

# G.P. VANIER MAY NEWSLETTER

# **IMPORTANT DATES**

May 2	Report Cards Posted to MYED this Week
May 2 – 6	Parent/Teacher Contact
May 10	Valedictorian Speeches Due
May 11	Flex Day/Grad BBQ
May 12	Valedictorian Speeches/Presentation/Voting
May 18	Grad Basketball Game
May 23	Victoria Day (no school)
May 31	Spring Concert 6:30 - 8:00 pm

June 1 Flex Day

June 13 – 17 Gr 10-12 Literacy/Numeracy Assessments

June 14 Bursary Evening

June 15 Flex Day/Grade 10s M-Z Assessments

June 24 Last Day of Classes

June 25 GRAD 2022

June 27 - 29 I Days

June 29 Last Day of School/Q4 Ends

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# CRIMINAL RECORD CHECKS FOR COACHES AND PARENT VOLUNTEERS



Our district policy around criminal record checks has changed and moving forward, all volunteer parent drivers will need to have a criminal record check, not just coaches and chaperones. If you are planning to drive for a field trip or sporting event, please start the process asap.

https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/gp-vanier-secondary/wp-content/uploads/sites/29/2021/06/Criminal-Record-Check-Form.pdf

# PROVINCIAL ASSESSMENTS

Students must write three assessments in their graduation program – Numeracy 10, Literacy 10, and Literacy 12. In January, grade 10's who had an English or Math class in semester one were scheduled to write their numeracy or literacy assessments. Unfortunately, the ministry needed to cancel the session at the last minute, leaving us to reschedule the students for later in the year.

Grade 10's will now write their assessments using a Flex Day in June. Students with a last name starting with M-Z will write their assessments on June 15<sup>th.</sup> Students requiring extra time or supports will be contacted by our Learning Support Teachers to make arrangements to implement those supports, including possibly writing on different days during the week of June 13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>. Any grade 11 or 12 students who missed their assessment should see Ms. Oddleifson in the office to be schedule for June as soon as possible.

Assessments can't really be studied for; however it is possible to prepare for the assessment. The ministry has sample questions and tests available here - Click Here



## **GRAD BBQ**



#### Hello Grads and Families,

**Time**: The Grad BBQ date has been changed to the evening of May 11<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm. Apologies for any confusion this might have caused.

**Location**: The deck out front of Vanier by the circle of picnic tables.

**Price**: Earlybird special tickets will be sold for \$5.00 per person prior to May 7<sup>th</sup> and will include (burger, salad and beverage) or \$7.00 per person after May 7<sup>th</sup>. Tickets can be purchased at the Vanier office in advance.





## Dinner

# We will supply the following options:

- \*Cheese Burger
- \*Chicken Burger
- \*Veggie Burger
- \*Gluten free option for buns will be provided if requested in advance.
- \*Salad options
- \*Beverage options

# Please bring your own:

- \*Blanket or lawn chair
- \*Plate and cutlery if you can (we will have paper plates available if needed).

# Games and Prizes!

There will be a raffle draw and random prize draw for grads, music and a backyard games theme for the evening. The earlier you buy your tickets, the better your chances of winning!



Stand by for more details in the coming weeks.

