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Lord Byng News
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1. **MYEd Reset Passwords**

Students who are having trouble logging into MYED BC please see below:

1. Students that have forgotten their password

Solution: click on Forgot My Password and they will be sent an email with a new My Ed generated password to their primary e-mail account. This primary email account was set up when they first logged in to MyEd.

2. Students that have tried too many times to login in and are now locked out ("disabled accounts")

Solution: Students should first come to the office to have their account enabled. Then they should login with their student number as their i.d. and **Byng\$2018** as the new password.

Please contact Mr. Vulgaris mvulgaris@vsb.bc.ca if you are still having trouble logging in.

2. **All Students – How to Enter Course Requests into MYED BC**

Please see instructions on how to enter course selections into MYED website:

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Publications/MyEd%20Gr.%20%20Instructions.pdf>

3. Lord Byng Symphony Orchestra

Lord Byng Symphony Orchestra is playing their second concert of the season on Friday, March 16, 2018, in the Lord Byng Theatre.

We are playing the Cello Concerto in D minor by our own Bruno Quezada, featuring the composer on cello, Symphony Espagnole, featuring Shannon Lawrence and Catie Akune violin solo, Schumann, Puccini and Schubert featuring Isabelle Hui Bon Hoa, voice and Symphony No. 6 in D Major Le Matin by F. J. Haydn.

It is going to be a lovely concert and we invite all the music lovers in the community to come and enjoy the concert.

We know that the concert is on the last day before the Spring Break but what better way to enjoy a Friday evening than to listen to our grads play and sing for you.

Hope to see you all at 7:30 PM for the concert.

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/dailybulletin/Documents%20Library/LBSO%20concert%20%20Friday%20March%2016,%202018.jpg>

4. Important Reminder for Grade 12 Students

Remember to authorize your post-secondary institutions (P.S.I's) to view your transcript through the Ministry website after creating your BCeID. If you fail to do so, your post-secondary institutions will be unable to verify your marks in May and July which will cause you major headaches and delay! Please see the Lord Byng website under Grade 12 students and scroll down to the January 23rd Career Info Session link for more details (please start at slide 8).

Thank you, Ms. Smith.

5. Grad Bottle Drive – Sat. April 28th

The grads will be holding their third and final bottle drive on Sat. April 28th. Please start saving your returnable containers and bring them to the school parking lot on April 28th between 10am - 2pm. The grads thank you for supporting this important fundraiser,

6. Course Planning Sheets Due March 14th

This is a reminder that course planning sheets are due in the counselling suite on Wednesday, March 14th only after students have entered their courses online.

7. Congratulations to All Band Students

Congratulations to all Band students for your wonderful performances on Wednesday, March 7. All concert and jazz bands performed to a very appreciative audience and it was a magical night. Keep up that great work! Also, the 20th annual Swyng with Byng will be Friday, May 11, 2018. Tickets will go on sale after spring break for \$25 each, as this is the Band Department's biggest fundraiser of the year. Clear the date on your calendar and hope to see you there dancing the night away. See www.byngband.com for more info.

8. Byng Grads and Parents of Grads

Ms. Smith encourages all Grade 12 students to regularly check our Lord Byng website (under Students top tab, Gr.12's drop tab) **for important Gr.12 Information.** Make checking this a habit and be informed about Gr. 12 opportunities, responsibilities, post-secondary updates, scholarships, and application deadlines.

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Students/Grade%2012/Pages/Grade-12-Information.aspx>

New Scholarships Opportunities: Phil Paulson, Trevor Linden Community Spirit Scholarship, Queen Mary Achievement Award please visit

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Students/Grade%2012/Pages/Scholarships.aspx> for more details.

9. Gr. 12 Lord Byng Scholarships

Lord Byng Scholarship forms are available in the counselling suite and online.
Due April 5th by 3:30pm to Ms. McKay

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Students/Grade%2012/Documents/LB%20Scholarship%202018%20updated.pdf>

10. School Cash Online

Now Available: Now introducing ONLINE payments for school fees, field trips, and items. Register today at <https://vsb.schoolcashonline.com>

Register for *School Cash Online* to make purchases online for things like field trips, spirit wear, and activity fees. No need to take out cash or write cheques, now you can shop online from the comfort of your own home. Use our school's preferred method of payment. Go to <https://vsb.schoolcashonline.com> and click "Get Started Today"!

#SchoolCashOnline #SafeandSecure #shop [#debit #credit #myWallet #eCheck]

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Publications/Welcome%20to%20School%20Cash%20Online.pdf>

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Publications/Step-by-Step%20Registration.pdf>

11. Grade 11 Course Selection

Course Selection presentation and computer lab visits are now all done. The course selection presentation can be viewed at <http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/departments/counselling/Pages/Course-Selection.aspx>. All grade 11 students can view and change their course requests simply by logging into <https://www.myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspden/logon.do>. If you need help with your password, please email Mr. Vulgaris (mvulgaris@vsb.bc.ca). After March 31, students can come and see me and make any changes that they would like. Let's all engage and pick the best 6, 7 or 8 courses for next year, so that we have NO COURSE CHANGES in September! This is my challenge to the students. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. All students know that they are welcome to come and see me anytime if they need help with anything. Thank you for your support. Ms. Radic

12. Lord Byng Night at the Whitecaps

Wear your Byng wear and cheer on the Whitecaps as they face the San Jose Quakes on Wednesday, May 16 at 7:30 pm. Special discount rate of \$30/ticket (tax included)* for all Byng students, family and friends and \$10 from every ticket will go directly to the Byng 2018 dry grad fund.

Purchase your ticket here (www.whitecapsfc.com/LORDBYNG)

with promo code lordbyng by April 3, 2018 and all Byng Grey Ghost supporters can sit together in Section 231 at BC Place. *Discount will show up after you select your seats and proceed to payment page

Make a night of it and come celebrate our school name on the jumbo screen as we support the Whitecaps. If you have any questions, please contact Dayton at 604-669-9283 ext. 2256 (dskei@whitecapsfc.com) or Jennifer Mackay (jennifermackay2@gmail.com).

13. Congratulations to the Lord Byng Debate Team!

Two Lord Byng teams, Darren Yang and Jazzy Oldham (novice), and Zach Mullin and Maya Kennedy (junior), competed at the Debate Provincials this past weekend. Both teams came in 4th in their categories. Individually, Jazzy Oldham placed 5th as a novice and Zach Mullin placed 10th as a junior. High-placing junior teams also have the ability to qualify for Nationals, and Zach and Maya achieved that designation. They will be travelling to compete in Nationals in Calgary in May.

Congratulations on your outstanding achievement, Darren, Jazzy, Zach, and Maya! We are proud of you!

Thank you to all the coaches, parents, and students who are involved with the team. A special thank you to Daphne Gray-Grant, our fearless leader and coach, who runs this amazing program at our school!

14. Trek and Byng Arts

The Trek Program at Prince of Wales is available for students in Grade 10. If you are currently in the Byng Arts Program and are offered a Trek placement, you must give up your seat in Byng Arts. It is important to understand that students must re-apply for the Byng Arts program if they wish to be reconsidered to join the Mini-School again in Grade 11. Space will not be held for students in their absence. There is no guarantee that space will be available to allow for their return to the program. The same application timelines that were used in Grade 7 apply. Students who are cross boundary for Byng will return to their neighbourhood secondary school if they are not successful in the reapplication.

15. Lord Byng Athletics

Rugby Update

Seniors

-Seniors had a solid outing in exhibition play on Tuesday vs Collingwood School.

-This Saturday, 31 Lord Byng Srs will be traveling to New Zealand and then off to Queensland, Australia for a 15 day, 8 match schoolboy Rugby Union Tour.

-You can follow the progress of the boys on Twitter **@GreyGhostsRugby** or on the 2018 Rugby Tour blog: <https://greyghostsrugby.wordpress.com/>

-Rugby fans can watch some International Rugby on Easter Monday, April 2 when Lord Byng will host Somerset College from Queensland, Australia. Kick-off is 1:00 at Jericho.

Juniors

-Juniors saw their first game action of the season with an exhibition game at Charles Tupper on Wednesday.

-The regular season will start after spring break

Follow the Grey Ghosts calendar:

<https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=c1767i8pfc4i9q6rdjrlqсна4s%40group.calendar.google.com&ctz=America/Vancouver>

16. Raising Digitally Responsible Youth ** FREE PARENT Workshop April 16th & May 8th

There are two upcoming parent evening presentations on "Raising Digitally Responsible Youth" which will be facilitated by Safer Schools – Together. Van Tech and Prince of Wales Sec will be hosting the event.

Please see links:

[http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Publications/Social%20Media%20Parent%20PresentationPrinceofWalesMay2018%20\(3\).pdf](http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Publications/Social%20Media%20Parent%20PresentationPrinceofWalesMay2018%20(3).pdf)

17. Work Experience: Career Exploration

Grade 10's

The applications for Work Experience are posted outside of Room 302. Please fill in the application and submit to Ms. Whelan. Student resumes may be attached or submitted after acceptance to the course. Students who are enrolled in the course will be able to start earning hours this summer.

Grade 11's

There are still 18 seats available in Work Experience for students entering Grade 12. The applications are posted outside of Room 302. Grade 11's who are currently in the course will have until June of 2019 to complete and do not need to re-apply. New Grade 11's will be enrolled as soon as their application is received and will be able to start immediately.

18. AP Exams

For students who enrolled in an AP class at Lord Byng and are wishing to write one of the AP exams, the fee for ordering exams is \$140. Payment will be accepted via the new online payment system only and the fee is non-refundable. Further information regarding the new payment system is available on the school website. <https://vsb.schoolcashonline.com/>

The payment window for AP exams will be February 26 – March 14. Payments made after the 14th of March will not be accepted.

Advanced Placement Exam Schedule

Exam	Date	Time
English Literature	Wednesday May 9	8:00 am
Studio Art	**	**
Calculus BC	Tuesday May 15	8:00 am
Computer Science	Tuesday May 15	12:00 pm
French Language	Tuesday May 15	12:00 pm
Statistics	Thursday May 17	12:00 pm

** Please adhere to the submission guidelines as listed by your teacher

19. Summer French Opportunities For Students

Please see link below:

http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/departments/modern-languages/Documents/SUMMER%20FRENCH%20OPPORTUNITIES%20FOR%20STUDENTS_2018.pdf

20. Traffic Safety

Please be very cautious when driving around our school. We need keep access to the school safe for everyone. Drop off and pick up of students should not block the streets or the entrance to our parking lot. The further away from the school the safer for everyone. If you're near the school you may drop-off Lord Byng students on Wallace or out in front of the school, on 16th, but please do not come into the school parking lot or in any way block the entrances to our school.

Avoid pick-up or drop-off of students along Crown, or *anywhere* near the elementary school. If you're in the car waiting to pick up a student after school, please do so as far from our school zones as possible. We've had a number of dangerous traffic incidents with students, especially in the congestion around the elementary school. As

the fall weather sets in, Police and Bylaw Enforcement will be coming to help us alleviate the dangers of traffic around our school. Please remember to be careful, and adhere to all the traffic laws and parking bylaws. During school hours, pick-up and drop-off of Byng students in the staff parking lot area is not permitted.

Thank you for helping us to keep the students safe.

21. Grad Photos At Artona

A Reminder for any Grade 12 Students that haven't had their Grad Photos taken at Artona***

You need to make an appointment to have your Formal Grad Yearbook photos taken ASAP at Artona in order to be included in this year's Yearbook.

Dress nice. Don't delay! Book today!

22. Lord Byng Grocery Card Program

A reminder that the Lord Byng Grocery Card program is back. This program costs you NOTHING but benefits the school greatly!

You can learn more about the program, and get order forms here:

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Documents/LB%20Grocery%20Card%20Order%20Program%202017-2018.pdf>

Grocery cards DO NOT expire.

Questions about the program contact Erin Davis @Davidun@telus.net

亲爱的罗宾家长们：

友情提醒：罗兵购物卡项目华丽回归。这个项目不额外多花您一分钱但是却会给学校带来巨大的好处！

点击下面的链接了解详情及下载订单表格。

<http://go.vsb.bc.ca/schools/byng/Documents/LB%20Grocery%20Card%20Order%20Program%202017-2018.pdf>

购物卡不会过期。

有任何疑问请联系Erin Davis @Davidun@telus.net

23. Student Emergency Contact Forms & Medical Care Plan Sheets

Student Emergency Contact Forms are due in the school office. It is important that we have up to date information in our school files. Please come to the school office to pick up a form if you require one.

Students who were given care plan sheets for anaphylaxis, diabetes, seizure conditions, asthma or other medical conditions, please return the forms to the school office.

If your child has any medical conditions (e.g. anaphylaxis, seizures, diabetes, asthma), please provide the appropriate medical forms and medication to the school office ASAP. Forms are available in the school office.

Any questions, please contact our school nurse Emily Ho at: 604-261-6366. Emily will be available at lunch on Fridays in Room 122A to help students with any health questions they may have.

24. Ski and Snowboard Club

The Lord Byng Ski and Snowboard Club will be heading to Whistler for another epic season. Our last day is April 14th. All trips will depart Lord Byng at 6:00 a.m. and return at 6:00 p.m. Students will be supervised on the bus by Lord Byng staff. Teaching staff will also be available to help direct students who are new to the process. Once at the mountain, students are required to participate in groups determined by their ability for the entire day. There will be a guide/ instructor with every group of students.

April 14

\$101 (bus, lunch, guided day....students must have their own activated Season's Pass)

\$113 (bus, lunch, lift, guide)

\$135 bus, lunch, lift, guide, rental)

Winter clothing is not included in the cost of the trip and is not available at the mountain.

Lunch is included, but, it's always a good idea to bring extra food and drink for the way home.

There are spaces to store gear at the mountain or items may be stored on the locked bus for the day. The bus must park offsite so students will not be able to access their belongings until the end of the day.

Cheques payable to Lord Byng Secondary

Questions to kwhelan@vsb.bc.ca

Forms and money to be returned to Kathleen Whelan in Room 302

25. Calendar of Events

March

09	Fri.	Byng Arts Italy Trip (9 -18)
10	Sat.	Rugby Tour Departs for New Zealand
11	Sun.	Cuba Trip (11-23)
11	Sun.	Spain Trip (11-23)
12	Mon.	Grade 8 Rot. #5 – (Mar. 12 th – May 2 nd)
12	Mon.	Gr. 11 & 12 Assembly 2-1
12	Mon.	Gr. 8 Assembly – 2-2 Auditorium
13	Tues.	Lord Byng Symphony Orchestra Rehearsals (13 th – 16 th)
13	Tues.	Parent Grad Committee Meeting 7pm A219
14	Wed.	Course Planning Sheets Due
15	Thurs.	Report Cards Posted to Student Portal
16	Fri.	Last day of instruction before Spring Vacation
16	Fri.	Lord Byng Symphony Orchestra – 12:30 p.m. Elem. Visit & 7:30 p.m. in Theatre
17	Sat.	Pacific Mobile Depot Recycling Byng parking lot – 9-12 noon
19	Mon.	Spring Break Vacation – (19th – 23rd)
26	Mon.	District Closure Week – (26th – 29th)
30	Fri.	Good Friday – School not in session

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