SINONDS HIGH WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



January 31st, 2025

We are thrilled to share that the B2 lobby has been beautifully transformed with brand-new furniture, handpicked by our very own students! This exciting addition not only enhances the look and feel of the space but also provides a comfortable and welcoming environment for students to gather, collaborate, and connect. A big thank you to everyone who contributed their input in making this vision a reality. Your voices truly shaped this upgrade, and we couldn't be more proud of the result.

At Simonds High School, our goal is to foster a sense of engagement and belonging among our students. Spaces like the B2 lobby play a vital role in creating opportunities for meaningful connections, both socially and academically. We encourage all Seabees to make the most of this space and continue building our vibrant and supportive school community. Together, let's keep working toward a school environment where everyone feels inspired to thrive!

Speaking of engagement, stay tuned for the installation of our new digital sign at the bottom of the driveway! This sign will help us share important updates, celebrate student achievements, and keep everyone informed about upcoming events. It's another step toward fostering a connected and engaged school community. Let's keep building our vibrant Simonds High spirit, Seabees!

Important Dates

- February 4th Pep Rally
- February 4th East/West Basketball at SHS
- February 4th STU Representative at SHS
- February 6th H/HH/AP certificate ceremony
- February 7th Grad class overnighter
- February 10th 14th Staff
 Appreciation Week
- February 10th 14th SRC Theme week!
- February 10th UNB Representative at SHS
- February 17th No School- Family Day
- February 28th Last day before March Break

Jennifer Carhart



Simonds High School's Black History Month celebrations are being organized and led by the school's Black Student Association (BSA) executive, Chioma Ezeonyejiaku, supported by Tomi Sadiku and Anjola Olawoyin . This year's celebrations will include a theme week along with activities and discussions throughout the month that are designed to educate and inspire students. The BSA has been collaborating with community partners such as the New Brunswick Black History Society, PRUDE Inc., and other local organizations to create meaningful and impactful events that will connect our students to the broader community.

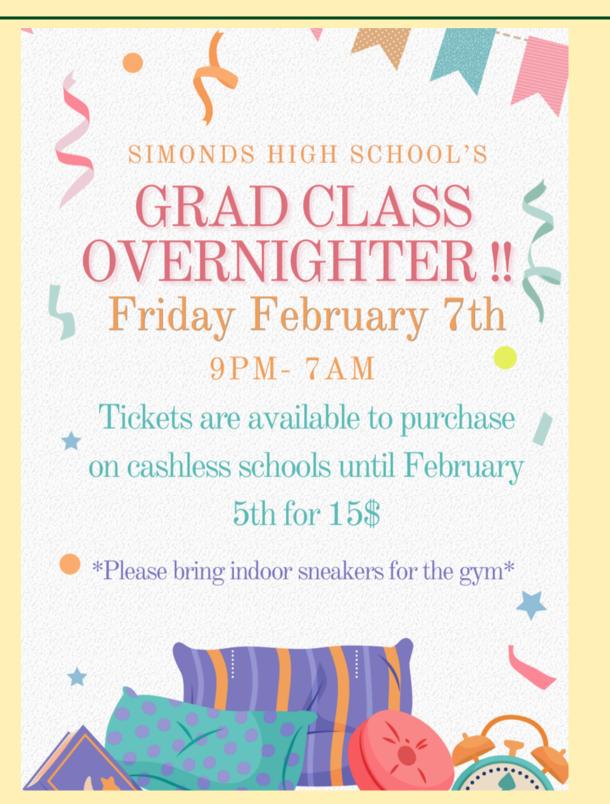
A highlight of the month-long celebration will be a guided bus tour of Saint John's Black History, with stops at key historical sites including Willow Grove, Spar Cove Road, and a visit to the New Brunswick Black History Society on February 28th. Stay tuned for a full line-up of activities and education!







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Simonds Rainbees

Are you a member of the 2SLGBTQIA+ community? Are you looking to find new friends? Want to help plan Pride Week (May 12-16) at Simonds?

Simonds Rainbees meet every Wednesday at Lunchtime in C225 Come join us for a co ee/chat! Check us out on TEAMS!

Contact Mr. Rimes <u>(Brady.Rimes@nbed.nb.c</u>a) or Mr. Votour <u>(bradley.votour@nbed.nb.c</u>a) for more information.

ASD-S HIGH SCHOOL VAPING AWARENESS CAMPAIGN



THE COST OF VAPING... CONTEST

Calling all Creatives!

Develop an original resource (poster, brochure, illustration, or infographic) to help raise awareness on one or more of the themes listed below.

What is the cost of vaping on:

- Relationships
- The environment
- Your physical health
- Your mental health
- Our communities, schools, homes



CONTEST RULES

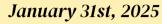
- Grade 9-12 students can participate
- Individual or group entries accepted
- Entries will be judged on creativity, content, and a clear message of the contest themes
- Artwork must be original
- Submissions must be 8.5"x11" or 8.5"x14" in size
- Submission due date is Mar. 17, 2025

For full contest details see your teacher or email kelly.harrell@nbed.nb.ca









You Are Invited To

SIMONDS HIGH SCHOOL

AP/HONOURS/HIGH HONOURS

CELEBRATION

Thursday, February 6

Period 2: Grade 9 Period 3: Grade 10 Period 4: Grade 11 Period 5: Grade 12

Simonds High School Theatre

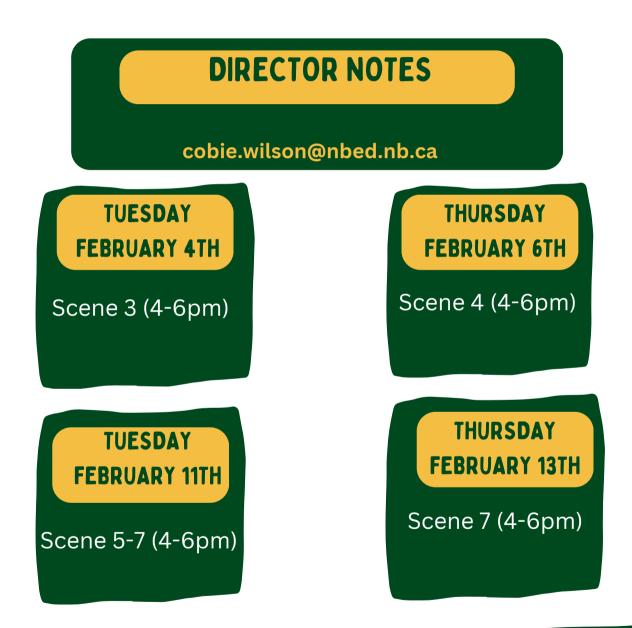






STAGE SPOTLIGHT:

Your Guide to Simonds High Performances



Reminders:

There is a \$50 fee for the musical. We kindly ask that all students pay this by the end of the month.

CORNER FEBRUARY SPO ATHLETIC DIRECTOR NOTES

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MONDAY

Varsity Boys basketball practice 3:45pm Cheerleading practice 5pm JV Boys Basketball practice 5:30pm Varsity Girls Basketball practice 5:30pm

WEDNESDAY

Varsity Boys Basketball practice 3:45pm Cheerleading practice 4:30pm JV Boys Basketball practice 5:30pm

FRIDAY

Grad Overnighter!

TUESDAY

Boys hockey practice 4:30pm East West Basketball Games! 6pm @SHS

THURSDAY

Varsity Girls Basketball practice 3:45pm Boys Hockey practice 4pm JV Boys Basketball practice 5:30pm

SAT/SUN

Girls Hockey game at the Hurley Saturday 5:30pm

Girls Hockey Game 5:30pm at the Hurley Sunday

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FRIDAY

Boys hockey game 7:30pm **@Blacks Harbour**

TUESDAY

Varsity girls basketball practice 4pm

Boys hockey practice 4:30pm

THURSDAY

Varsity Girls Basketball practice 3:45pm Boys Hockey practice 4pm

SAT/SUN

Girls Hockey game at the Hurley Saturday 5:30pm

Girls Hockey practice Sunday 11:30am Boys hockey game 5:30pm @SHS-Sunday