

# Mount Boucherie GRADE 12 – YEAR AT A GLANCE

## 2011/2012

### September

- ❖ SAT exams – needed for USA universities ([www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)) (MBSS's No. 821144)
- ❖ Apply for a SIN number if you don't have one (application forms available in Career Centre)
- ❖ **Sept. 28** – Grade 12 Parent Information Evening, 7:00 pm
- ❖ **Sept. 29 & 30: PSP Session #1** (Post Secondary Preparation Session) for Gr. 12 students during Blocks 4 & 2 on Thursday and Blocks 8 & 6 on Friday, as well as after school. Session will cover graduation credits, post-secondary application information, scholarship info

### October

- ❖ **Oct. 1 – Nov. 30: University of Victoria** – apply and self report grade 11 marks to receive a conditional offer of admission for Sept. 2012.
- ❖ **Oct. 19** – Sponsored Scholarship applications are due for the Loran Awards. Inquire at: [www.loranaward.ca](http://www.loranaward.ca) or [www.moreheadcain.org](http://www.moreheadcain.org) or call toll free at 1-866-544-2673
- ❖ **Oct. 20 – University-College Representatives at MBSS, 7:00 pm**  
(choose to attend 3 – 30 minute sessions with reps)
- ❖ **Oct. 25** – UBC/UBCO visits MBSS, 7:00 to 8:30 pm in Multipurpose Room
- ❖ **Oct. 26** – Loran Scholarship – Direct Pool applicants **due date**.
- ❖ **Oct. 28** – Deadline to sign up for the Career Mentorship Program
- ❖ **Oct. 31** – TD Scholarships for Community Leadership are due. [www.tdcom/scholarship](http://www.tdcom/scholarship) or call [1-800-308-8306](tel:1-800-308-8306) with any questions.

### November

- ❖ **Nov. 1** – Okanagan College applications online (1<sup>st</sup> day to register)
- ❖ **Nov. 6 – Career Fair at OC** – Kelowna's KLO Campus, 10:30 am to 3:00 pm
- ❖ **Nov. 6 – OC College Prep 101 @ OC – 1:00 pm**. Pre-register by emailing Carolyn Hopkins at [chopkins@okanagan.bc.ca](mailto:chopkins@okanagan.bc.ca)
- ❖ **Nov. 14-18**: Grad Photos – Sign up in the Career Centre.
- ❖ **Nov. 17 & 18: PSP Session #2** – for Grade 12 students during Blocks 6 & 8 on Thursday and Blocks 2 & 4 on Friday, as well as after school. Presentation will include PSI and Bursary and Scholarship information .
- ❖ **Nov. 22** – University of Alberta representative at MBSS.
- ❖ Begin applying to universities for Early Admission.

### December

- ❖ **Dec. 6 & 7 – PSP Session #3** for Gr. 12 students during Blocks 4 & 2 on Tuesday and Blocks 8 & 6 on Wednesday, as well as after school. COBSS/Major Entrance Scholarship information will be presented during this session.
- ❖ **Dec. 8** – COBSS Application help seminar for parents at 7:00 pm in the Library.
- ❖ **Dec. 8** – Grade 12 Transition Interviews (MAP)
- ❖ **Dec. 12 – 15**: Grad Photos taken this week
- ❖ **Dec. 15** – Winter Grad Formal Dance
- ❖ Scholarship deadlines for University of Alberta and University of Calgary

### January

- ❖ **Jan. 9 – 13: Grad Blitz week. Grad fees due.**
- ❖ **Jan. 13** – Education and Career Fair @ The Grand
- ❖ **Jan. 17** – COBSS online applications close
- ❖ **Jan. 18** – COBSS Bursary hard copy of applications due to the Counselling Centre **by 3:00 pm** (late applications will NOT be accepted)
- ❖ **Jan. 24** – English 12 provincial exam

- ❖ Jan. 31 – UBC/UBCO Admission Deadline

## **February**

- ❖ Deadlines for admission to other universities and Entrance Scholarships deadlines.
- ❖ Feb. 15 - deadline to purchase graduation tickets.
- ❖ Feb. 28 - Application deadline for most BC universities.

## **March**

- ❖ Last opportunity to complete a Post-Secondary CHOICES form online – referred to as a “PSI Form” (transcript information is transferred to universities and colleges online via “Student Secure Web” between November and June).
- ❖ Self-report grades to post-secondary institutions – check dates for individual institutions [www.bced.gov.bc.ca/exams/tsw/student/welcome.jsp](http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/exams/tsw/student/welcome.jsp)

## **April**

- ❖ April 15 – Deadline for Grad fee refunds
- ❖ April 19 & 20 – PSP Session #4 – for Grade 12 students during Blocks 4 & 2 on Thursday and Blocks 8 & 6 on Friday, as well as after school. Topics covered will include PSI self reporting grades and registration help for post secondary courses.

## **May**

- ❖ May 10 – Grad Transition Interviews (MAP)
- ❖ May 13 – Grad Banquet and Dance at the Grand

## **June**

- ❖ June 6 – COBSS Bursary Presentation Evening @ 7:00 pm @ MBSS
- ❖ Bursary forms for Colleges/Universities & Student Loan forms available online.
- ❖ June 14 – Grade 12 Assembly re: Grad Ceremony, Block 3 – 10:30 am. Attendance is mandatory.
- ❖ June 21 – English Provincial Exam, 9:00 am.
- ❖ Early registration for courses for September at Post-Secondary Institutions
- ❖ June 21 – Pick up grad gowns at school
- ❖ June 22 – Grad ceremonies at Trinity Baptist Church

## **July**

- ❖ Last week in July – Official transcripts mailed to homes from the Ministry
- ❖ Exam results available at: [www.bced.gov.bc.ca/exams/student.htm](http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/exams/student.htm)
- ❖ Passport to Education – letters mailed home

## **August**

- ❖ August 10-12 – Provincial Exam rewrites
- ❖ Pickup Dogwood Certificate and Passport to Education @ MBSS

## **Useful Career and Scholarship Websites**

- ❖ <http://bcawardsonline.org> (wide variety of scholarships & awards)
- ❖ [www.studentawards.com](http://www.studentawards.com) (scholarships & awards , Canada wide)
- ❖ [www.careercruising.com](http://www.careercruising.com) (Username – Mount, Password – Boucherie)
- ❖ [www.aucc.ca](http://www.aucc.ca)
- ❖ [www.studentscholarships.org](http://www.studentscholarships.org)

- ❖ [www.canlearn.ca](http://www.canlearn.ca)
- ❖ <http://www.pas.bc.ca> (used to apply to BC’s post-secondary institutions)
- ❖ [www.bced.gov.bc.ca/exams](http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/exams) (practice government exams & keys)
- ❖ [www.bccat.bc.ca](http://www.bccat.bc.ca) (provides admission info & transfer info)

