

TITAN TIMES

The PAC is doing a bottle drive and on-line (SchoolCashOnline) donation to support our Library Learning Commons. The date to drop off bottles in Feb 23rd before 8:30 am in the back of the school. There are prizes for students and the top class!! Stay tuned for more details.

Valentine's is coming next week. On February 14th, skip the uniform and where white, pink and/or red. There will also be a raffle basket with tickets being sold for \$1 at the stairs before school and

at lunch. Then, head to the mezzanine (secondary) or Crest (middle) at lunch with your friends for the Valentine's Day Photo Booth! Finally there will be a bake sale with lots of yummy goodies on sale on the 14th as well. Don't miss it!

Mr. Abernethy will be course planning with ATS students in Grades 8-11 according to the schedule below:

Course Planning Schedule for 2023-2024:

- Thursday, Feb. 23 Grade 8 Course Planning in Classrooms
 - 8:25-8:45 Mr. Dunton (8A2)
 - 8:45-9:05 Mrs. Fox (8A1)
 - 9:20-9:40 Mr. Hickey (8B1)
 - 10:30-10:50 Mr. Heller (8B2)
- Wednesday, March 1
 - 8:20 8:50 Grade 11 Course Planning Assembly in HS Gym
- Thursday, March 2
 - 8:20 8:50 Grade 9 Course Planning Assembly in HS Gym
 - 9:20 9:50 Grade 10 Course Planning Assembly in HS Gym

Parent Night - Rising to Resilience

Shared learning opportunity with Dr. Jean Clinton on how the brain works and develops as your child grows. February 16 @5:30pm at the Abbotsford Arts Centre. Information and registration here!

YEARBOOK!

February 14th is the FINAL deadline for ordering your yearbook through SchoolCashOnline. NO EXTRAS WILL BE AVAILABLE! Order now or miss your chance!

A note from the Athletics Department: : Girls who had PE first semester. The lockers in the changeroom were

cleaned out last Friday. There are a few items of clothing in the PE office, please come claim before they are put into the lost and found.

Congratulations to the following members of the wrestling team for their performances over the weekend in Port Alberni. Mehar Deol won Gold in his weight class, Gurman Deol won silver in his weight class, Rubin Dhaliwal won bronze in his weight class, and Sahib Sandher placed 4th in his weight class. The grade 9 and junior boys basketball teams played their

quarter final games last Monday, but unfortunately came up just short of making it to the semifinals. Congratulations to both teams on a great season!

Upcoming basketball games: Senior Boys will be playing on February 14 @ 7pm in the ATSS gym and the Senior Girls will be starting their playoffs next week. Listen to the announcements for updates on playoff dates and times as details become available.

Upcoming fee reminders: Grade 8's are heading to UFV and Grade 12's have Dry Grad coming up. Please login to SchoolCashOnline to make sure all associated fees are paid. Dry Grad tickets will **NOT** be sold at the door, so please make sure to pay ahead of time if you want to participate!

Safe Arrival

The Abbotsford School District utilizes an automated student attendance management system called Safe Arrival, offered through School Messenger®, the company that hosts our parent notification system.

Please report student absences online.

With Safe Arrival, you can report your child's absence in advance using any of these

- SchoolMessenger App Using your mobile device, download and install the SchoolMessenger app from the Apple App Store or the Google Play Store. The first time you use the app, select Sign Up to create your account. Select Attendance then Report an Absence.
- SafeArrival Website Using the SafeArrival website, go to:
- go.schoolmessenger.ca The first time you use the website, select <u>Sign Up</u> to create your account. Select Attendance then Report an Absence.

 Toll-Free Number Call 1-844-487-3701 to report an absence using the automated phone system. These options are available 24 hours/day, 7 days a 3. week. Future absences can be reported at any time.

ਸੁਰੱਖਿਅਤ ਆਗਮਨ

ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀਆਂ ਦੀ ਗੈਰਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਦੀ ਔਨਲਾਈਨ ਰਿਪੋਰਟ ਕਰੋ। ਐਬਟਸਫੋਰਡ ਸਕੂਲ ਡਿਸਟ੍ਰਿਕਟ ਇੱਕ ਸਵੈਚਾਲਤ ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਪ੍ਰਬੰਧਨ ਪ੍ਰਣਾਲੀ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਦਾ ਹੈ ਜਿਸਨੂੰ SafeArrival ਕਹਿੰਦੇ ਹਨ, SchoolMessenger® ਦੁਆਰਾ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਂਦੀ ਹੈ, ਉਹ ਕੰਪਨੀ ਜੋ ਸਾਡੇ ਮਾਤਾ-ਪਿਤਾ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਪ੍ਰਣਾਲੀ ਦੀ ਮੇਜ਼ਬਾਨੀ ਕਰਦੀ ਹੈ।

SafeArrival ਦੇ ਨਾਲ, ਤੁਸੀਂ ਇਹਨਾਂ 3 ਸੁਵਿਧਾਜਨਕ ਤਰੀਕਿਆਂ ਵਿੱਚੋਂ ਕਿਸੇ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਕੇ ਆਪਣੇ ਬੱਚੇ ਦੀ ਗੈਰਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਦੀ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਹੀ ਰਿਪੋਰਟ ਕਰ ਸਕਦੇ ਹੋ:

- ਸਕੂਲ ਮੈਸੇਂਜਰ ਐਪ ਆਪਣੇ ਮੋਬਾਈਲ ਡਿਵਾਈਸ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਦੇ ਹੋਏ, Apple ਐਪ ਸਟੋਰ \square ਜਾਂ \square Google Play Store ਤੋਂ SchoolMessenger ਐਪ ਨੂੰ ਡਾਉਨਲੋਡ ਅਤੇ ਸਥਾਪਿਤ□ ਕਰੋ । ਪਹਿਲੀ ਵਾਰ ਜਦੋਂ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਐਪ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਦੇ ਹੋ, ਤਾਂ ਆਪਣਾ ਖਾਤਾ ਬਣਾਉਣ ਲਈ ਸਾਈਨ ਅੱਪ ਚੁਣੋ। ਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਚੁਣੋ ਫਿਰ ਗੈਰਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਦੀ ਰਿਪੋਰਟ ਕਰੋ।
- ਸੁਰੱਖਿਅਤ ਆਗਮਨ ਦੀ ਵੈੱਬਸਾਈਟ SafeArrival ਵੈੱਬਸਾਈਟ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਦੇ ਹੋਏ, ਇਸ 'ਤੇ ਜਾਓ: go.schoolmessenger.ca ਪਹਿਲੀ ਵਾਰ ਜਦੋਂ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਵੈੱਬਸਾਈਟ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਦੇ ਹੋ, ਆਪਣਾ ਖਾਤਾ ਬਣਾਉਣ ਲਈ ਸਾਈਨ ਅੱਪ ਚੁਣੋ। ਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਚੁਣੋ ਫਿਰ ਗੈਰਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਦੀ ਰਿਪੋਰਟ ਕਰੋ।
- ਟੋਲ-ਫ੍ਰੀ ਨੰਬਰ ਸਵੈਚਲਿਤ ਫ਼ੋਨ ਸਿਸਟਮ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਕੇ ਗੈਰਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਦੀ ਰਿਪੋਰਟ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ 1-844-487-3701 'ਤੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ। ਇਹ ਵਿਕਲਪ 24 ਘੰਟੇ/ਦਿਨ, ਹਫ਼ਤੇ ਦੇ 7 ਦਿਨ ਉਪਲਬਧ ਹਨ। ਭਵਿੱਖ ਵਿੱਚ ਗੈਰਹਾਜ਼ਰੀ ਦੀ ਰਿਪੋਰਟ ਕਿਸੇ ਵੀ ਸਮੇਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੀ ਹੈ।

On the Horizon

February 14	Valentine's Day
February 15	Early Dismissal (Parent Teacher Conferences)
February 16	Early Dismissal
February 17	Non-Instructional Day
February 20	Family Day
February 22	Pink Shirt Day

