

WORD OF THE DAY: **oceanicity** - the degree to which the climate of a place is influenced by the sea.

GENERAL

MOSCROP PARENT NIGHT SEPTEMBER 21: All parents are invited to Moscrop's Parent Night September 21 to meet your son or daughter's teachers. The evening begins at 5:45 pm with a presentation on study skills by Mr. Young, Ms. Quelch and Ms. Tapia. Meeting the teachers begins at 6:45 pm in the Student Commons with Introductions and Directions for the evening. Beginning at 7:00 pm, parents will have the opportunity to travel the school, listen for the bells to signal class change and follow their child's timetable to meet their teachers. The purpose of the evening is for parents to simply meet their child's teachers. An opportunity to discuss student progress will be available for the parent teacher interviews scheduled for November 2. Hope to see everyone there! Mr. Allen

NEW! PRO-D DAY. Friday, September 22 is a professional development day for teachers. Students do not attend school.

NEW! TERRY FOX RUN – is coming up on Tuesday, September 26th. The schedule is as follows below. Please remember to dress appropriately, be mindful of the people walking around you, do not walk on the neighbours lawns and do not cut the route. Thank you. Leadership 9 / Ms. M. Chow

Terry Fox Run Schedule (5 period day):

Warning Bell:	8:35 am	
Period 5:	8:40am – 9:40 am	<u>RUN: 11:05am - 12:10pm</u>
Period 6:	9:45 am -10:50am	
Morning Break:	10:50am- 11:05am	LUNCH: 12:10 pm- 12:55 pm
Warning Bell:	10:59am	Warning Bell 12:50 pm
Period 7 for attendance only – **Classes will be called down to the starting line**		Period 7: 12:55 pm- 1:55 pm
		Period 8: 2:04-3:02 pm

TERRY FOX DONATION COLLECTION – It's the 36th anniversary of the Terry Fox Run! Terry Fox was a Canadian athlete, humanitarian, and cancer research activist. In 1980, with one leg having been amputated, he embarked on a cross-Canada run to raise money and awareness for cancer research. Although the spread of his cancer eventually forced him to end his quest after 143 days and 5,373 kilometers (3,339 mi), and ultimately cost him his life, his efforts resulted in a lasting, worldwide legacy. The annual Terry Fox Run, first held in 1981, has grown to involve millions of participants in over 60 countries and is now the world's largest one-day fundraiser for cancer research; over C\$650 million has been raised in his name. We are asking students to donate anything they can to help make Moscrop's donation bigger than ever this year. Leadership 9 will be asking for donations on the following dates and times. Thank you, Leadership 9 / Ms. M. Chow

- Today: Wednesday, September 20th – at lunch in the foyer
- Tomorrow: Thursday, September 21st – beginning of period 6 and 7,
- Tuesday, September 26th – outside the main entrance on your way to the run start line, and in the multi-purpose room at the run finish line.

NEW! SHAD – APPLICATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED

SHAD is a competitive program that attracts grades 10, 11 & 12 youth leaders and Change Makers across Canada and around the world. The application takes into consideration both academic results and extra-curricular participation. SHAD is an intense STEAM-based program that focuses on academic learning through lectures, workshops, labs and group projects. SHAD is not like high school. The SHAD learning environment is very different: Living in residence at one of our host university campuses away from home, you will be challenged to embrace and expand your understanding of science and its applications in real situations. SHAD challenges you to "think outside the box" and beyond what you have learned to date at school. Developing engineering prototypes, applying scientific principles, coupled with understanding business when it comes to developing an idea from its inception, to its creation, to realization is a key part of the program. A typical day at the program will include activities that not only take place in the classroom, but also educational field trips, as well as outdoor and recreational activities. The SHAD 2018 program will take place from July 1 to 27. The online application is available at WWW.SHAD.CA/APPLY. The due date for submission is November 20, 2017. Ms. Wispinski

NEW! UNDERGROUND GRAND OPENING! The grand opening for the Underground is this week! Come down to the school store for great snacks with unbeatable prices! Mr. Akizuki

NEW! WELLNESS RETREAT: Just a reminder that all Grade 8s will be attending the Grade 8 Wellness Retreat at Willingdon Church on Thursday, Sept. 28th. All Grade 8s should report to their Period 5 class as usual. Your teacher will be escorting you to Willingdon Church around 9:30 am. Please plan to leave your back pack at the school and just bring a snack and a water bottle with you. Lunch will be provided (burgers and chips!). You will be dismissed at 3:02 from the Church. Thanks! Mrs. Loong and Ms. Quelch

ATLANTIS PROGRAMS - IN SEARCH OF SWIMMING INSTRUCTORS: Do you have your NLS and Canadian Swim Instructor certification? Do you love working with kids? Atlantis is currently hiring instructors for their Swim program at their Burnaby locations: at Greentree Village and Fitness 2000 Athletic Centre. Apply directly through their website at: <https://www.pedalheads.com/about/join-the-team/Atlantis> If you would like to apply this towards your Work Experience hours, please see your Career Educator in 313. Ms. Wong

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR FREE TRANSIT ON BUSES FOR I LOVE TRANSIT WEEK, OCTOBER 2-6, 2017

Kids Ride Buses for Free during I Love Transit Week - October 2-6, 2017. Since 2009, TransLink has hosted [I Love Transit Week](#) as a chance to celebrate our riders and to remind the region about the benefits of taking transit. This year we're pleased to offer free bus service to elementary and high school students on TransLink buses during the week of October 2-6, 2017. Valid for all children and students 19 years and under with student / government issued ID. ****Please note that this does not include SkyTrain, SeaBus and West Coast Express.****

ORANGE SHIRT DAY - EVERY CHILD MATTERS

Orange shirt day is on September 30th annually and has been happening for the past 4 years in Canada.

At Moscrop we will be honouring Orange Shirt Day on **September 29th**. Orange Shirt day is a way to recognize the harm the residential school system did to children's sense of self-esteem and wellbeing, and as an affirmation of our commitment to ensure that everyone around us matters. Orange Shirt Day is also an opportunity for First Nations, local governments, schools and communities to come together in the spirit of reconciliation and hope for generations of children to come. There will be volunteer opportunities available this day and also the chance to win your own Orange Shirt Day t-shirt! If you want to help out and get involved please contact. Please wear orange to show your support! Ms. Gillam



ARE YOU FRENCH IMMERSION AND LOOKING FOR AN AFTER SCHOOL JOB? E2 Education Centre on Royal Oak by Kingsway is looking for Grade 11 or 12 French Immersion students to tutor elementary aged kids in French, Math, English and Science. This position pays minimum wage with opportunities for increases. Position is Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:45 - 6:30pm and STARTS ASAP! There is also need for Saturday positions, hours that starts around the last week of September. If interested, email Roger Chen: info@e2education.com Tell him you are a Moscrop student. Good luck! Ms. Dato

VOLUNTEER/ WORK EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITIES

NEW! WANT TO GET SOME VOLUNTEER HOURS ON THE PRO D DAY THIS FRIDAY? Friday, Sept. 22, 4:00pm - 9:30pm
Bonsor is looking for volunteers to help out with our Celebrate Burnaby 125 event. These are the details... Come volunteer with us at Bonsor. Join us for one of our special events: Celebrate Burnaby 125 happening at Bonsor Complex on Friday, Sept. 22.

Volunteers will help with all the following stations

- Face Painting
- Crafts (small pre-organized)
- Imagination Playground Blocks
- Stroller Storage
- Set Up as needed
- Cleaning up at the end of event as needed
- Runner of information as needed

Please wear comfortable clothing and running shoes. Bring a snack and a water bottle. Please contact: **Kelli Tibbles** Acting Program Coordinator | Bonsor Recreation Complex | City of Burnaby 604-297-4576 kelli.tibbles@burnaby.ca Ms. Wispinski

VANCOUVER HALLOWE'EN PARADE AND EXPO: The 4th annual Vancouver Hallowe'en Parade and Expo is currently looking for volunteers. For students in Gr 11 or 12 who want Work Experience credit, see your Career Educator in room 313. For more information, visit <http://vanhalloween.com>.

What: Vancouver Hallowe'en Parade and Expo

When: October 14 - 15

Where: Granville St, Downtown Vancouver

CELEBRATE BURNABY 125 @ BONSOR COMPLEX, SEPTEMBER 22, 2017: Burnaby's celebrating a birthday! Come volunteer at **Bonsor on September 22nd, 2017!** Stations in need of volunteers include: face painting, crafts, setup, cleanup, and much more! Come see your Career Advisor in 313 for more information.

BURNABY HOSPICE SOCIETY THRIFT STORE: The Burnaby Hospice Society Thrift Store is looking for volunteers ideally for a minimum of one four-hour shift per week between 4-7 pm Monday through Friday to assist customers, organize merchandise, and work as cashiers. For students in Gr 11 or 12 who want Work Experience credit, see your Career Educator in room 313. For additional information, e-mail: thriftstore@burnabyhospice.org

YMCA HIGHSCHOOL MENTORSHIP PROGRAM: Attention grade 11 and 12 girls interested in participating in a young professional female mentorship program, there will be an information session at:

YWCA Program Centre (4th Floor-535 Hornby Street, Vancouver)

Thursday, October 5TH: 5:00 - 6:00 pm

This program is designed for students considering career possibilities and would like a mentor's help to explore career choices.

UNITED WAY: United Way is currently accepting applications for Stewardship Volunteers, whose role would be to assist as fundraisers for United Way. You must be able to commit once a week for two hours between 2:30 - 5:30pm. Grade 11 and 12 students looking for Work Experience credit, see your Career Educator in Room 313.

VANCOUVER AQUARIUM: Grade 11 and 12 students who are interested in marine biology and enjoy working with young visitors at the Vancouver Aquarium, please see your Career Educator in room 313.

SPORTS

NEW! FIELD HOCKEY: Any students in grades 8-12 interested in playing girls field hockey please attend a meeting on Monday, September 25th at lunch in room 219. Thank you, Ms. Vissers

GRADE 8 BOYS' RUGBY: If you are interested in playing rugby this season, you need to sign up on the list posted on the window of the PE office (in the large gym). Please see Mr. Spracklin if you have questions.

BURNABY MORESPORTS: Are you interested in volunteering with after school sports programs? MoreSports is for you! MoreSports runs programs at various elementary schools throughout Burnaby. For more information, visit <http://burnabymoresports.ca/>. Students in Grades 11 and 12 in need of Work Experience credit, please see your Career Educator in 313.

SCHOLARSHIPS

SCOTIABANK NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION IS NOW OPEN.

Early bird deadline: September 20, 2017 for \$1,000

Deadline: November 2, 2017 at 3:00 pm ET for \$5,000

Check out Ms. Clowers' blog for more information.

<https://moscropsecondaryscholarships.wordpress.com>

THE APPLICATION FOR THE LORAN SCHOLARSHIP IS NOW OPEN. Grade 12 students interested in applying go to <http://www.loranscholar.ca>. Moscrop is allowed to forward **three candidates**; your application is **due to Ms. Clowers (Room 335), no later than Friday, September 29th**.

CLUBS

THE SUCCESS CLUB will be starting up this week and will run every day Monday to Thursday 3pm-4pm. Success Club is for any student wishing to receive additional support for course work. And that we are looking for any grade 11/12 students who are looking for volunteer hours to become peer tutors in all academic subjects. Mr. Sisler