



LFAS GRAD NEWS

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Grade 12 students and parents-this is important!!!!. From Ms. DeLittle....

If you did not receive this newsletter it is because you have not sent your email address to brobson@sd35.bc.ca

Now that you have all your timetables set and have started working on your courses, I can finally begin to help you all have a successful and fun Grade 12 year.

Things to do right away from Ms. Delittle

Grade 12 Parent and Student Handbook

Check out the LFAS web under graduation for all the information you need to know about grade 12 that I went over at the Grade 11 and 12 night last week.

Credits to Graduate

I will come into your D2 block over the next few weeks to go over every credit you have since grade 10 to ensure that you have 80 credits and all the correct courses. You can add all your achievements outside of school if you want, but it is not necessary unless you are short some electives.

P.E.N. Number

This is needed for many forms. It is on the top right hand side of your report card.

Email

Each student is going to have to send their own email and the parents' to Bridie Robson brobson@sd35.bc.ca

This way we can all be in touch and I can send this grad newsletter to you.

Social Insurance number

Apply for a Social Insurance Number, if you don't already have one. This is necessary for many scholarships and bursaries.



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Your Resume/Bio

Begin to compile a short biography and letter describing all your achievements, goals, extra-curricular activities, and service to community and school. This will be useful for job applications post-secondary and scholarship applications. Go to the link below to see the forms that are to be filled out if you wish to ask a teacher for a reference.

<http://www2.sd35.bc.ca/lfa/scholarship.html>

Counseling Office.

I am at school every day and invite you to come and book a time to talk about your post secondary choices. Come in and browse the calendars for all the post secondary options and work opportunities. My role in the school is to support all grade 9 to 12 students, so please do check this newsletter or go online to the calendar for the answers to more simple questions so that I can spend my time wisely with all of you.

New New New



University of the Fraser Valley - BSc - new Grade 11 early application option begins October 1

Grade 11 students considering the Bachelor of Science now have an exciting opportunity to apply for the BSc for Fall 2011, beginning Oct. 1 of their grade 11 year. UFV will offer guaranteed admission for Fall 2011 for up to sixty Grade 11 applicants (provided they meet the entrance requirements in Grade 12). This will provide an opportunity for Grade 11 science students to receive advising at UFV, meet other students in the same group, and participate in activities such as our science fair. You may have more questions about this, so we have [prepared some FAQs and info sheet online](#).

http://www.ufv.ca/Faculty_of_Science/Science_Programs/Bachelor_of_Science/BSC_Early_Application.htm

There's also an info sheet you can download and copy for interested students. If more information is required, you can contact Karen Cooper, UFV science advisor at 604-854-4079, or toll-free at 1-888-504-7441 local 4079, or email scienceadvice@ufv.ca. Grade 11 applicants can apply through PASBC,



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choosing BSc Grade 11 Early application option. Students are encouraged to apply early as applications will close once we receive sixty applications, or by January 31, 2010, whichever is earlier.

Challenge Exams

Do you want to challenge a language at grade 11 and 12 level? Then sign up with Ms De Little now.

Scholarship News

Honoring Young women for Volunteer Action-**The Violet Richardson Award**
Applications with Ms. DeLittle

Kwantlen Information Session



The Richmond Campus will holding an Information Session for all those interested in learning more about the Design and Communications e.g. Fashion Design, Graphic design fro Marketing, Interior Design, Journalism, Public Relations
Wednesday, Oct. 14th 2009 at 4:30 pm – 6 pm.

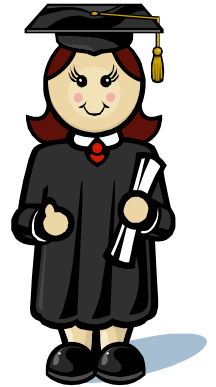


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Up coming events

- Parent group meeting supporting the Grade 12 Graduation Year .
 - Monday October 5th 7pm 23253 Francis Ave, Fort Langley V1M 2R7 604-882-9977 Start Organizing Dry Grad now and bring any questions you may have around gradation, scholarships, post secondary options etc.
- All grads need to come to the office at lunchtime or after school to be measured for their grad gowns. We will be taking measurements after Thanksgiving from October 13th to October 22nd.
- Post Secondary Night -3 sessions with different post secondary institutions. 6pm-8.30 In November--- Day and location to be announced
- Grad Photos taken by Jostens after school. Every grad needs their picture taken and then you can order prints for yourself. January 5th to January 14th after school in the LFAS portables. See the office after November to book your time. Retakes are February 3rd to 4th.
- Grad Cruise January 29TH 2010 tickets will go on sale in November.
- Portfolio Day for students only April 30th 2010 1pm in the library
- Commencement Friday June 18th 2010 tickets will go on sale in May
- Newlands Prom Wednesday June 23rd 2010 tickets will go on sale in May



Check the LFAS events calendar on the website for all dates of holidays, music nights etc www.lfasbc.com



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Volunteer opportunities

Tree Planting

*LEPS needs help planting at Derek Doubleday Arboretum (trailhead 21200 block 56Ave, Langley), **Sunday, Oct. 11, 2009**, Contact Nichole Marples*
nmarples@tol.bc.ca (604) 532-3511

Farmers Markets

email info@langleycommunityframersmarket.com for an application

Urban Wildlife Monitoring

Brookwood/Fernridge monitoring program, help record wildlife observations (training session provided)
Contact Kim at kgreenwood@tol.bc.ca or 604 532-3513

An Eerie Night of Fright

We need actors, writers, make-up artists, special effects techies, set builders, & stage hands to help us make this the scariest night of all.

- *Who: high school students*
- *When: either October 29, 30 or 31 (choose one or more)*
- *plus rehearsals*
- *What: make the Fort really scary for this community event by using your skills as an actor, writer, special effects person, make-up artist, set builder, & stage hand, etc.*
- *Why: because it's fun!*

Please contact Barb Harris 604 530-9751, barbarajharris@shaw.ca