

SIMONDS HIGH

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



March 21st, 2025

Important Dates

I am thrilled to share some exciting updates happening here at Simonds High School. We have been working hard to create an even better environment for our Seabees, with several new additions and improvements that will make our school feel more welcoming and inspiring.

New Signs Around the School: To help improve our school's overall look and feel, we have installed new, vibrant signs throughout the building. These new signs are designed to be more visually engaging, making it easier for our students, staff, and visitors to navigate. We've focused on enhancing the school's spirit while also providing clear, accessible directions.

Cafeteria Revamp: A Fresh, New Space for Our Seabees One of the most exciting projects underway is the complete transformation of our cafeteria. We know how important it is for our students to have a space where they can relax, socialize, and recharge, so we've taken steps to make the cafeteria a place that our Seabees will love.

- Fresh Paint: The walls of the cafeteria have been given a fresh coat of paint, bringing in vibrant colors that make the space feel more inviting.
- New Signs: We've added fun and inspirational signs that align with our school values, reminding students to stay positive and engaged.
- New Furniture: In addition to the fresh look, we've also brought in new, comfortable furniture. The new seating options provide a variety of spaces for students to work together, hang out with friends, or enjoy some quiet time.

These improvements are all part of our ongoing efforts to ensure that every student feels comfortable and inspired in every part of our school. We want our Seabees to feel proud of their school environment and to have a space that fosters creativity, collaboration, and community.

We're excited for all the upcoming changes and can't wait to see how our students enjoy these new spaces. Thank you for your continued support as we work together to create a school that reflects the best of who we are.

As always, feel free to reach out if you have any questions or suggestions. Let's continue to make Simonds High School a place of pride, comfort, and opportunity for all.

Jennifer Carhart

- March 25th Architecture Day hosted at SHS
- March 25th NBCC Presentations for Grade 11 students during period 2. Students must sign up in the office.
- March 25th Casino Night 6-8pm in the cafeteria- all are welcome! \$10/ticket available online.
- March 25th Pre-school starts: T/W/Th
- March 26th PSSC meeting 5:30pm
- March 26th Course registration presentation at 6:30pm for families in the theatre.
- March 28th Pep Rally
- April 4th Last day Q3
- April 7th Home Reports go home
- April 7th Q4 starts
- April 10th Parent Teacher night 4pm - 7pm
- April 11th No School for students, parent teacher/professional learning day
- April 18th No School, Good Friday
- April 21st No School, Easter Monday
- April 23rd NBCC Try-a-Trade field trip
- April 25th UNB Presentation for grade 11 students



Rootsfest 2025
Annual Celebration
April 9 | 4–7 pm

A vibrant showcase of cultural performances, displays, and cuisine from the diverse communities at Simonds High School and our community.



Learn more by visiting our website at
<https://tinyurl.com/shsrootsfest>
or by using the QR code.

Ramadan:

March 1st to March 29th

☆ What is ☆ Ramadan?

Ramadan is the 9th month of the Islamic calendar.



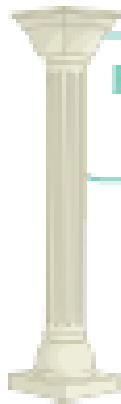
Ramadan is when the Holy Qur'an was first revealed to Prophet Muhammad (peace and blessings be upon him).



We do not eat or drink from dawn until sunset during Ramadan. This is called fasting.



Fasting in Ramadan is one of the Five Pillars of Islam.

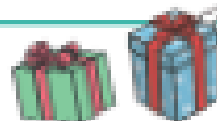


We fast in Ramadan to get closer to Allah, be self-disciplined, control ourselves and show our gratitude for Allah's blessings.



At the end of Ramadan there is a big celebration called Eid Al-Fitr which means 'the feast of breaking the fast'.

In Eid Al-Fitr we celebrate completing our fast and we thank Allah for the strength He has given us throughout Ramadan.





STAGE SPOTLIGHT:

Your Guide to Simonds High Performances

DIRECTOR NOTES

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**TUESDAY
MARCH 25TH**

Act 1 Full run
through, all cast.
(4-6pm)

**THURSDAY
MARCH 27TH**

Act 2 Full run
through, all cast.
(4-6pm)

**TUESDAY
APRIL 1ST**

Act 1 Full run
through, all cast.
(4-6pm)

**THURSDAY
APRIL 3RD**

Act 2 Full run
through, all cast.
(4-6pm)



SPORTS CORNER MARCH 24TH - 28TH

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR NOTES

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MONDAY

JV Girls Volleyball practice 4pm
JV Boys Volleyball Game @SHS
6pm
Varsity Boys Volleyball Game
@STM 6pm
Varsity Girls Volleyball practice
7:45pm

TUESDAY

Girls/Boys Rugby practice 4pm
@Field House
JV Boys Volleyball practice 4pm
JV Girls Volleyball practice 4pm
JV Girls Volleyball game @STM
6pm
Varsity Girls Volleyball Game
@SHS 6pm

WEDNESDAY

JV Girls Volleyball practice
4pm
JV Boys Volleyball game
@SHS 6pm
Varsity Boys Volleyball game
@RHS 6pm

THURSDAY

JV Boys volleyball practice 4pm
JV Girls volleyball practice 4pm
JV Girls Volleyball game @SHS
6pm
Varsity Girls Volleyball Game
@HVHS 6pm
Girs/Boys Rugby practice
7:45pm @SHS

FRIDAY

JV Girls Volleyball practice
4pm
Varsity Boys Volleyball
practice 5:30pm
Varsity Girls Volleyball
practice 5:30pm

SAT/SUN

JV Girls Volleyball
tournament @SSHS Sunday



SPORTS CORNER MARCH 31ST - APRIL 4TH

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MONDAY

JV Boys Volleyball game
@SJHS 6pm

JV Girls Volleyball game @SHS
6pm

Varsity Boys Volleyball game
@HVHS 6pm

TUESDAY

JV Boys Volleyball practice 3:45pm
JV Girls Volleyball practice 3:45pm
Varsity Girls Volleyball Game @SHS
6pm

Girls and Boys Rugby practice
7:45pm

Varsity Boys Volleyball practice
7:45pm

WEDNESDAY

JV Girls Volleyball practice 3:45pm
JV Boys Volleyball game @SHS
6pm

Varsity Boys Volleyball Game
@KVHS 6pm

Varsity Girls Volleyball practice
7:45pm

THURSDAY

JV Boys Volleyball practice
3:45pm

JV Girls Volleyball practice
3:45pm

JV Girls Volleyball practice
5:45pm

Girls and Boys Rugby practice
8pm

FRIDAY

Varsity Boys Volleyball Game
@SRHS

Varsity Girls Volleyball Game
@RHS 6pm

SAT/SUN

JV Boys and Girls Volleyball
tournament @STU

Varsity Girls and Boys
Volleyball tournament @STU

*Saturday and Sunday