

WINDERMERE SECONDARY Weekly Bulletin

We would like to acknowledge that we live, work and play on the unceded and traditional territory of the $x^w m \partial \theta k^w \partial y \partial m$ (Musqueam), selfifwitulh (Tsleil Waututh) and skwxwú7mesh (Squamish Coast Salish) peoples.

THE WINDERMERE WAY!

- **R** Respect
- **E** Excellence
- A Attitude
- **C** Courage
- **H** Honesty



School Operating Hours: Please note that our office is open from 7:30 am to 3:45 pm.

DATES TO REMEMBER	
Mar 1, 2022	PAC Meeting at 7:00pm
Mar 11, 2022	S2 Interims Published
Mar 14 – 25, 2022	Spring Break (No School)

Windermere Talent Show

Talent Show Tickets!

Hey Warriors, our talented student performers are busy practicing and rehearsing for **Talent Show 2021**! The show is **next Thursday March 3**! 6:30pm in the auditorium! Doors open at 6pm! We need an audience to cheer them on and show our support! Tickets are \$3, and are available from Mr. Robertson in 117 and Ms. Lee in 325. Bring your loonies and twonies and get your tickets for the show! We can only have 50% capacity in the auditorium, so make sure you don't miss out!

Social Media Safety and Digital Literacy

School-wide Virtual Assembly on Social Media Safety and Digital Literacy

The White Hatter is presenting a webinar on Social Media Safety and Digital Literacy for all of our students on Tuesday, April 5th. More information can be found at https://www.thewhitehatter.ca/



The White Hatter

The White Hatter provides internet and social media safety, digital literacy, workplace violence prevention education and training to schools & businesses www.thewhitehatter.ca

Information for Grade 8 & 9 Students

In early March, we will be hosting separate Grade 8 & 9 Assemblies to review the requirements for the Career Education 8 & 9 courses. The Ministry of Education requires that all Grade 8 & 9 students complete these courses. At Windermere, these courses are delivered as off-timetable, student self-paced courses using the MyBluprint platform. Students will receive all the information needed to complete the course work by the April 28 deadline.

Information for Grade 10, 11, & 12 Students

BC Graduation Assessments

The Literacy 10, Numeracy 10, and Literacy 12 BC Grad Assessments are required for graduation. We will be offering these Assessments during the week of April 25th. A schedule will be posted in the Office window in early April. Please check this schedule carefully.

Literacy 12: Any grade 12 student who has not written the Literacy 12 Assessment or has not received credit for the Literacy 12 Assessment, will be writing the week of April 25th. You will automatically be registered for this assessment. If you have credit for the Literacy 12 Assessment and would like to re-write, please see Ms. Siddle in the Office to register before March 11th, 2022.

Numeracy 10: Any Grade 10, 11, or 12 student who has not written the Numeracy 10 Assessment or has not received credit for it, will be writing the week of April 25th. You will automatically be registered for this assessment. If you have credit for the Numeracy 10 Assessment and would like to re-write, please see Ms. Siddle in the Office to register before March 11th, 2022.

Literacy 10: Any student in Grade 10, 11, or 12, who does not have credit for the Literacy 10 Assessment will be automatically registered to write for the week of April 25th. Most Grade 10 students wrote the Literacy 10 Assessment in November, 2021. If you have credit for the Literacy 10 Assessment and would like to re-write, please see Ms. Siddle in the Office to register by March 11th, 2022.

BC Ministry of Education Student Learning Survey 2022

The Student Learning Survery is for students in Grade 10, Grade 12, and their parents/guardians. We are asking that Parents/Guardians with a child in Grade 10 or Grade 12 complete the survey, as well as encouraging your child in Grade 10 or Grade 12 to complete the survey. Please complete the survey by Friday, March 11th, 2022.

The Survey is available at: www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat survey/access.htm

Student Surveys (Grade 10 and Grade 12 only):

- The Logon # for the student participants is their unique 9 (nine) digit Personal Education Number (PEN). This number can be found by logging into myEdBC.
- It should take approximately 25 to 30 minutes for students to complete the survey online
- Students should not collaborate with others or discuss their responses during administration of the online survey.

Parent Surveys (For parents/guardians with a child in either Grade 10 or Grade 12):

- Parents may access the survey by the Direct Access from the website listed above by selecting their child's district, school's name, and language of preference.
- Surveys are to be completed by parents with children in Grades 10 and 12.
- A parent may complete a survey for each child in the targeted grades.
- The parent survey is available in English, French and 16 other languages.
- Parents can complete surveys on their own time

Windermere Sports

Hey Warriors. If you are interested in joining the following teams or have played on one of the following teams, please come to **GYM A** during **Tuesday FIT** on **March 1st 2022** to take your team photo to be featured in the yearbook.

- Bantam Boys Volleyball
- Junior Girls Volleyball
- Senior Girls Volleyball
- Aquatics
- Girls Soccer
- Track and Field
- Badminton
- Ultimate

We look forward to seeing you! Please email windiyearbook@gmail.com if you have any questions or concerns

P.S. Don't forget to **buy your 2021-2022 Windermere Yearbook**, you don't want to miss out like last year!!! The deadline to be guaranteed your Yearbook (**which is chock full of treasured memories and photos of you and your friends**) is **March 8!**

PAC News



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PAC AGENDA

Tuesday, March 1, 2022 7:00pm

THE WINDERMERE WAY!

R RESPECT

E EXCELLENCE

A ATTITUDE

C COURAGE

H HONESTY

Via Zoom:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83666017574?pwd=NnhGN3VqN3JPVFJCSnEyL0QySGJ4dz09

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1. Welcome Kristina Whelton-Davis

2. Student Council

3. Administration Report Ranjit Bains

4. School Liaison to PAC Maggie Przyborowska

5. Treasurers' Report Mandip Bilg and Jug Bilg

5. Parents' Q & A All

7. Call for New Business Kristina Whelton-Davis

Upcoming:

March 9- Fire Drill @ 1:25pm March 11- S2 Interims Published March 14-25- Spring Break

Next PAC meeting Tuesday, April 1, 2022 @ 7pm

Hello Windermere Community,

Our next PAC meeting is Tuesday, March 1, 2022 at 7pm via ZOOM.

As always, we will have time to answer your questions. If you know your question in advance, please submit it to pac wind@vsb.bc.ca or chime in via the chat function on Zoom and we will make sure we ask it on your behalf.

To join the meeting, please see details below:

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83666017574?pwd=NnhGN3VqN3JPVFJCSnEyL0QySGJ4dz09

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Seeking Treasurer Nominations

As we have communicated since late December 2021, there are open positions for the Board of Directors which will be voted on during the in-person AGM on Saturday April 30 in Richmond.

Nominations are open to regular members in good standing per Section 5.5 of our <u>Bylaws</u>. Candidates for a position on the Board of Directors must be nominated by a current member PAC or DPAC. Completed nomination forms must be received by <u>email</u> by midnight February 28, 2022.

Members may recall that we did not receive any nominations in 2021 for the then open position of Treasurer. The Board appointed Michelle Sylvest prior to the May 2021 AGM as permitted by the Bylaws. The position of Treasurer is open for election at the 2022 AGM for the remaining one year of the two year term. Director Sylvest had previously been able to commit to putting her name forward for nomination and to run in the elections but her family circumstances have changed and she will not be doing so.

While we can appoint a Treasurer, we would prefer that nominations are submitted so members can vote for the candidate(s) during the elections held during the business of the AGM.

If you know someone who has the skills to be the Treasurer, please connect them with our Nominations Chair <u>via the office</u> or contact me directly. We recommend candidates and those considering putting their name forward to review <u>Information for Nominees</u> and the <u>Nomination Form</u>.

Elections will take place at the AGM on Saturday, April 30, 2022 during our annual <u>Parent Education Conference and AGM</u>, taking place April 29 - May 1, 2022, at the <u>Westin Wall Centre Hotel</u> in Richmond BC.

Andrea Sinclair President

Cafeteria Weekly Lunch Menu: February 28 – March 4

Monday Feb. 28

Soup: Cream of Broccoli (V)

Special: Chef's Salad

Entrée: Red Thai Coconut Curried Chicken with Rice (V* Red Thai Coconut Curried Tofu with Rice)

Tuesday March 1

Soup: Beef Barley

Special: Green onion pancake wrap w/ Fried rice

Entrée: Penne Pasta in a Chicken and Mushroom Alfredo Sauce with Caesar Salad (V Mac and Cheese with Caesar Salad)

Wednesday March 2

Soup: Clam Chowder

Special: Spicy BBQ Chicken Burger w/ Blue Cheese Sauce on House Made Brioche Bun w/ Potato Salad

Entrée: Beef Stew with Garlic Bread (V* Lentil Stew with Garlic Bread)

Thursday March 3

Soup: Chorizo Sausage and White Bean Special: Butter Chickpeas w/ Naan

Entrée: Greek Chicken Leg with Roast Potatoes and Greek Salad (V* Vegetable Souvlaki with Roast Potatoes, Greek Salad

and Tzatziki)

Friday March 4

Soup: Tomato Rice (V) Special: BLT w/ Side Salad

Entrée: Hot Wings with Fries and Tossed Green Salad (V* Cauliflower Hot Wings with Fries and Tossed Green Salad)

V: Vegetarian, V* Vegetarian Option Available Limited