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SPRUCE GROVE COMPOSITE HIGH SCHOOL

**Building Excellence
& Success Together**



ADMINISTRATION MESSAGE

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Students:

As we approach the close of another school year, I'd like to thank our student, staff and parent community for making SGCHS the BEST place to learn. The academic and relational growth that occurs over the course of a regular school year is remarkable, and is especially realized when one steps back to truly appreciate the progress students have made.

June is a time of reflection and transition. This is especially true for our Graduate Class of 2025 as they see through their remaining classes and exams, and plan for the next steps in their life journeys. It was an honour to be able to shake the hand of each of these students at our Commencement Ceremony this past weekend and I wish them the best as they move forward.

June is also a time of transition for all our current students. Certainly, students are ready to transition into Summer Break; however, they should first remember to transition their gear out of their lockers. Lockers should be cleaned out by the end of the day on Monday, June 16. Students should ensure all materials and textbooks are returned to the library and any other school-owned materials returned to their respective locations, prior to removing all personal belongings.

Student timetables will be released prior to the end of this school year, likely within the next week or so. Once released, students will be able to submit timetable change requests in the same fashion they have done so all year, by going to the website, clicking on the relevant news item and submitting requests via the Timetable Change Request Google Form. Submitting these requests now ensures that appropriate and necessary changes can be made prior to the first day of the 2025-2026 school year.

I look forward to welcoming returning students, and of course our new Grade 10s, into the building in the Fall. You will receive further communication regarding SGCHS's 2025-26 School Start Up plans at the end of this month. That information, and any updates or changes, will be communicated once more in mid-August to ensure everyone has the most recent and up-to-date information.

Again, thank you again for your contribution to a successful school year and have a safe, restful, and joyful summer!

Sincere and warm regards,

Cam Robertson
SGCHS Principal



REMEMBER



CLEAN OUT YOUR LOCKERS!
RETURN YOUR LIBRARY BOOKS AND
TEXTBOOKS

GRAD 2025 –

Congratulations to the SGCHS Class of 2025! A commencement ceremony was held at the Edmonton EXPO Center to celebrate the class of nearly 400 graduates. We wish all of our students success in their future endeavours.

Congratulations!



VALEDICTORIAN –

Our 2025 Valedictorian, Tavish Heatherington. Tavish embodies our school motto, "Building Excellence & Success Together." As an outstanding student and a supportive friend to his classmates, he is an exemplary representative of SGCHS.

Tavish has actively participated in significant events, including meetings with the Parkland School Division Board of Trustees, Education Planning and Development Day, and Advisory Council. He advocates for the opportunity to learn second languages and has served as the athletic trainer for both the senior men's volleyball and basketball teams. Tavish has made positive contributions to his community through his volunteer initiatives, in particular with regards to raising funds for Muscular Dystrophy research.

Tavish has been accepted into the University of Alberta Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology program for the fall of 2025.

Congratulations, Tavish!



ART EXCELLENCE –

Ms. Allison Dakin's Grade 10, 11 and 12 students produced some outstanding pieces for the recent High School art show. Below are the winners from each grade. Congratulations Artists!

GRADE 12

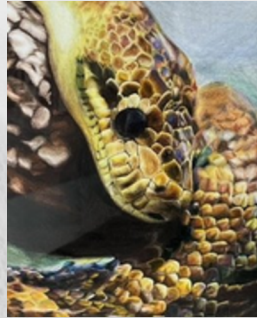
'FOUR WINGED FOX'
BY NOVA NICHOLS



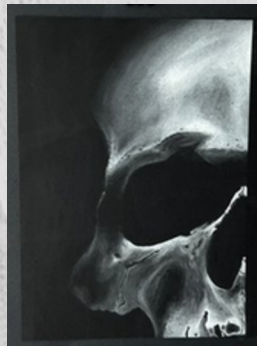
"NOSTALGIA"
BY LIZ KOSOLOFSKI



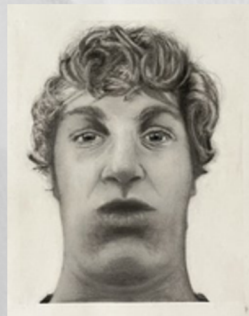
"MAGIC OF NATURE"
BY KATELYN GRAHAM

GRADE 11

"COILED SNAKE"
BY PAIGE FLYNN



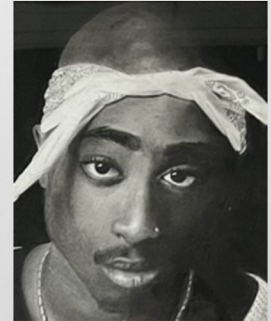
"MONOTONE SKULL"
BY PAIGE FLYNN



"SELF PORTRAIT"
BY HARRIS MILLS



"ARCHER"
BY BAILEY CASAVANT

GRADE 10

'TUPAC'
BY NAOMI POIRE-THIBAudeau



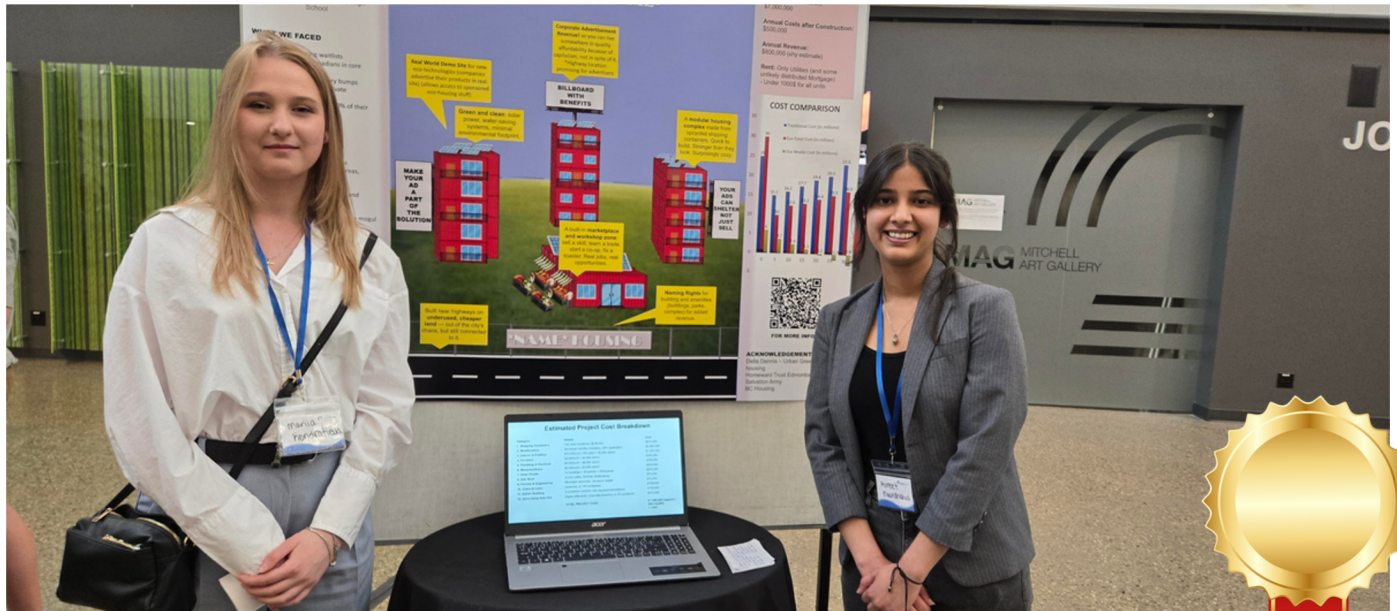
"ANGRY DRAGON"
BY ROWAN FARRELL



"POET OF GENERATIONS: ZIMMERMAN"
BY IRENE DIAZ JACKSON

BUSINESS ACUMEN –

Congratulations to Mr. Lindstrom's Business students Mariia Kondratieva and Avreet Maanshahia for their "Out of the Box, Into a Home" project and third place win at the MacEwan Student Innovation Challenge!



RUGBY ROUND OF APPLAUSE –

Three cheers for the Boys' 7s Rugby team and their coaches, Ms. Sorenson and Ms. Inglis who won the City Championships and did a fine job representing SGCHS at Provincials!



SHOUT OUT SEASON –

SGCHS students never stop striving for excellence, whether in their personal, academic or extracurricular lives. These SGCHS students below accomplished great things over the past few weeks!



Katrina Bonifacio won GOLD in Graphic Design and earned a spot on Team Alberta to compete in the National Skills Competition in Regina, Saskatchewan!

Metro City Athletics Champions

Todd Kellier - Silver in 200m

Durnin Dyer - Silver in 100m hurdles

Thaeden Regenwetter - Gold in Javelin

All three qualified for the Provincial Track & Field Meet!



Memphis McIntosh is the new Canadian National Youth Boxing Champion!

SGCHS Final Exam Schedule - June 2025

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

- Students writing Diploma exams (June 11-13) are expected to attend afternoon classes when they have completed their exams.
- Diploma exams can not be rescheduled
- Students with exam conflicts need to complete the "Exam Conflict Form"

DATE	TIME	SCHOOL EXAMS & LOCATIONS	AM	DIPLOMA EXAMS & LOCATIONS
June 11 (Wednesday)			9:00am	English 30-1 Part A English 30-2 Part A
June 12 (Thursday)			9:00am	Social Studies / Etudes 30-1 Part(ie) A Social Studies / Etudes 30-2 Part(ie) A
June 13 (Friday)			9:00am	French Language Arts 30-1 Partie A
June 11-13	In-Class Final Exams Where Applicable <i>(Details will be communicated by course teachers as necessary)</i>			
June 16 (Monday)	Last Day of Regular Classes for ALL Students (Desk Movement Day -- Block 4)			
June 16 (Monday)			9:00am	French Language Arts 30-1 Partie B
June 17 (Tuesday)	8:30am	Social Studies 20-1 Part A Social Studies 20-2 Part A French Language Arts 20-1, 20-2, 30-2 Part A	9:00am	Mathematics 30-1 Mathematics 30-2
	12:00pm	English 10-1 Part A English 10-2 Part A Mathematics 31		
June 18 (Wednesday)	8:30am	English 20-1 Part A English 20-2 Part A	9:00am	English 30-1 Part B English 30-2 Part B
	12:00pm	Social Studies 10-1 Part A Social Studies 10-2 Part A Études sociales 10-1 Partie A Études sociales 10-2 Partie A		

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DATE	TIME	SCHOOL EXAMS & LOCATIONS	AM	DIPLOMA EXAMS & LOCATIONS
June 19 (Thursday)	8:30am	Science 10, 10FI Science 14	9:00am	Social Studies/Études 30-1 Part(ie) B Social Studies/Études 30-2 Part(ie) B
	12:00pm	Science 20 Science 24 Chemistry 20		
June 20 (Friday)	8:30am	Biology 20 Mathematics 30-3	9:00am	Biology 30 (68)
	12:00pm	French 10, 20, 30 German 10, 30 Japanese 20, 30		
June 23 (Monday)	8:30am	Mathematics 10C, 10-3, Mathématiques 10C	9:00am	Chemistry 30 (58)
	12:00pm	Mathematics 20-1, 20-2, 20-3		
June 24 (Tuesday)	8:30am	Social Studies 10-1, 10-2 Part B Études sociales 10-1, 10-2 Partie B Physics 20	9:00am	Physics 30 (34)
	12:00pm	Social Studies 20-1, 20-2 Part B French Language Arts 20-1, 20-2, 30-2 Partie B		
June 25 (Wednesday)	8:30am	English 10-1, 10-2 Part B	9:00am	Science 30 (22)
	12:00pm	English 20-1, 20-2 Part B		
June 26 (Thursday)	8:30am	Conflict Exams	9:00am	
	12:00pm			
June 27/30 (Fri.-Mon.)	PD Day/Turnaround Day - (No Students)			

Have a safe and happy summer
SGCHS!

