



# UNIVERSITY HILL SECONDARY WEEKLY STUDENT BULLETIN

Monday, May 27 – Friday, May 31, 2024

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*With deep gratitude and respect, we are honoured to be learning and unlearning on the ancestral and unceded lands of the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish Nation) & səlilwətał (Tseil-Waututh Nation).*

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**Huge congratulations to Jora Singh Nahal for his Science Fair Project!** Jora has qualified to go to the Canada Wide Science Fair (CWSF) in Ottawa. He has also won the David Laugharne Award for the best use of technology in a project at the Greater Vancouver Science Fair. You can see his trophy in 2E pod. Best of luck in Ottawa, Jora.

**Congratulations to our grads on sharing their Capstone projects last Thursday.** You are a wonderfully creative and diverse group and your ideas serve as inspiration.

### **Student Council Executive Elections:**

Future Student Leaders of Uhill! The campaign season is officially open for the 2024-2025 Student Council Executive (grade representatives will be elected in the Fall). Here are the positions for STUCO Executive:

- **President**
- **Vice-President**
- **Secretary**
- **Treasurer**
- **Communications Director**
- **International Student Rep**
- **Vancouver District Student Council (VDSC) – 2 positions:**

For full descriptions of the positions, see the post in Teams.

Executive positions are for senior (gr 11 or 12) students in the 2024/2025 school year. If you are interested, pick up a nomination form in the main office and please note the following important dates:

- **May 21** - Pick up nomination forms in the Main office.
- **May 24** - Nomination forms due in the main office.
- **May 27** - All candidates meeting **at lunch in LLC**.
- **May 31** - Campaign videos due (send link to [dbach@vsb.bc.ca](mailto:dbach@vsb.bc.ca)).
- **June 3 – 12** - Campaign posters and videos posted.
- **June 3-12** - Voting on Teams.
- **June 13** – Announcements.

### **Math club will be organizing a math face-off competition open to all Uhill students!**

There will be **free candies/food** for all participants and special prizes for the top 3 winners!

**Time:** Every Tuesday during lunch starting from **May 28th**.

**Location:** 2E4 (Mr. Beaton's room)

**Deadline to register:** May 24th

**Registration form:** [Math Club Faceoff Tournament Registration](#)

### **Grade 12 Assembly & Grad Rehearsal - Thurs, May 30<sup>th</sup> @ Period 3 & FIT in the LLC:**

Hello Grads! This is a reminder of your Assembly and Grad Rehearsal this Thursday. Please go to your Period 3 class for attendance, and then report to the LLC when called. The Rehearsal will go into FIT. Thanks!

### **Graduation Assessment Make-Up Session – June 11:**

For students in grade 10-12 only. If you need to take (or re-take) any of the following assessments, Literacy 10, Numeracy 10 or Literacy 12, see your counsellor to confirm the need, and then see Mr. Bach in the main office to ensure that you are registered. All assessments will be taken at the same time in the LLC – 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM.

### **Refila Recycling Program is looking for volunteers!**

The first meeting was on Tuesday April 23 from 3-4:30 pm in **Mr. New's room (the woodworking room)** and happen **every Tuesday** at the same time. You will help recycle plastic bottles into keychains to fundraise for the Business Club with the use of exciting technologies like 3D Printing. By helping, you will help improve sustainability in our school and community, learn to use new technologies, and get volunteer hours. If you are

unavailable on Tuesdays after school but still want to help, send us a message. To sign up or to get more information, message the program on Instagram [@refila.ca](#) or [email refila.ca@gmail.com](mailto:email.refila.ca@gmail.com).

### **Health Questions?**

Our school nurse is here for drop-in visits **every Monday at lunchtime**. Her office is **Room 1B8-3 in the LLC**.

### **Volunteer Opportunities:**

The Wesbrook Community is looking for responsible students to volunteer in various capacities. If you are interested in contributing to the community, contact Daniel Gowryluk at: [Daniel.Gowryluk@myuna.ca](mailto:Daniel.Gowryluk@myuna.ca).

### **Summer Jobs Available at UNA:**

The University Neighbourhood is hiring camp counselors for their summer camp. If you like working with young people and are looking to line up a summer job, then apply here: <https://www.myuna.ca/careers/>

### **UHS YOUTH CONNECTION PROGRAM 2023-2024:**

**Date:** Every Monday till June 17, 2024

**Time:** 3:30 – 4:30 pm (please feel free to come in early right after school for snacks and social)

**Venue:** Wesbrook Community Centre in the Social Room

#### **Purpose of the Program:**

- Connect newcomer youth to their peers in school and the community through leisure activities and fun conversations to help smooth transitions, and build confidence, a sense of belonging, and supportive circles.
- Provide potential youth leaders with a platform to support their peers and build on their skills by leading small group conversations or activities.
- Offer opportunities for personal growth and social development while exploring projects and voluntary engagement in school or community activities/events.

**Registration is required:** <https://forms.office.com/r/VFFcgRW8kM> (for UHS Youth Only)

**Inquiry:** VSB Settlement Workers in Schools (SWIS) Program (UHS Room: 1B8-5 in LLC):

Esaine Mo / 778-228-8536 / [emo@vsb.bc.ca](mailto:emo@vsb.bc.ca)

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## Upcoming Events/Special Dates in the School Calendar

May		-May is Asian Heritage Month and Jewish History Month
May 13 to June 25		-Applied Skill & Fine Arts Rotation #3
May 27	Mon	-Field Trip: Concert Choir (with DeWreede) - 7:30am to 12:30pm – Norma Rose Point/UHill Elementary
May 28	Tues	-NRP & UHill Elementary Visit to UHill Secondary – 9:00 to 11:00am
May 29	Wed	-Carnival hosted by STUCO starting at 3:00pm
May 30	Thurs	-Field Trip (NEW DATE): Law Studies (with Yetman) - Gr 11-12 Students - Court of Appeal/Traffic Court - 8:30am to 3:10 pm
May 30		-Gr.12's Assembly in LLC Period 3 & FIT - Re: TVRs, Grad Rehearsal, Grad Gown & Ticket Pick up
May 30		-Field Trip: Jr. Band & Orchestra (with DeWreede) – 4:00 to 9:00pm - Re: Spring Music Performance at UBC at 7:00pm
May 31	Fri	- Field Trip: Film (with Edmondson) - Grade 11 & 12 Students - 8:40am to 2:45pm – at Van Tech Secondary
May 31		-Field Trip: Choir, Sr. Band & Orchestra (with DeWreede) - 4:00 to 10:00pm – Re: Spring Music Performance at UBC at 7:00pm
June		-June is Pride Month and National Indigenous History
June 3 to 12		-Student Council Campaign and Voting Weeks
June 3	Mon	-ELL Testing at 9:00am in ULC
June 3		-Field Trip: Gym (with Moes) - Gr 9 Students – 8:40am to 12:20pm – Jericho Beach Kayaking Center
June 3		-Field Trip: Gym (with Moes) - Gr. 9 Students – 11:25am to 3:05pm – Jericho Beach Kayaking Center
June 4	Tues	-Field Trip: Gym (with Moes) - Gr. 9 Students – 11:25am to 3:05pm – Jericho Beach Kayaking Center
June 5	Wed	-Grad at the Chan Centre – Rehearsal at 8:45am, Grads to Arrive at 3:00pm, Ceremony at 4:00pm
June 11	Tues	-Gr. 10 Assessments – Make Up Only
June 12	Wed	-Indoor Sports Day: P1 – Gr. 10 P2 – Gr.'s 11 & 12 P3 – Gr. 9 P4 – Gr.8

June 13	Thurs	-FIT with HR Class for Core Competencies
June 13		-Athletic Banquet in Gym
June 14	Fri	-Grad Dinner/Dance at Pan Pacific Hotel at 6:00pm
June 20	Thurs	-Field Trip: Spanish (with Tassioulas) - Grade 12 Students - 1:25 to 3:06pm - Sazon Restaurant & Margaret Piggott Park

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We are on a mission to inspire an ethical and caring *community of evolving global citizens who live meaningfully, creatively, and mindfully.*

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