


# SIMONDS HIGH

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



April 6th, 2023

### From Mrs. Carhart



One of the Simonds High School Improvement Plan Priorities is that: the school culture encourages the engagement, active involvement, and inclusion of every student. School staff members ensure that the learning environment is welcoming, orderly, healthy, and safe. High academic and behavioural expectations are held for each student. I am proud of the work that our school has been doing to become more educated about being anti-racist. We've leaned into the expertise of the Executive Director of Black Lives Matters- Matthiew Martin and his team as well as our district anti-racism & equity lead, Therese Trofimencoff. We have a group of students working on a student led anti-racism assembly at the end of April with the support of the Black Talk Youth Outreach staff.

Additionally, there is a strong team of leaders at the school (Mindy Smith, Kayla Mann, Lori Hayes, Willow Briggs, Josh Richards, Jay Nickerson and Stephanie Marr) who continue to work to enhance our environment and culture to be more welcoming and diverse with our practice at Simonds High School. Having a community of leaders is instrumental in bringing change. The work of the collective is making a difference with each intentional step. As always, we welcome your feedback or suggestions as we continue to strive for growth in our school community.

Mrs. Carhart



### Important Dates

- April 13th Parent information session on the course registration process 7pm SHS theatre
- April 13th Parent Teacher Interviews 4:30pm - 7:30pm
  - We will have Principal Advisory Leaders throughout the school helping with directions for Parent Teacher night.
- April 14th No school for students. Parent Teacher morning/professional learning for staff in the afternoon
- April 18th PSSC meeting 6pm



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## Sports News/Information

### Important Dates



- **April 7th**
  - Varsity Girls Volleyball Tournament U de M
- **April 8th**
  - Varsity Girls Volleyball Tournament U de M
  - Badminton practice 10am
- **April 9th**
  - Varsity Girls Volleyball Tournament U de M
- **April 10th**
- **April 11th**
  - Varsity Boys Volleyball practice 3:30pm
  - Junior Varsity Boys Volleyball practice 3:30pm
  - Rugby practice 5pm
  - Varsity Girls Volleyball exhibition Game @SSHS 5:30pm
  - Badminton practice 6pm
- **April 12th**
  - Varsity Girls Volleyball practice 8am
  - Varsity Boys Volleyball practice 3:30pm
  - JV Girls Volleyball Game @SHS 6pm
  - JV Boys Volleyball Game @STM 6pm
- **April 13th**
  - Parent Teacher night
- **April 14th**
  - Varsity Girls Volleyball Game 6pm @STM
  - Varsity Boys Volleyball Game 6pm @SHS
  - Badminton practice 8pm

