



BARRIERE SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Barriere Secondary December 1, 2023 Weekly Update

Good Afternoon,

On Thursday Cassidy Calahasen and Caesar Banegas-Joseph led a Student Voice session with a group of 25 students in grades 9 through 12. Students discussed their experiences in school and shared their opinions on a variety of topics including memorable learning experiences, what makes students feel safe and welcome at school and times they have felt like they have a voice in school decisions. This feedback will be shared with BSS Administration as part of our School Learning Plan as well, Cassidy and Caesar will take part in a SD73 Student Voice Committee later this month.

The Senior Boys' kick off Cougars' basketball with a tournament in Williams Lake this weekend. Go Cougars!

Next week is a short week for students with Monday being a Professional Development Day which means no school for students.

There is limited space left for the annual Shopping Trip. The trip takes place December 14th and spaces are secured with a completed field trip form AND the \$15 fee.

Upcoming Calendar Dates:

- December 4 - Professional Development Day - No School for Students
- December 5 - Social Media Awareness - Zoom Session (info below)
- December 8 and 9 - Sr Boys Basketball Cougar Classic
- December 11 - Interior Health on site routine vaccinations - grade 9
- December 11 - PAC meeting
- December 13 - School wide Christmas lunch
- December 13 Sr Girls Basketball @ 5pm
- December 14 - Shopping Trip
- December 15 and 16 - Jr Boys Basketball Cougar Classic

Social Media Awareness--Family Online Safety Session on December 5th at 6:30pm.

Everyone Welcome! Recommended for Parents/Caregivers/Grandparents and youth aged 10 and up. This 60 minute session will be held virtually via zoom.

To register for this session please click on the link below.

[Family Session: Establishing Safe, Caring, & Respectful Digital Communities Tickets, Tue, Dec 5, 2023 at 6:30 PM | Eventbrite](#)

Cafeteria Menu:

Monday, Dec 4 - Pro D Day

Tuesday, Dec 5 - Clubhouse sandwich & veggies \$5 or Chicken quesadilla with Spanish rice \$6

Wed., Dec 6 - Chicken rice soup & biscuit \$5 or Sausage rolls & Caesar Salad \$6

Thursday, Dec 7 - Greek wrap \$5 or Chili & Cornbread \$6

Friday, Dec 8 - Chicken Caesar Wrap \$5 or Butter Chicken with rice & pita \$6

Have a great weekend!
John Tyler - Principal