## This Week @LP

Monday February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017

## **COURSE SELECTION 2017-18**

• It is that time of year when we begin looking at next year! Incoming grade 8 students have already chosen their courses for next year. This Monday and Tuesday, we will be holding grade wide assemblies to talk about the course selction process, graduation requirements, post secondary pre-requisites and new courses being offered. Here is a link to our 2017-2018 Course Information Book as well as copies of our course Selection Forms for current grade 9, 10 & 11 students:

<u>Course Handbook</u> Course Selection Forms

- Students will have this week to explore options, discuss with parents and meet with school counsellors, if needed. We do have a new school counsellor joining *Mr. Ed Somers* this semester. *Mr. Will Moore* is also avaibale to advise and work with students on their course choices. Appointments can be made to see Mr. Somers or Mr. Moore in the counselling office. Parents can reach them via email at <u>esomers@sd61.bc.ca</u> or <u>wmoore@sd61.bc.ca</u>.
- Next week, students will be entering their course selections online nad will gain access to thstudent portal for MyEd.

## **GRADE 12 PARENTS**

- It has been brought to our attention that some of our students have been contacted by representatives who promote S-Trip. Representatives often initiate contact directly with students through Facebook and other social media tools to promote `grad' trips. S-Trip representatives look for student promoters and offer to organize trips for groups of students. It is important to know that S-Trip organizers have not contacted any adult representatives from the school. Lambrick Park Secondary School is not in any way connected to S-Trip, nor does the school endorse any form of trip associated with this company. Below is a link to a CBC Marketplace investigation about S-Trip excursions: <a href="http://www.cbc.ca/beta/news/business/s-trip-student-trips-marketplace-1.3973480">http://www.cbc.ca/beta/news/business/s-trip</a>
- As always, our primary concern is the safety and well-being of our students. As parents, I urge you to investigate the details of S-Trip, speak with your child and make informed decisions. If

your child has been contacted by an S-Trip representatives and/or if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at <u>tpierik@sd61.bc.ca</u> or 250-477-0181.

ADDAMS FAMILY, March 7<sup>th</sup>-11th



Tickets are now on sale for Lambrick's Production of *The Addams Family*!

Contact the school office or through your **SchoolCashOnline** account to purchase your tickets!

COMING UP:

- Friday February 24<sup>th</sup>- Non Instructional Day, students not in session.
- Wednesday March 1<sup>st</sup>, 7pm: LAMPAC Meeting, All Welcome.