



WCS Newsletter

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Merry Christmas and Happy New Year
from all of the staff at Worsley School



Christmas Concert: Monday December 19 at 1 pm
Christmas Banquet: Wednesday December 21 at 12 pm

Basketball

The Jr. Boys/Girls will be playing games in Hines Creek Dec.15th and Worsley Dec. 19th.

Report Card 2

Our next report card goes home on **Monday January 30th, 2012.**

Parent Teacher Interviews:

Wednesday Feb. 8th @ 5:00-7:00pm Thursday Feb. 9th @ 6:00-8:00pm

Diploma Exam Review

Social Studies Diploma Review every Monday & Wednesday 3:30-5:00pm

Chemistry Diploma Review every Tuesday & Thursday 3:45-4:45pm

DK in College

Last year's graduate DK Poncilus was nice enough to send us some information about how he's doing in college:

"This past September I made the big move from the house I grew up in, to my own little apartment in the big city of North Vancouver. And according to the tachometer in my minivan, (the 'soccer rocker') Vancouver is about 1400 km away from Cleardale. Which is really really far away! Thank goodness for Skype!

"I have been studying Audio Engineering and Music Production at the Harbourside Institute of Technology. Which is just a fancy way to say I've been studying the many different areas of music. Although technically I'm still going to school, it really doesn't seem like it. I spend most of my time working with world-renowned producers and song writers, or playing and recording drums and guitars in a multi-million dollar recording studio!!! Who knew school could be so awesome?

"This coming January I'm going to be producing my first album with a blues band I met at the church I'm currently attending. It's so awesome to be able to learn more about music :) ... what could be better? I definitely miss everyone back home, but I know they'll be waiting for me when I come home for Christmas. Hope to see you guys at the ski hill over the Christmas break! Keep rocking!" DK



Christmas Banquet

The Worsley Student Council is holding a Christmas banquet on December 21st. We would appreciate it if each student from the following grades (except grade 11) could bring the following food items by December 16th or earlier. Grade 11 should bring theirs on the 20th or the morning of the 21st.



Grade 1/2: Buns and Butter

Grade 3/4/5: Two boxes of turkey stove-top stuffing

Grade 6/7: Cranberry sauce and turkey gravy mix

Grade 8/9: Pickles

Grade 10: Potatoes (5lb bag)

Grade 11: Dessert items

Grade 12: Assorted salads

Staff: Drinks and turkey gravy mix

Even if you are not attending this banquet it would be appreciated if you could send your items, as we are counting on them.

Thank you for your participation in and support for our Christmas banquet.

Worsley Student Council

DECEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Basketball Schedule Mon-Jr Boys&Girls - 3:30-5:00pm Tues-Sr Boys – 7-9:00pm Wed-Jr Boys&Girls - 3:30-5:00pm Thur-Sr Boys – 7-9:00 pm	<i>Social 30 Diploma Review 3:45-4:45pm</i> <i>Every Monday & Wednesday</i>	<i>Chemistry Diploma Review 3:45-4:45pm</i> <i>Every Tuesday& Thursday</i>		1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 <i>Distracting Driving Presentation 12:35-2:00pm</i>	14	15	16 <small>GPRC-FairviewCampus Marg McCuaig-Boyd Presentation Grade 8/9 1:20pm</small>	17
18	19 <i>Christmas Concert 1:00pm Jr. Boys bball vs. Hines Creek</i>	20	21 <i>Christmas Banquet</i>	22 <i>Christmas Break Begins</i>	23	24 

JANUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8	9 <i>Christmas Break Ends</i>	10	11	12 <i>Social 30-1, 30-2 Part A 9-11:30am School Council Meeting 7:00pm</i>	13	14 <i>Jr. B-ball Teams @ Whitecourt</i>
15	16	17	18	19	20 <i>Social 30-1, 30-2 Part B 9-11:30am</i>	21 <i>Jr. B-ball Teams @ High Level School</i>
22	23	24 <i>Biology 30 9:00-11:00am</i>	25 <i>Early Dismissal</i>	26 <i>Chemistry 30 9:00-11:00am</i>	27	28 <i>Sr. B-ball Teams @ Glenmary in Peace River</i>
29	30 <i>Report Card 2 Sent Home</i>	31 <i>Semester 2 Begins</i>				

Final Exam Schedule for January 2012

Grade/Course	Date	Time	Location	Supervisor
Grade 10				
Science 10	Thurs., Jan 26 th	9:00-11:00am	Gym	Ms. Neufeld (9-10am) Mr. Hooper (10-11am)
English 10	Thurs., Jan 26 th	1:00-3:00pm	Gym	Mrs. Cordeiro
Math 10-C	Fri., Jan 27 th	9:00-11:00am	Gym	Mr. Willis
Grade 11				
Biology 30	Tues., Jan 24 th	9:00-11:00am	Library	Colleen Rook
Math 20-1	Thurs., Jan 26 th	9:00-11:00am	Gym	Ms. Neufeld (9-10am) Mr. Hooper (10-11am)
English 20	Fri., Jan 27 th	9:00-11:00am	Gym	Mr. Willis
Grade 12				
Social 30-1 Part A	Thurs., Jan 12 th	9:00-11:30am	Library	Mr. Phelps (9-11am) Tracy (11-11:30am)
Social 30-2 Part A	Thurs., Jan 12 th	9:00-11:00am	Library	Mr. Phelps
Social 30-1 Part B	Fri., Jan 20 th	9:00-11:00am	Library	Colleen
Social 30-2 Part B	Fri., Jan 20 th	9:00-11:00am	Library	Colleen
Biology 30	Tues., Jan 24 th	9:00-11:00am	Library	Colleen
Chemistry 30	Thurs., Jan 26 th	9:00-11:00am	Library	Mr. Willis

- **Wednesday January 25th is the last day of regular classes for grade 10's.**
- **Friday January 20th is the last day of regular classes for grade 11's and 12's.**
- **Monday January 30th will be an exam make-up day for all non-diploma courses.**
- **Jr. High students have classes as usual during the examination period.**

Examination Rules:

- Students must stay in the examination room for at least one hour before being permitted to leave.
- Students arriving late will be given extra time at the discretion of the Principal (depending upon excused or unexcused lateness).
- Diploma Exams: "Students who arrive more than one hour after a diploma examination has started will not be allowed to write the examination. Students who arrive late but within the first hour of administration may be allowed to write at the discretion of the principal ... corresponding to the amount by which the student was late." {Alberta Educ.}
- No electronic devices are allowed in the examination room, as per PRSD/Alberta Ed. Policy (except calculators as required). Calculators on phones **are not** permitted.
- All backpacks, jackets and personal items must be left in the student's locker.
- Textbooks should be returned in the designated place before the exam begins (please ask your teacher).
- No food or drink, except water, will be allowed in the examination room.
- Bathroom visits should occur before the exam begins. Washroom visits will be on an emergency basis only. Students will not be allowed to leave to get a drink. Bring a bottle of water.

Students who have permission to leave the school bear the responsibility for returning on time for their next exam. Students who miss their exam due to medical reasons must have a signed note from a doctor or nurse confirming illness, or a mark of '0' may be assigned for that exam. Diploma exams missed for any reason will receive a zero.

Community Fair

Worsley School held its first Community Fair for all students in grades one to six on Wednesday November 30. Groups, clubs and businesses from around the community came in to set up displays and educate the students about what they do.

Worsley School would like to thank the following contributors to our Community Fair:

- The Worsley Health Centre
- Alberta Health and Wellness (from Grande Prairie)
- Canadian Natural Resources (CNR)
- The Worsley Baptist Church
- County Ambulance Service
- Valley Riders Saddle Club
- Whispering Pines Ski Hill
- The Worsley Agricultural Society
- Worsley UFA
- Alberta Treasury Branch (Worsley)
- Clear Hills County
- RCMP (Fairview)
- Montagneuse 4H Club

Our thanks to Mindy Rowe for her effort and enthusiasm in organizing this event.

