

# UNIVERSITY HILL SECONDARY

# WEEKLY STUDENT BULLETIN

Monday May 6 - Friday May 10, 2024

With deep gratitude and respect, we are honoured to be learning and unlearning on the ancestral and unceded lands of the x<sup>w</sup>məθk<sup>w</sup>əyəm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish Nation) & səlilwəta<del>l</del> (Tsleil-Waututh Nation).

<u>Congratulations</u> to <u>Frank Liu</u> who came <u>second in Canada</u> at the Canadian Association of Physicists exam written a few weeks ago! The best physics students from many schools in the country write this exam. Frank will be joining the Canadian Physics Camp later in May for a chance to represent Canada at the International Physics Olympiad.

<u>Grade 8s- 11s:</u> Log on to the ALL- STUDENTS CHANNEL and sign up for ONE Capstone event session. Space in each session is limited so act fast to avoid disappointment. Sign up closes, **midnight on May 9**th.

## Thurs, May 9th (Early Dismissal @ 2:05pm) & Fri, May 10th (Late Start @ 10:00am)

A reminder that we have adjusted schedules for Thursday and Friday for Parent Teacher Conference and Staff Collaborative Planning Time. Please see page 8 in your student agenda.

#### 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

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.

### **Health Questions?**

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

#### **LLC Closed**

The LLC will be closed May 6 - May 17 for all activities to facilitate AP exams.

#### **Volunteer Opportunities** –

The Alzheimer Society of BC is looking for volunteers to help at their annual Vancouver IG Wealth Management Walk for Alzheimer's on Sunday May 26<sup>th</sup> at the Creekside Community Recreation Centre. For more information, please visit their website: <a href="www.walkforalzheimers.ca">www.walkforalzheimers.ca</a> or the Vancouver Walkspecific page here.

Students will be paired up or will work with adult volunteers on the day of the event to ensure their safety.

The available volunteer roles include:

- Greeters
- Set Up/Clean Up Crew
- Route Marshals
- Food and Drink Masters
- Kid Zone Volunteers
- Face Painters

If you are interested in helping the *Walk* to support programs and services in Vancouver that improve the quality of life for people living with dementia and their families and support other activities such as education and public awareness, please contact the volunteer coordinators at <a href="mailto:vol4alzheimers@gmail.com">vol4alzheimers@gmail.com</a>

# **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: <a href="mailto:Daniel.Gowryluk@myuna.ca">Daniel.Gowryluk@myuna.ca</a>.

## **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: <a href="https://www.myuna.ca/careers/">https://www.myuna.ca/careers/</a>

## **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: <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/VFFcgRW8kM">https://forms.office.com/r/VFFcgRW8kM</a> (for UHS Youth Only)

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

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# Upcoming Events/Special Dates in the School Calendar

	-May is Asian Heritage Month and Jewish History Month
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	-Grad Ceremony Ticket Sales on School Cash On-line
Mon	-AP Chemistry Exam at 12:00pm in LLC
	-Rotation #2 Choir 8 Concert at 6:30pm – Grand Staircase
Tues	-AP Microeconomics Exam at 8:00am in LLC
	-All Students sign-up re FIT for May 23 Capstone Event
	-Parent-Teacher Conferences Appointment Scheduler Closes at 10:00pm
Thurs	-S2 Parent-Teacher Conferences (Virtual) 4:00 to 6:30pm – Early Dismissal at 2:05pm – Early
	Dismissal Schedule
Fri	-CPT - 8:40 to 10:00am – AM Collaborative Planning Day Schedule
	-Applied Skills & Fine Arts Last Day of Rotation #2
Mon	-AP Calculus AB & BC Exam at 8:00am in LLC
	- Field Trip: Law Studies (with Yetman) - Gr 11-12 Students - Court of Appeal/Traffic Court -
	8:30am to 3:10 pm
	-Applied Skill & Fine Arts Rotation #3
Tues	- Immunization Day #2 - 9:00am to 12:00pm in LLC by Alphabetical Schedule
Thurs	-AP Biology Exam at 12:00pm in LLC
Fri	-School Based ProD Day
	-AP Physics 1 Exam at 8:00am in LLC
	-AP Physics 2 Exam at 12:00pm in LLC
Mon	-Victoria Day – Statutory Holiday
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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.