



SBDHS DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Friday, September 18, 2026 - DAY 3

REMINDERS:

- Welcome back, students! Step into the classroom with confidence—you're ready for this!
- Lockers must be locked at all times. Unlocked lockers may result in other consequences such as detentions. Students will be charged for lost locks.

COURSE CHANGES

The course change period is now finished. Students who have extra credits can still drop a course but no further courses can be added for this semester. There will be another course change period for second semester.

LORAN SCHOLARSHIP

Applications are now being accepted for this scholarship ranging from \$3000-\$6000. Students must be graduating in 2027, be a Canadian citizen and have a cumulative average of 88%. Students must be planning to attend a university that is on their partnership list. For more information, see the poster on the bulletin board by the washroom or go to loranscholar.ca. Deadline to apply is October 15, 2026.

NIAGARA RIGHT TO LIFE SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship essay contest is for all grade 11 and 12 students attending a Canadian High School. Three prizes of \$2000, \$1500 and \$100 will be awarded. Students are asked to submit an essay on the topic that is described on their poster by the office. Deadline is October 16, 2026. For more information see: niagararegionrighttolife.ca or theinterim.com.

RED RIVER CULINARY ARTS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Red River Polytech is offering an after school culinary arts program for high school students. The classes will run every Tuesday and Wednesday, 4:00-7:30 pm starting on October 6. There is no cost for this program. Space is limited – if interested, see Mrs. Herr or apply at <https://www.rrc.ca/youth/after-school-leaders/culinary-arts/> by October 5. The earlier you apply, the better your chance of getting in – only 16 students will be accepted.

Honour Roll Clarification

Students have been asking about lates/absences as it relates to Honour Roll status. As a reminder, our handbook states: "Honour Roll status may be withheld in cases of extended or accumulated absences which significantly impacted the overall assessment of the student's academic progress and standings. This includes accumulating over 10 lates (**both unexcused and excused**) or unexcused absences per semester."

CELLPHONE USE FOR STUDENTS GOING TO NELSON MCINTYRE

Students attending classes at Nelson McIntyre are not to have cellphones with them when going to and from Nelson McIntyre and are not allowed to have them in the building. Please leave your cellphone in your locker.

HONOUR ROLL

If you were on the Honour Roll last year and did not pick up your certificate at the Year End Mass, you may pick it up from Mrs. Moniz in the office.



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SCHOOL FRONT ENTRANCE

When you are entering in through the front door, students are reminded to do the following:

1. Remove your hood and face the camera on the bell. Do not ring the bell and then go stand by the door, students need to be facing the camera when you ring the bell.
2. Do not hold the door open for anyone other than a fellow student (only if you are 100% sure that it is a student at SBDHS). This means not opening the door for parents, delivery drivers, and visitors.
3. If you are waiting by the door at the end of the day for your ride, do not to open the door to let others in. The office closes at 3:30 pm and there is no one there to let you into the school after this time. This is all for the safety of our students and staff at our school.

AFTER SCHOOL

Students are reminded that the Holy Cross foyer is off limits – this is not a place that you can wait for your ride or for a later practice.

The library is open until **4:00 pm** for students waiting to be picked up. By 3:25, students must either leave the building or go to the library, unless participating in an after school supervised activity.

ATTENDANCE

Students are reminded that you cannot excuse yourself from classes, a parent needs to phone or email the office **before** you sign out at the office.

If you are going to be away due to illness, an appointment or a family event, a parent needs to phone or email the school ahead of time.

CAMPUS MINISTRY – HCS RETREAT VOLUNTEERS SEE MR. DIESTRO

If you spoke to Mr. Diestro about volunteering for the Grade 7 retreat at Holy Cross (including those in the waitlist), **please see him in his office TODAY for additional information!**

ATHLETICS

Congratulations! To our Golf team who showed off their amazing skills yesterday at the Zone 12 Championships! It was fantastic weather and our boys' team of Action Jaxon, Woo 3 and Baby K finished near the top of the individual standings! Frank The Tank and Julie the Joker also showed that they can hold their own against some top Provincial golfers!

All Volleyball players are to meet today in the gym at the lunchtime bell! **Do not be late!!**

TERRY FOX WALK

1. Terry Fox Permission forms (signed) are due to your TA teachers before Monday Sept 21.
2. Donations - our school goal is to raise \$1000. To reach this goal we would need a \$5 donation per person.
3. The Terry Fox Walk is taking place on Wednesday September 23rd during Periods 2 and 3. More information will be given next week.



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STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS

On Monday September 21st TA will be extended by 10 minutes for Student Council TA Representative Elections.

1. Each TA needs one representative.
2. If you are interested in running, please give your name to your TA teacher.
3. Please follow the instructions given on the election envelope that was given to each TA teacher for voting procedures and ballots.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Music Ministry invites **you** to join **us**! Do you sing, and/or play an instrument? Come to room 24 at lunch on Tuesday to join!

Resonance Music Society

The Resonance Music Society is looking for members! If you like playing music, jamming with friends, and playing your favourite songs, then this club is for you! We will be having a membership sign up at lunch on Wednesday in room 24.

Please Return Mr. HD's Books

Congratulations on having read some good books! Now you have to return them. You know who you are. Please bring any books borrowed from Mr. HD back to room 24 as soon as possible.

Religion Credit Policy Contract

Please be reminded that you are required to submit your Religion Credit Policy Contract to the TA Teacher no later than **September 18th**. Timely submission of this contract is essential to ensure your compliance with course requirements. If you have any questions regarding the contract or need assistance, please speak with Ms. Duggan in Room 36 or Mr. Lisowski in Rm 35.

Sustainability Club

The first sustainability club meeting will be on **Thursday Sept. 17 in room 9 at 12:10** (you are welcome to come and eat lunch in room 9 beforehand). If you are interested in making the school a more sustainable place or want to help with exciting initiatives, like planning earth month, come to the meeting and see what we're about!

The Debate Club

The debate team will meet on Monday at lunch in Room 35.

Games Club

Are you interested in playing board games, card games, Chess, or Mahjong? Don't know how to play, but are willing to learn? Join Games club! Clubs don't happen without you! Sign-up sheet is outside Mrs. Bryan's class (**Room 23**). Pending start date. If not, enough students are interested then games club will be cancelled.

Wednesday at lunchtime. 12-12:40.

KPOP PROJECT MAKES ITS RETURN!!

K-pop Project is open to K-pop dance enthusiasts of all levels, whether you're a beginner or intermediate. You're all welcome to join! This is a safe and welcoming space to share your love of K-pop, learn K-pop choreography, and connect with other fans! **Our first meet-up will be this Thurs, Sept 17, from 3:10 p.m. to 4:10 p.m. in the MPR.** Please arrange for your pickup at 4:10



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p.m. sharp. Our official club days will be every Wednesday after that. Audition dates are TBD! If you have any questions, please ask **Shay/Seyi in Grade 10**. See you at our comeback, Centurions!

Computer Science Club

Meets this Thursday at lunch in Room 20! Come by to start your own programming project, start or help out with developing a game or help us get an esports team started. We'll be looking at **team and solo competition options**, including games like **Marvel Rivals, Rocket League, Pokémon Champions, Minecraft, Brawlhalla, Valorant, and Fortnite**. Whether you want to **create, code, or compete**, come check it out! (Please eat in MPR and then come over)

Math Club

With the great success of last year: Parthiv and Samuel ranking 3rd in the province! Math club is back on Tuesdays at lunch **12-12:40** starting next week. Join us to prepare for the UofW Math Contest. **Sign up with Mrs. Bryan in room 23**

CDC

CDC auditions are coming up next week! Centurion Dance Collective is a student-led dance and cheer club that brings school spirit by cheering at games, dancing at pep rallies, and supporting our school community. If you have any questions, see Mo, Abby, or Kene in Grade 12!

STU-CO

Welcome Home Day is happening on September 25th during periods 4 & 5! This is our way of welcoming you to or back to our school and celebrating the school spirit that makes our community so special. Make sure to dress up in your corresponding TA color to show your school spirit and represent your team!

Grade 9

TA 8 – Dark Blue

TA 24 – Light Blue

TA 36 – Yellow

Grade 10

TA 9 – Light Green

TA 21 – Black

TA 26 – Red

Grade 11

TA 22 – Purple

TA 23 – White

Grade 12

TA 7 – Dark Green

TA 34 – Brown

TA 35 – Grey

Get ready to bring the energy, compete with your TA, and show everyone what your team is made of!



Sept 18th Matthew R.



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