. We don't lock down the school when a phone goes missing. We don't dust for prints. We don't take DNA samples

**If it does go missing let your teacher know ASAP.**

**WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK****EARLY DISMISSAL – MARCH 10, 2017 - BELL SCHEDULE**

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Period 1 8:48 - 9:50

Break 9:50 – 10:00

Period 2 10:05 – 11:05

Period 3 11:10 – 12:10

Lunch Break 12:10 – 12:50

Period 4 12:55 – 1:55

Y Block 2:00 – 3:00

**ULTIMATE FRISBEE WILL BE PRACTICING THURSDAY AFTERSCHOOL IN THE SMALL GYM**

Grades 8-12 boys and girls welcome.

**VALEDICTORIAN NOMINATIONS – DUE MARCH 10****FORMAL FRIDAY**

Formal Friday is happening on Friday, March 10, 2017. Show your school spirit and come to school on your best clothes to celebrate the last day before Spring Break!

**INDIAN UMBRELLA**

The Indian Umbrella Organization is organizing a Charity Gala that is taking place on Saturday, March 11, 2017 in the Fraserview Hall in Vancouver at 6pm. Tickets are \$35 which includes a buffet dinner, performances, and dancing. All the proceeds go towards building schools in India. Come to our booth in the atrium at lunch next week to buy your tickets.

**ATTENTION: GRADES 9/10/11 STUDENTS**

The system will stay open to enter your course selection requests until Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. Please note the following schedule when counsellors will also be available at lunch in the A205 computer lab if you need help to enter your course selection requests:

Grade 11: Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup>.

Grade 8: Please see your counsellor (Ms. Davy)

## **ATTENTION: GRADE 12 STUDENTS**

### **ATTENTION GRADE 11 AND 12 STUDENTS**

Come get firsthand information about what university is like for its newest students!

“Steps to Success” is a group composed of 3rd and 4th year undergraduate students from UBC and Capilano University, and they're coming to Byrne Creek! When? This Wednesday at lunch in B104. They will be primarily speaking on education and professional development after high school. You will hear information preparing you for post-secondary institutions, recommendations in order to maximize your school experience and career development, the steps we believe are important to achieve your goals, and much more.

From experience in lung cancer research to internships in business firms, their panel includes students in Microbiology and Immunology, Accounting, Civil Engineering, Finance and Real Estate specializations.

### **ATTN GRADS!**

NEW Scholarships are being added to our website regularly. Make a note of the ones that are relevant to you and put your application package together over Spring Break! Many of them are due the first Wednesday back after the break, Wednesday, March 29th. I am unable to provide extensions for any of them. <http://blogs.sd41.bc.ca/byrnecreek-scholarships/>

### **UBC SELF REPORTING**

UBC self-reporting opens March 3-20. UBC will host a *Facebook* live session March 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:15 to 5:00 pm to answer any questions about self-reporting.

### **VALEDICTORIAN NOMINATIONS – DUE MARCH 10**

REMINDER: Nominations for your Valedictorian is due March 10, 2017. Please submit your application forms to Mr. Christofides in the office.

### **GRAD TWEET - LIVE!**

Graduation is fast approaching. Go to the website and tell us what you would like read as you cross the stage (i.e. favourite moments in high school, future goals, thank you, words of wisdom, quotes ... etc.) \*\* Pay for School Leaving Ceremonies before March 1, 2017 to join your graduating class. Price includes a professional photo, 2 guest tickets, your cap and gown.