

Wednesday Warrior

May 30, 2018



We had a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our last Link Block today as a school. Students took advantage of food trucks, music, games and much needed time to relax together. Thank you to Ms. Kouperman for coordinating this event and we look forward to many more occasions to connect with our future Link Leaders next year.



Next week, we will be honouring our Athletic and Creative Arts programs over 2 evenings. For Creative Arts, families received an invitation to attend the award evening for up to three guests. For the Athletic Awards, please see the following message:

Athletic Awards- Our 'Night of the Warrior' Athletic Awards Banquet will take place on Thursday June 7th. **ALL ATHLETES** from the 2017/18 school year are invited to join their coaches for a delicious dinner at 5pm in our cafeteria catered by the Ohana Café, followed by the awards banquet at 6pm for all athletes, coaches and parents. **Athletes**, please **RSVP by Friday June 1st** to ensure that you have a meal by going to this link: <https://goo.gl/forms/FBOK5FnBBEFLpx6z2>. *Parents, please note that for Athletics, the coaches contacted families if their athlete was receiving an award.*

These 2 evenings are truly fabulous events, and we are so excited to honour our students!

Finally we would like to congratulate our field hockey team, Sr. Boys Soccer, Track Athletes and Sr. Rugby teams for a very successful season. Good luck to our Jr. Boys Soccer and Rugby teams continuing in the playoffs.

Thank you!

Michelle Howell
Principal

Important Dates:

June 6	Creative Arts Evening
June 7	Athletic Awards Evening
June 8	Pep Rally
June 11	School Council Meeting
June 12	Locker Clean Up/ Yearbook Distribution
June 28	Report Cards / Refunds – Must bring ID

School Updates:

Drama

The Drama 10 Class at Henry Wise Wood will be putting on a performance of "Bang, Bang, You're Dead" written by William Mastosimone on June 11th at 7:00 pm in the Drama room. It is a timely show that talks about the sensitive subject of school violence. It is a powerful piece that is meant to start a dialogue. The writer hopes that the play will help people see "Tragedy before it happens." There is no charge for tickets. If you would like a ticket you can speak to Mr. McDonald.

Account Balances: We ask all of our parents and independent students to ensure they have paid all school fees owing and returned all textbooks by June 4 or on the day of the exam if you require the textbook for studying. To check your fee balance please log into your My CBE Account online OR stop by or contact the business office at (403)253-2261, ext 2421.

Refundable Security Deposit Cheques: A reminder, if all textbooks and learning materials have been returned in good order, your Refundable Security Deposit Cheque will be available for pickup with your report card on **June 28, 2018**. If you are not able to pick up your cheque on this date please provide a large, self-addressed, stamped envelope to the main office and we will mail your cheque and report card to you over the summer months.

Learning Commons

June 12th is Yearbook distribution day. Don't be disappointed! In order to receive your Yearbook you must * **Return all textbooks**, * **Return all Library books**, * **Pay any outstanding fees (in Business Office)**

All Library books must be returned by **Monday, June 4th**

(Textbooks you would like to use to study for exams, may be kept until the day of that exam.)

For students taking summer school or online courses, your textbooks are to be borrowed from that office. Novels are your own expense and not to be borrowed from Henry Wise Wood.

Fuel your Brain

We are looking for support from parents to volunteer for our Fuel Your Brain initiative! This initiative has been arranged in partnership with the Henry Wise Wood Student Youth Champions Group and parent council. We are hoping to help students achieve academic success during their exams by raising awareness about health, wellness, and self-care. Our goal is not only to fill bellies before exams, but also to communicate our health message. We know that fueling your brain with a healthy, nutritious breakfast not only helps students to think more clearly and give the body the micronutrients that it needs to optimally function during exams, but is also proven to decrease stress and actively train students to engage in self-care.

Attached you will find the slides that were presented to parent council by our grade 11 Youth Champion group.

Your role as a volunteer would involve handing out free grab-and-go healthy breakfast foods to students from 8am-9am on an exam day. We require 2 volunteers each morning ([June 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28](#)). Volunteer opportunities for "Fuel Your Brain Initiative" are now open. Please click on the following web link (or copy it into your web browser if clicking doesn't work) to go to the signup sheet:

www.volunteersignup.org/BQKW4

Click on the green arrow beside the date(s) you would like to volunteer, and follow the instructions on the page. It only takes a few seconds to do.

Thank you for your support! We look forward to making this initiative a huge success.

LEAD

The LEAD students had a great day volunteering at the Calgary International Children's Festival on Thursday, May 24. The students helped children at different centers while earning hours of volunteer service for their resume. Many compliments were made by festival staff on the commitment and politeness of our Henry Wise Wood LEAD students.

Student Services:

Please see www.educationmatters.ca for Henry Wise Wood and CBE specific scholarships with a due date of May 30th!

Download a copy of Education Matters Award Applicants Handbook for tips on completing a successful application. Please create your account (there is a video tutorial on their site to guide you) and take the eligibility quiz; a list of scholarships you should consider applying for will be generated.

Summer School:

Are you planning on attending **summer school through Chinook Learning**? Please follow these 2 important steps.

Step #1 - If you are planning on attending summer school through Chinook Learning Services, be sure to book an appointment with both with Chinook Learning Services. Visit Chinook Learning Services.com for appointment times and to book your appointment.

Step # 2 – Make an appointment with your HWW guidance counsellor before your Chinook Learning appointment. You must take a Prerequisite Information Form (PIF) signed by your guidance counsellor to your Chinook Learning Services appointment.

Are you planning on attending **online summer school through CBe-learn**?

Please see your guidance counsellor for registration and payment forms before June 18th. You need to obtain both an online summer school course registration and payment forms from your guidance counsellor. Registration ends June 18th.

Summer school dates are from July 3 – 27, 2018 for Chinook Learning, and from July 2 – 27 (one extra day with cbe-learn). Summer school courses cost \$65 plus a \$50 textbook rental fee which will be reimbursed when the textbook is returned.

For more information about summer school, please visit Student Services.

For more information please go to our School Website or download our *NEW*** HWW App**