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DATES to REMEMBER

- March 4 - Grade 12 Assembly
- March 5 - Twin Day
- March 10 - PLT
- March 13 & 14 - SGCHS Theatre Production *Freaky Friday*
- March 17 - TCT
- March 17 - School Council Meeting @ 7pm
- March 18 - NextGen Parent RAP Info Evening @ 7 in Horizon Theatre
- March 23-30 - Springbreak
- March 30 - PD Day
- March 30 - Grad Picture retakes in Cafeteria

Here we are, March already! Although it seems a little early in the second semester and students are busily working on meeting the goals and needs of their current courses, March is the time when planning for the next school year truly begins. In order to enable your student to select courses for the 2020-21 school year, parents, you must ensure you have completed the online registration/verification process for your student. The deadline to complete this step is March 20th. If you have not yet done so, please go to Parkland School Division's website, click on 'Registration' and follow the directions outlined.

Students will be attending a grade level course selection assembly this month. At this assembly, grade coordinators and counselors will provide a brief presentation that will help guide student expectations, planning and course selection procedures for the next school year. Student course selection will begin on April 14th, following Easter Long Weekend.

Between now and mid-April, we strongly encourage your student to begin their individual planning process by consulting with current teachers and counselors and researching potential post-secondary programs to find out about required courses and competitive averages required for admission. Perhaps your student needs to start with an online interest or skills inventory which can help guide their exploration. To assist, we recommend your student make use of their MyBlueprint account at www.myBlueprint.ca. This is an invaluable tool introduced to students through their CALM course in grade 10. The program assists with exploration of post-secondary programs, careers and with tracking of high school credits and diploma completion. Additionally, please make sure your student has signed up for a myPass account, which is your direct, secure access to your Alberta Education information. This account is required for viewing diploma exam marks, tracking high school credits, ordering transcripts, etc.

Although it is always an exciting time to begin thinking about new goals and planning to achieve them, your student should not forget that the first step towards meeting next year's goals is to ensure their attention, diligence and overall hard work is applied in a way which fulfills current goals.

Cam Robertson
Assistant Principal & Gr. 11 Coordinator

Prepping for Life After High School

INVEST IN YOUR FUTURE

Through Off-campus Experiences Test Drive a **CAREER PATH**

This Information Session Will Provide a Full Overview of Off-campus Programs



ALL GRADE 9-12 STUDENTS
WELCOME

Earn up to **40 credits**
in the Registered
Apprenticeship Program (RAP)

Explore **OVER 50**
Different Skilled Trade Occupations

Qualify for a **\$1000 Scholarship**

FLEXIBLE work schedules
semesters or summer

Earn while you learn

WHERE: Horizon Stage
1001 Calahoo Rd
Spruce Grove

WHEN: March 18th, 2020
6:30 - 8 :00 PM

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for details today!*

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DRUG INFORMATION & AWARENESS SUPPORT FOR PARENTS



Parkland School Division is proud to present another **FREE** information series for local families.

Evening 1: We will focus on defining the concept of addiction, exploring how addiction develops, identifying the types of drugs that youth may be using and how those substances can affect the brain and body.

Evening 2: We will focus on how to talk to your child/teen about drugs (and what to expect when you do) as well as what addiction and mental health services are available for families.

Dates: Tuesday, March 10 and 17, 2020

Time: 6–7:30pm

Location: Centre for Education (4603 - 48 Street, Stony Plain)

Presenter: Lisa Kimmerly (Alberta Health Services – Addictions)

Information and topics discussed will build on each other, so participants are asked to attend all dates, if possible.

A light supper will be provided. Limited childcare is available.

Space is limited, so please register early to reserve your spot.

To register, please contact:

Vicky Mamczasz, Family Supports Facilitator

phone: 780-963-8472

email: vmamczasz@psd70.ab.ca

MUSIC NOTES

SGCHS Band Program



Can you believe it is already March? As our second semester progresses, the SGCHS Band Program would like to keep you updated on some upcoming special events. Mark your calendars, because we have some exciting new endeavors to share with you!

- **Monday, Mar. 2nd – Panther Band Society (PBS) Meeting**

The Panther Band Society will be meeting at 7:00 pm in Room 233 to continue planning upcoming fundraisers. All parents and guardians are encouraged to attend as the funds raised from these events benefit all members of the band program. Many hands make light work!

- **Wednesday, Mar. 4th – Concert**

Join us in the SGCHS Cafeteria at 5:00 pm for a joint concert with several of our feeder schools from Parkland School Division. This concert will feature the best middle school musicians from across the division in collaboration with their high school peers.

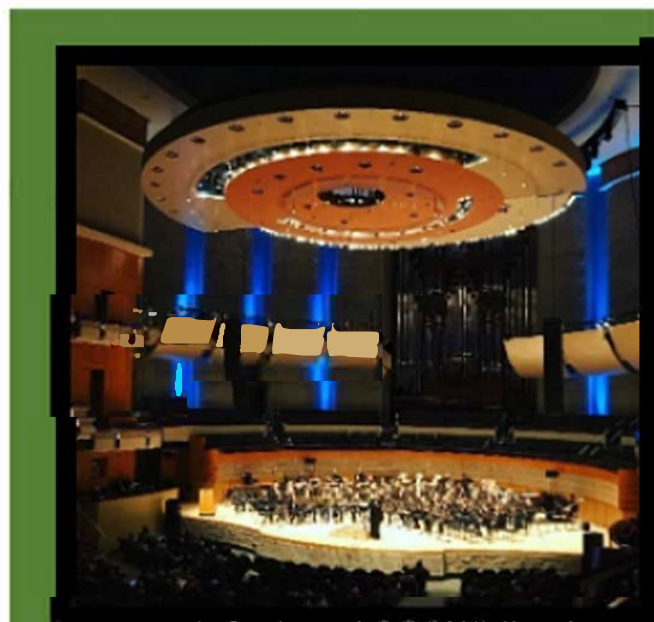


The Panther Drumline made their first performance at a sporting event on Feb. 10th. We hope to see you at future games!

- **Saturday, Apr. 4th – Annual Coffeehouse Fundraiser**

The Panther Band Society invites you to support our program by attending the annual Coffeehouse. This year our SGCHS bands are excited to share the stage with the Joe Sauner Big Band and some other special guests. If you are interested in helping organize the event, join us at the next PBS meeting or email the band society at sgchs.bandsociety@psd70.ab.ca

All proceeds from this event go directly towards the band program.



Last month 5 talented SGCHS Band members were chosen to perform on the Winspear Stage with the UofA Honour Band. Bravo on an inspiring concert!

The Panther Band Society Presents:

The Annual

COFFEEHOUSE

Fundraising Event

Featuring the



JOE SAUMER
BIG BAND



Join us for an evening of music, coffee, tea and desserts. A silent auction and 50/50 raffle will be available for guests to participate in.

SGCHS Cafeteria

Tickets: \$10.00

(6 & Under Free)

Doors Open: 6:30 pm

Show Begins: 7:00 pm

SATURDAY, APRIL 4th



Contact Mrs. Anderson to order tickets today! tess.anderson@psd70.ab.ca



GRAD - JUNE 12, 2020

June 12 is coming quickly. Please remember to check our website regularly for all up-to-date information on Graduation.

INSTAGRAM: Yes, you can find all of the current Grad information on Instagram, just follow [sgchsgrad2020](#)

GRADE 12 ASSEMBLY: There is a grade 12 assembly on Wednesday, March 4 during Seminar. Plan to be there!

GRADE 12 TALENT: Want to speak at Grad, provide entertainment, design the program cover? Please see Mrs. Nullmeyer in the office for more information.

GRAD VIDEO: Want to help with the Grad Video, please see Mrs. Nullmeyer in the office. Please email pictures, Snapchat, videos, etc. to sgchs2020video@gmail.com Please remember these must contain appropriate content.

BABY PICTURE/GRAD PICTURE: Scan and email your favourite baby picture and appropriate quote to sgchsbabypics2020@gmail.com Please remember to include your name in the subject line, the deadline is March 20, 2020!

GRAD PICTURES: If you missed having your Grad picture taken in January or require retakes, it's not too late! Retakes are Monday, March 30 (PD Day). To book your appointment please go to: www.prestigeportraits.ca

TICKET INFORMATION: Graduation takes place on Friday, June 12, 2020 at the Edmonton Expo Centre.

- Ticket prices for the Commencement Ceremony, Dinner and Dance are **\$90.00** each. This cost includes: the venue, meal, Commencement Ceremony, all audio visual (ie: large screens located throughout the venue), online video of the entire event you receive following Graduation, the meal, decorations, DJ and photo booth.
- Tickets for the Commencement Ceremony and Dance are **\$35.00** each. This cost includes all of the above except the meal.
- InviteRight charges a service fee of 4.9% + \$2.78 per ticket.
- ALL tickets are purchased online at: <https://sprucegrove.inviteright.com/grad2020> from **May 1, 2020 at 10:00 am** to **May 22, 2020 at 11:00 pm**
- No limit on the number of tickets you can purchase (tables of 10).
- Everyone, including Graduates, must purchase a ticket in order to attend.
- All sales are final, no refunds.

If you have any questions regarding GRADUATION, please contact Mrs. Nullmeyer at cnullmeyer@psd70.ab.ca or call 780-962-0800.

SGCHS Final Exam Schedule - June 2020

Students should arrive at their exam location 15 minutes BEFORE exam start time!

	AM/PM	SCHOOL EXAMS & LOCATIONS	AM	DIPLOMA EXAMS & LOCATIONS
June 9 (Tuesday)	8:24am 11:55am	English 10-1 Part A (Small Gym, 102 & 102B) Social Studies 20-1, 20-2 Part A (Small Gym, 102 & 102B) Etudes Sociales 20-1, 20-2 Part A (Small Gym, 102 & 102B)		
June 10 (Wednesday)			9am	English 30-1, 30-2 Part A (Small Gym)
June 11 (Thursday)			9am	Social Studies 30-1, 30-2 Part A (Small Gym) Etudes Sociales 30-1, 30-2 Part A (102)
June 16 (Tuesday)	Last Day of Regular Classes for ALL Students			
June 17 (Wednesday)	8:30am 12:00pm	Social Studies 10-1 Part A (Small Gym & 102B) Etudes Sociales 10-1, 10-2 Part A (102 & 102B) Mathematics 31 & 30-3 (Large Gym) English 10-2 Part A (Small Gym & 102B) French Language Arts 20-1, 20-2 Part A (102 & 102B) Social Studies 20-1, 20-2 Part B (Large Gym) Etudes Sociales 20-1, 20-2 Part B (Large Gym)		
	AM/PM	SCHOOL EXAMS & LOCATIONS	AM	DIPLOMA EXAMS & LOCATIONS
June 18 (Thursday)	8:30am 12:00pm	Social Studies 10-2 Part A (Small Gym & 102B) French Language Arts 10-1, 10-2 Part A (102 & 102B) English 20-1, 20-2 Part A (Small Gym, 102 & 102B)	9am	Mathematics 30-1, 30-2 (Large Gym)
June 19 (Friday)	8:30am 12:00pm	Mathematics 10C, 10-3 (Large Gym) Mathematics 20-1, 20-2, 20-3 (Large Gym)	9am	English 30-1, 30-2 Part B (Small Gym)
June 22 (Monday)	8:30am 12:00pm	Science 10, 14 (Large Gym) Science 20, 24 (Large Gym) Chemistry 20 (Large Gym)	9am	Social Studies 30-1, 30-2 Pt. B (Small Gym) Etudes Sociales 30-1, 30-2 Pt. B (Small Gym)
June 23 (Tuesday)	8:30am 12:00pm	French Lang. Arts 10-1, 10-2, 20-1, 20-2 Part B (Large Gym) Biology 20 (Large Gym)	9am	Biology 30 (Small Gym)
June 24 (Wednesday)	8:30am 12:00pm	German 10, 20, 30 (Large Gym) French 10, 20, 30 (Large Gym) Japanese 10, 30, 31 (Large Gym) Physics 20 (Large Gym)	9am	Chemistry 30 (Small Gym)
June 25 (Thursday)	8:30am 12:00pm	Social Studies 10-1, 10-2 Part B (Large Gym) Etudes Sociales 10-1, 10-2 Part B (Large Gym) English 20-1, 20-2 Part B (Large Gym)	9am	Physics 30 (Small Gym)
June 26 (Friday)	8:30am	English 10-1, 10-2 Part B (Large Gym)	9am	Science 30 (Small Gym)
June 29 (Monday)	Professional Development Day - No Exams & No Students Attend			

February Athletes of the Month



Ryan Duchscherer

Wrestling



Tessa Granson-Wollard

Sr Girls Basketball

These monthly athletic awards are sponsored by our local Boston Pizza located at 201 Calahoo Road, Spruce Grove!



PANTHER APPAREL



It's here!!!

Check out our SGCHS Panther Apparel store!

Show your Panther Pride and wear your gear proudly!

<https://urstore.ca/sgchs-panther-apparel>