

March 8, 2019



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Friday Flapper

Calendar of Events

March 13, Wednesday
- Sr. Presentations

March 14, Thursday
- Midterm Reports for High School
- Student led conferences 5-8 pm
- Celebration of Learning Event 5-8 pm

March 15, Friday
- Report Card #2 K-7
- Last Day before Spring Break

March 16- March 31
- Spring Break – No School

April 1, Monday
- First day back after Spring break
- Early Dismissal – 2:05pm

April 6-14
- Grade 12 Grad Trip

April 6-13
- Grade 11 Encounters with Can trip

April 18, Thursday
- H.S. Report Card #3
- Grand-Friend's Day

April 19, Friday
- Good Friday – No School

April 22, Monday
- Easter Monday – No School

April 26, Friday
- Pro D Day Houston – NO SCHOOL

April 27, Saturday
- Centennial Spring Classic

April 29 – Monday
- Early Dismissal 2:05 p.m.

May 20, Monday
- Victoria Day – No School

May 23, Thursday
- Theatre at CCS

May 24, Friday
- Theatre at CCS

May 25, Saturday
- Golf Scramble

May 27, Monday
- Early Dismissal 2:05 p.m.
- School Society Meeting 7:30 p.m.

June 6, Thursday
- Grade 12 Graduation

June 24, Monday
- Early Dismissal 2:05 p.m.

June 25, Tuesday
- Last day of school – HALF DAY

June 26, Wednesday
- Staff admin day

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2019 Celebration of Learning

This year's Evening of Science, Inquiry and Research will be held on **Thursday, Mar. 14th**. It will be the same evening as elementary student-led conferences, so all elementary parents should book the evening to see what our students from K-9 have been learning! There will be Science Fair projects on display, hands on demonstrations, province research projects, models and many other pieces of learning. We have been working hard to prepare our Celebration of Learning! See you all there **between 5:00 and 8:00 pm**.

Mrs. Ella Ringma



Grand-Friends Day!

Grand-Friends Day will be held this year on Thursday, April 18. This is a very exciting day for students and grand-friends. Grand-friends are invited to share lunch with their Grandchildren in the gym at 12:05 and also to visit classrooms at 1:00. They will be served coffee and goodies and soup for lunch! Student will sit with their Grand-Friend for lunch but **students will need to bring a bagged lunch** as this is not a hot lunch day and lunch will only be provided for the Grand-Friends. Please help make Grand-Friends Day another great success!

Mr. Edgar Veldman, Principal



Spring Flower Fundraiser

The high school band is now selling spring flowers. Please place your order with a high school band student, or purchase through the office.

Mrs. Kimberly Lindsay



Senior Presentations – March 13 – 7:00 pm

Senior Presentations will take place on Wednesday, March 13 at 7:00pm for all our graduates and invited guests.

Mr. Edgar Veldman, Principal



Leadership Review – Online Surveys Monday, March 11

On Monday leadership review surveys will be sent home to all families. Please take the time to complete these surveys over Spring break as they are critical for the external evaluation team (Leadership Review Team) that will be at our school in the middle of April. Data from these surveys will be used as part of the process to review the school's principal, assistant principal and school board. Thank you for your input in advance. The deadline for these surveys will be Friday, March 29.

The Centennial Christian School Board

CCS External Administrative Review

by the SCSBC - April 15-16, 2019

The Apostle Paul said that when people "measure themselves with themselves they are not wise," (II Cor. 10: 12b). How well are we doing? Let's ask someone else. Christian education is of such importance that we dare not become smug or complacent. Consistent with our intention to encourage students to do their very best, the leadership of Centennial Christian School have committed to undergo an external review of our leadership. This will include the school's principal, vice principal and school board.

We have asked the Society of Christian Schools in BC (SCSBC) to conduct this review. A team of Christian educators who have demonstrated their leadership competencies in other Christian schools will visit our school and prepare a report that celebrates our leadership strengths and highlights areas in which we can consider improvements. The intention is not to undertake such a review because something is wrong, rather it is undertaken so that the Body of Christ may be built up. Furthermore, it is recommended by the SCSBC that all Christian schools undergo such a leadership review on a regular cycle as articulated in school policy.

To assist the Leadership Review Team in discerning an accurate picture of our school, electronic questionnaires will be completed by staff, board and committee members as well as parents. The Review Team will be in our school on April 15 & 16, 2019.

We thank you for your assistance. Please continue to pray for our school and this external evaluation as well. May Christ be praised in all things.

The Centennial Christian School Board

SOGI Survey

Today is the deadline for submitting your thoughts through the SOGI survey that was sent out to society members for a second time early this week. If you have not had the chance to fill this survey out, please take some time to do that today.

SOGI Task Force

Bazaar Thanks!

Thank you to everyone who participated in our annual school bazaar last Friday. It was a fantastic 3 hours of food, games, auction and community building. Thank you for supporting our graduates and grade 11 students on their trips to Tofino and Ottawa this year. We are delighted to have raised over \$6000 to support these two classes.

Mr. Edgar Veldman, Principal

Firewood for Sale!

Our Grad class is selling firewood! This is weathered wood that has been cut and will be delivered to buyers in May. Payment can be made in the CCS office. This is a fundraiser for Grad and is by donation with the minimum donation being \$250/cord.

Grad Class



CCS 100 Day Reading Book Challenge!

For the next 100 days we are challenging students to read! The book challenge ends the week of May 20.

- High School Challenge – 150 books in 100 days
- Intermediate (Grade 4-7) – 100,000 minutes in 100 days
- Primary (Preschool- Grade 3) – 100,000 minutes in 100 days

Mrs. Anita Struyk

Grand Prize Needed!

We are beginning the plans for the 2019 Centennial Spring Classic! We do not have a Grand Prize for this year and would love to have one donated. If you feel to give or you know someone who may be interested in donating something, please let us know! Give us a call if you need ideas!

Centennial Spring Classic Planning Committee



Music Festival Dates!

Ukulele Choir

The CCS strummers will be performing at Music Festival on Monday, April 1, 2019 the first day back from spring break. Students will need to be at the E-Free Church by 12:30pm for sign in, and will be performing in the sanctuary at 1:30pm. Please note that all students must be picked up at the church after they perform. For more information, please contact me at 250-635-6173.



Grade 6/7 Concert Band

The grade 6/7 concert band will be performing at the REM LEE theatre on Friday April 5, 2019 at 9:30am. Students must arrive at the back entrance of Caledonia School at 8:30 for registration, and then will be walked over to the REM LEE for 9:30am performance. All students must come to the performance wearing their Dare to Dream t-shirts with black pants, and have their instrument and music. For more information, please contact Mrs. Lindsay at 250-635-6173.

Grade 8/12 Concert Band

The high school band will be performing on Friday, April 5, 2019 at 4:30pm. Students must arrive at the back entrance of Caledonia School at 3:30pm wearing their concert uniform with music and instrument. Students will have a 1/2 clinic after their concert, and be picked up at Caledonia High School in the band room. For more information, please contact Mrs. Lindsay at 250-635-6173. Thank you!

Mrs. Kimberly Lindsay, Band Director

TESSA BASKETBALL SCHEDULE		
January 28 to March 12 All Games held on Tuesdays: Start time 3:30		
Date	Team	Home Team (host)
Tuesday March 12	CCS	@SCS





2019-2020 Registration Available

Interested in enrolling your K-12 child at C.C.S.? Click below to download our 2019-2020 K-12 application package

Download K-12 Application Package - [Click Here!](#)

Interested in enrolling your preschool child at C.C.S.? Click below to download our preschool application package

Download Preschool Application Package - [Click Here](#)

Email principal@centennialchristian.ca for more information!

Purdy's Easter Chocolates!

CCS Grad class is fundraising with Purdy's Chocolatier, just in time for Easter! We have 3 easy ways that you can support us through purchasing some very sweet Easter gifts for friends, family and yourself:

1. Ask any of our grade 12 students- they have personalized online codes and individual order sheets.

2.. Go to <https://fundraising.purdys.com/967206-64475>

After you've signed in you can buy our amazing chocolates or invite others to join and support our Fundraising Campaign.

3. If you would like to look at the Catalog and fill out an order sheet, there are some to look at in the front office.

Thank you so much for your support!

Grade 12 class



Elementary Teacher Needed 2019/2020 School Year

Centennial Christian School, located in the beautiful Skeena Valley in Terrace, BC, is accepting applications for an elementary teacher (Intermediate Grade 4 or Grade 5) for the 2019-2020 school year. Centennial Christian School recently celebrated its 50th anniversary and is currently educating over 200 Pre-K to Grade 12 students in the Terrace area. Centennial Christian School's competitive above grid compensation package includes a substantial moving allowance to an area where educators can be a creation enjoyer in God's world. Applicants should be committed Christians dedicated to training disciples for our Lord Jesus Christ with a Head/Heart/Hands approach to Christian education. Interested applicants should submit their resume and statement of faith electronically to:

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