



# BARRIERE SECONDARY SCHOOL

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## January 30 – February 3, 2023 Weekly Update

Good Afternoon

This week marked the end of Semester 1 classes. Various courses wrapped up with final summative assessments. Students completed projects, presentations and exams depending on which courses they were registered in. Students registered in English 10, Math 10 and English 12 for first semester also completed the Graduation Assessments that are mandatory components of the graduation program.

Several students attended the SD73 Student Diversity Summit and shared their experiences and views on a variety of topics that impact students both at school and in their lives outside of school. The Minister of Education, SD73 Board of Trustees and Superintendent's office were all on hand to hear directly from students from each of the Secondary schools in our District.

The majority of the grade 8 class attended a field trip to Harper Mountain on Thursday and Ms. Pellegrino's grade 7 class participated in outdoor education, hosted by the Barriere Outdoor Club. In the first session, the students had the opportunity to learn how to X-Country Ski.

Thank you to all the supporters who attended the Senior Girls' Cougar Classic last weekend. The Cougars finished in third place in against some very tough competition. Earlier this week the Grade 7 boys beat PAC Way and the the Grade 7 girls beat South Sa-Hali. Meanwhile the Junior Girls and Junior Boys had wins against KCS! Great work Cougars!!!

Next week we have project completion days on Monday and Tuesday (see below for details). These days are designed for students in grade 8-12. Grade 7 students have a regular school day.

On Tuesday January 31 we also have the first Strings concert in over 3 years. Our musicians will join the Barriere Elementary Strings group for a concert at BES. The concert begins at 11:00 am.

Finally, next Friday, February 3 is a Professional Development Day and there will be no classes for students.

### Cafeteria -Next Week's Menu

Monday, Jan. 30<sup>th</sup>- Chicken Caesar Salad \$4.50 or Spaghetti with meat sauce \$6.00

Tuesday Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>- **No cafeteria service**

Wednesday Feb. 1<sup>st</sup>- Chicken Noodle Soup with a biscuit \$4.50 or Shepherd's Pie with gravy \$6.00

Thursday Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>- Club Wrap \$4.50 or Chicken Quesadilla with Spanish Rice \$6.00

Friday Feb. 3 - No School

### Project Completion Days - January 30<sup>th</sup>and 31<sup>st</sup>

\*These days are designed for students in Grades 8 through 12. **Students in Grade 7 will have a regular school day.**

Project Completion Days take place in all Secondary schools across SD73 at the end of each semester. These days are intended for students to prove competence in curricular content that they have either not shown proficiency OR would like to improve upon. You may receive contact from a classroom teacher requiring your child(ren) to attend a certain class, or your child(ren) may choose to attend in order to improve upon an assignment or content area that they would like to improve a mark/grade on.

Have a great weekend!

John Tyler  
Principal