

Wednesday, June 18th, 2025



<u>NEW</u>

- If you are not returning to Highland in September, please stop by the office and pick up a Student Withdraw form.
- There will be one more reading challenge draw this week if you have recently finished a book, enter the draw in the library! Winners announced on Friday.
- International Students don't forget to get your blue withdrawal form signed and to return all locks, books, and jerseys. Also, please stop by Ms. Brammall's room at lunch or during Flex Block on Friday to get a thank you card for your homestay family and to say goodbye!
- Ribbons of Intention during AG this week leading up to Indigenous Peoples Day railing going down the ramp at the front of the school. Wednesday 10:20 G-1 to G-5 and 10:25 G-6 to G-9. Thursday 10:20 G-10 to G-14 and 10:25 G-15 to G-17. AG teachers, please read the script attached to your package of ribbons that are in the staffroom. Thank you.
- Mountain Bike Club Will the riders who participated in provincials please come by the metal shop at lunch.
- Mountain Bike Club Last weekly ride happening this Thursday. This will be a normal two hour ride (4:30-6:30)
- Thailand Exchange student meeting today at the beginning of Lunch (11:55 am) in room 212.
- Today is the last Island Health Youth Clinic before summer: Nurse Kerri will be here today, from 11:45-12:45 pm. No appointment required, just drop in; it is free and confidential. She can be found in the right side corner office at the top of the red stairs.
- Chess club will be happening today in room 106
- KNIT HAPPENS (plus other yarny stuff) Come to room 115 at lunch. Bring your own supplies and skills, or just show up and learn. Everyone welcome!
- (ACES) Homework Club today after school in room 125 from 3:20 4:20 pm.
- Locks and lockers please begin cleaning out your locker. Final cleanout will be done Thursday, June 19 during AG, at which time you will turn your lock into your AG teacher.
- Last chance to get your jerseys/uniforms into Mr. McRae. If they are not submitted by Friday, you will be charged for your uniforms. Get them in, right meow!!!
- Could Kayla Caton please come down to the art room.
- All term3 grade 8 art students, please come down to the art room to pick up your floral landscape paintings.
- Bursary thank you card reminder: Could Liv Wright, Oksana Slipchenko, Gavin Anderson, Lilliana Herrera, Annika Davey-Lawson, Gavin Jesperson-Mielecki, Ethan Grdina and Quinn Bergen please see Mrs. Kerkhoff in Room 112, for your Bursary thank you cards.
- Would the following students please come to the office to claim their award: Lena Bertram, Tyson Chalmers, Isabella Flynn, Jacob Gilleland, Abbey Hrysio, Morice Kretzschmar, Jayda Mills, Toby Posti, Halyssa Peralta, Colby Purdy, & Stellan Williams-Gort.
- This Friday's flex Flex Day 1 schedule change: 9:00 am to 9:45ish Assembly, A block 9:48 am to 10:30 am, B Block 10:33 am to 11:15 am, C Block 11:18 am to 12:00 pm, Lunch, D Block 12:53 pm to 1:53 pm, Flex Block 1:56 pm 3:20 pm.

OLD NEWS

- If any former students of Mr. Otto did not get a chance to say goodbye last Friday, you have another opportunity to say goodbye on Monday, June 23rd between 12:30 and 1:00 to have some cake.
- Yearbooks are in! Students who have pre-ordered yearbooks, they are available for pick up at the office during break times.
- A big thank you to all of the volunteers at the grade 8 orientation last night!
- Lanyards anyone? Highland Secondary lanyards are available for sale in the office at the accounts counter. Only \$2.00 each and supply is limited!
- Love is Love: June is Pride month and a time for reflection, activism, support and recognition of the LGBTQ+ community's achievements and ongoing struggles for equality and justice. Please enjoy this short video demonstrating that Love has no Labels: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PnDgZuGlhHs

SPORTS

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Comox Nautical Days is looking for student volunteers this summer, setup, supporting the Green Team, assisting with bike lock-up, or pitching in around the site. Possible dates for volunteering are July 30th thru August 5th. If you are interested to sign up and/or learn more, please reach out to nauticaldays@comox.ca or see posting in the careers office.
- The Views is looking for summer volunteers, if you are looking for your volunteer hours or you are looking for health care hours for future career pathways, this is a fantastic opportunity to gain experience. Applications are available in the careers office and the deadline is June 20th to apply.

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