

Running Calendar (please note - this is the best info we have but dates do change on occasion)

Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
1	2 *Spring Sports begin	3	4 *Blocks 2,4,6 *Jag Time = Tutorial	5 *Blocks 1,3,5,7 *Jag Time = Clubs/Activities	6 *Clue (7 PM)	7 *Clue (7 PM)
8	9 *Deadline to register for 20/20 Visionaries Conference	10	11 *Blocks 2,4,6 *Jag Time = Tutorial *Choral Pathways Concert (7 PM)	12 *Blocks 1,3,5,7 *Jag Time = Clubs *Instrumental Concert (7 PM)	13 *Clue (7 PM)	14 *Clue (7 PM)
15	16	17	18 *Blocks 2,4,6 *Jag Time = Tutorial	19 *Blocks 1,3,5,7 *Jag Time = Clubs/Activities	20	21 *JBC Auction Event!!!
22	23	24	25 *Blocks 2,4,6 *Jag Time = Tutorial	26 *Blocks 1,3,5,7 *Jag Time = Clubs *Senior Parent Info Night (6 PM)	27 *Visually Speaking (ASL Concert) 7 PM	28 *Visually Speaking (ASL Concert) 7 PM
29	30	31	April 1 *Blocks 2,4,6 *Jag Time = Tutorial	2 *Blocks 1,3,5,7 *Jag Time = Clubs/Activities	3	4 Spring Break Begins

ACTION ITEM

1. Go See Clue!

Based on the iconic 1985 Paramount movie which was inspired by the classic Hasbro board game, Clue is a hilarious farce-meets-murder mystery. The tale begins at a remote mansion, where six mysterious guests assemble for an unusual dinner party where murder and blackmail are on the menu. When their host turns up dead, they all become suspects. Led by the Wadsworth – the butler, Miss Scarlett, Professor Plum, Mrs. White, Mr. Green, Mrs. Peacock and Colonel Mustard race to find the killer as the body count stacks up. Clue is the comedy whodunit that will leave both cult-fans and newcomers in stitches as they try to figure out...WHO did it, WHERE, and with WHAT!

Showtimes are this Friday and Saturday at 7 PM and next Friday and Saturday at 7 PM! Join us for yet another great Drama department show!

2. Rumours about the "Senior Assassin" Game

Credible rumor has it that Senior Assassin has started up again this year, and that it is happening at several schools in the area (and across the Nation - this has been a game going on for a decade or more). Senior Assassin in a game where kids pay up to \$50 (at least that's what I've heard it costs at NCHS) to play and they "shoot" each other with Nerf guns. Each student has a "hit list" of other kids in the game they are supposed to get. If you get "shot" you are out of the game. This continues until there is one winner. Most of the action takes place in the community, and honestly, at many of your houses. Do you really want strange teens hiding in your bushes or around your house waiting to "shoot" your child? Do you want your teen doing the same at someone else's house (and what if that family calls the police on your student)?

I cannot emphasize to you as parents and families how important it is that kids DO NOT bring any Nerf guns to campus - either in their cars or in their backpacks. As the <u>District Student Rights and</u> <u>Responsibilities</u> states, "toy, "dummy" or look-a-like objects that appear to be a firearm" can result in a Suspension.

Thanks in advance for talking with your teen about the game, about why they would spend \$50 on such a game, and for making sure they do not under any circumstance bring any Nerf (or other) guns to school. As you can imagine, a suspension that mentions "weapon" is not something you want in your child's discipline file.

NEWS and INFORMATION

1. Spring Sports

Spring Sports start March 2nd 2020. Be sure to register in FinalForms for:

- **D** Badminton
- Baseball
- ❑ Crew
- Golf girls

- □ Soccer boys
- □ Softball fast pitch
- □ Tennis girls
- Track & Field

2. We have amazing students at North Creek!

Presidential Service Award Nominees

This award recognizes Americans of all ages who have volunteered significant amounts of their time to serve their communities and their country. North Creek has 2 nominees this year. Congratulations to both of them:

- ★ Amy Cai
- ★ Sriya Paluvayi

Girls Gymnastics

★ Our Team took 3rd Place @ State!!!

Boys Wrestling

★ Hunter Treytak took 5th Place @ State

Boys Swim & Dive

Our Team took 14th Place @ State

Finalists @Districts & State Qualifiers					
Swimmer(s)	Event	Place			
Andrew Da Daniel Da Sankalp Varshney <u>Mykal Smasne</u>	200 Med Relay	4th @ Districts 14th @ States			
Kai Geller	Diving	10th @ Districts			
Joshua Pak	100 Fly	12th @ Districts			
Amey Joshi Tayne Kim David <u>Shershunov</u> Kai Geller	200 Free Relay	7th @ Districts			
Andrew Da	100 Back	5th @ Districts 12th @ States			
Joshua Pak	100 Back	10th @ Districts			
Tayne Kim Daniel Da Amey Joshi Mykal Smasne	400 Free Relay	7th @ Districts 22nd @ States			

<u>Model UN</u>

Our Model UN team recently went to Vancouver and we had 2 Jaguars honored for their efforts:

- ★ Baohan Tran (first conference!): Honorable Mention, representing the Dominican Republic in the Social, Humanitarian, and Cultural Committee (SOCHUM)
- ★ Sheikh Rasheed: Honorable Mention, representing the United Arab Emirates in the World Health Organization (WHO)



3. Student Parking

We have NO more parking available for students to purchase. As our sophomores start to get their licenses they will quite likely be parking in the neighborhoods surrounding our school. Please encourage them to be good neighbors and to keep their litter in their vehicles! Thank you!

4. District Visionaries Conference Information

The Northshore School District Equity and Diversity Department is announcing "20/20 Visionaries", the District's inaugural students of color conference. This conference will be held on Thursday, March 26th from 8:45am – 1:45pm at Cascadia College.

- ★ WHO CAN ATTEND: This conference is for Northshore School District middle and high school students. While the event is designed to reach students of African, Black, Hispanic, Latinx, Native, Asian, Asian Indian, Middle Eastern, and Pacific Islander descent, it is open to all Northshore students in grades 6 – 12.
- ★ PURPOSE: The purpose of "20/20 Visionaries" is to create intentional space for Northshore students of color to engage in positive identity development, build community and collaborate with one another, meet and work with educators and community partners who share similar backgrounds and identities, and learn more about various college and career paths.
- ★ THEMES: identity, collaboration, education, leadership, and social justice.
- ★ BRIEF CONFERENCE OUTLINE: During the conference, students will hear from keynote speaker Christian Paige; attend two workshop sessions of their choice that will be led by community members; learn about higher education options, resources, and supports from UW Bothell and Cascadia College students and faculty; and have the opportunity to take a guided campus tour of UW Bothell and Cascadia.
- ★ LOGISTICS: Lunch and District bus transportation will be provided. This will be an excused absence for all students who attend.
- ★ PERMISSION PACKET: Students must complete a permission packet, which includes a permission slip, photo release form, and dietary restriction form. When students have completed the packet, they will turn it into the point of contact at their school, which is Campus Supervisor Nani Lium at NCHS. Click <u>HERE</u> for the Packet.

Due to limited venue capacity, there is a cap for how many students at each school can attend the conference (36 students per high school, 18 students per middle school, and eight students at SAS). This means that conference registration is on a first come first served basis. The last day for all students to submit their permission packet is Monday, March 9.

5. Junior Class of 2021 Fundraiser Information

The junior class is having a fundraiser through Huntington Learning Center in Bothell. On March 25th, we'll host a practice SAT, and on April 1st, a practice ACT. Each test is \$25 to be turned in on test day, and 100% of the money is donated to Nordic News.

Students will get their scores and a diagnostic printout of areas of strengths and weaknesses. None of the scores are reported to any college; students will get results at a release night on in the library or an individually-scheduled meeting with Huntington. Sign up using this <u>Sign-Up Link</u>! Thanks for supporting junior class!

6. Computers for Home

Did you know that North Creek can provide computers to families who do not have computers at their home? If your student needs a computer at home, have your student see their counselor (it's confidential) and they will help your student take the next steps!

7. North Creek High School International Food and Cultural Festival North Creek High School International Food and Cultural Festival Thursday, April 30, 2020 6:00-8:30 PM (NOTE THE NEW DATE) North Creek High School Commons

The NCHS International Festival is being hosted by NCHS, PTSA, and the Natural Leaders. The intent of the festival is to celebrate the vast cultural and ethnic diversity richly represented within our NCHS families. This event will include an array of educational booths representing countries around the world, an area to learn a craft, an international food tasting area, a center stage for performances, international games, and a fashion show displaying various dress costumes from different countries.

Please join us to celebrate and contribute to this amazing event. If you have any questions, please contact NCHS International Food and Cultural Night Committee.

- Joseph Robertson (Assistant Principal): jrobertson@nsd.org General Questions.
- Lauren Lewis (NCHS PTSA President): laurenlewis77@gmail.com Booths.
- Hanisha Bakshani (Co-VP NCHS PTSA): hbakshani5@gmail.com Food/Fashion show.
- Mayela Martinez (Natural Leader/Family Outreach Liaison): mmartinez@nsd.org Dance.

Registration form: Click HERE. FORM DEADLINE: Thursday April 2nd, 2020

8. Senior Breakfast Info

I have heard there is some confusion about the cost of Senior Breakfast. The \$15 we are asking of each family offsets the cost of breakfast for our kids. The other fundraisers that Seniors are doing are to help off-set the cost of Senior Prom (we've already paid for the venue and DJ - so seniors are trying to earn money so their ticket prices are reasonable). Given how much money many of our teens spend at Starbucks each day, I'm hopeful the \$15 for a great, bonding, final Senior Breakfast is not too much to ask!

9. JAG Night Information

There are less than FOUR months to graduation!! Please purchase your Senior's Jag Night ticket at https://jaguarboosterclub.ecwid.com/ !! This is a parent sponsored event (with support from the Jaguar Booster Club) and we are excited for our Seniors to enjoy this SAFE and FUN event celebrating their graduation!!

- → We are also collecting Senior parent emails!! If you would like more information or if you have questions, please send your email address to <u>jagnight2020@gmail.com</u>.
- → Also our very popular Plush Blankets are almost sold out!! Purchase yours at <u>https://jaguarboosterclub.ecwid.com/</u>

10. From the Senior Class of 2020

PRE-ORDER EMBROIDERED CO2020 HOODIES FOR ONLY \$35

*ALL PROFITS LOWER BENEFIT 2020 PROM



AVAILABLE IN SIZES XS, S, M, L, XL & XXL FILL OUT THE FORM THEN PAY AT THE BOOKKEEPER'S OFFICE BY **MARCH 6TH** THIS IS THE LAST TIME YOU CAN GET SENIOR MERCH @ NCHS SO DON'T MISS OUT!



BUY YOUR

MERCH!

\$35

NORTH CREEK



All proceeds benefit 2020 prom and will lower the cost of prom tickets!



*The purple hoodie is not Champion brand.

LAST DAY TO ORDER IS MARCH 6TH





\$35 FOR 1 LINE \$100 FOR A WHOLE BRICK (3 LINES)

Pay at the bookkeeper's office and check out our awesome bricks in front of the 3rd Building (in picture). Don't miss out!

READINGS & OTHER INTERESTING MEDIA

- 1. Bored, Stressed, Tired: Unpacking Teenagers' Emotions About High School
- 2. Just how contagious is COVID-19? This chart puts it in perspective.

RECURRING ITEMS (info in the links changes weekly)

- 1. This Week's PTSA Newsletter Click <u>HERE</u> for the latest PTSA newsletter!
- **2. Jaguar Booster Club Information** Click <u>HERE</u> for information about the Jaguar Booster Club and The 3rd Annual JBC Paint the Night Purple Auction on March 21st.

ATHLETICS CALENDAR

All Athletics Schedules and Locations can be found on <u>www.kingcoathletics.com</u> Here are our athletic games for this week. Some athletes will need to leave class early. Please note "Dismiss" times below for our awesome Jaguar sports teams.

Spring Sports competitions begin March 10th - stay tuned!

