

Nanaimo District Secondary School

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Dear NDSS Parents, Guardians and Students,

Here is the weekly information update for Wednesday, June 22, 2022

Locker Clean Out

- Tomorrow is Locker Clean Out Day. Students who have lots of stuff are encouraged to bring a large, robust, backpack.
- Students will be dismissed at 1:35pm from Block D tomorrow to clean out lockers before the end of day bell at 1:46pm
- Gr. 8-11's can take their combination locks home and bring them back in Sept., to reuse again next school year.
- Lost and Found items will be displayed outside at lunch near the drama portable this Thur., and Fri. Come take a look!

MyEd Portal Access

- Teachers are now writing final report cards, so visibility within the MyEd Parent Portal has been temporarily restricted.
- The visibility of the transcript side tab in the 'Student Portal' remains unchanged to allow access to the 'Academics' tab, and 'Assignments' side tab to view and/or access work that is due, scores on marked items to date, and other features.
- Report Cards will be published to MyEd parent/student portals on Wednesday, July 6th.

Graduation Details

- The NDSS Grad website has the most up to date information at: https://sites.google.com/learn68.ca/ndss-grad/home
- Next Tues., June 28 Grads need to be at the <u>Vancouver Island Conference Center</u> from 2:30-3:30pm for a mandatory rehearsal and must bring their cap, gown & v-stole. Spectators are not permitted at the commencement rehearsal.
- Our NDSS Commencement will be *live streamed* from 2:00-5:00pm on Wednesday, June 29. On that day, please share/use the following link to watch the ceremony directly via the webcast: https://www.sw-online.com/ndss-grad-2022/
- Finding parking near the Vancouver Island Conference Center can be challenging, so please give yourself lots of time.

PARKING & LOADING A 300-space underground parking garage provides quick and easy access to the Vancouver Island Convention Centre. Parkade access: Follow Gordon Street one block to Museum Way. Parkade entrance is behind the Port Theatre. Loading dock access: Behind the VICC building on Gordon Street.

NDSS Yearbooks

- For the first time in many years, NDSS has now sold out of all the extra yearbooks ordered for last minute purchases.
- Some students have asked our teacher yearbook coordinator, Mr. Hardy, if more yearbooks could be ordered for them.
- The company who printed our yearbook quoted Mr. Hardy \$105.00 per book, excluding tax & US shipping fees, for a minimum order of 50 additional yearbooks. Unfortunately, this price per book was too high to proceed at this late date.

Library Information

- All NDSS library books and course textbooks are now overdue. Fines will be applied to online fee accounts for unreturned items. If an item is listed in error on your library account, please speak to Mrs. Kullman this week.
- There are free books and binders available in the library to pick up tomorrow. The library is closed this Friday at lunch.
- Band students are invited to come to the library on Fri., at lunch (10:55-11:19am) for a special presentation to Mr. Becker.

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