



North Delta Secondary Husky Herald

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Upcoming Events

March 2, 7-9 - Shrek plays

March 9 - Interims

March 13 - Spring Dance

March 15 - Parent Teacher Interviews

March 19 - 21 - Spring Break

North Delta Soccer Standout



Brandon Bassi is a talented soccer player with the sport running deep in his family. “Although, it was not always this way,” said Brandon during an interview. When he was younger, he was not too great at the sport nor did he like it, but as he got older, he found himself beginning to love the game; this has stuck with him since. All of Brandon’s hard work paid off because he signed on to play NCAA soccer at SFU. Brandon said it all feels unreal because his brother went to NDSS and then SFU, so he feels as if he is following in his footsteps. Senior staff coach, Steve Duffy said, “Brandon has done it all from playing for the Whitecaps to playing at National Championships.” Duffy also said he is a very consistent player and would rate all of his performances at minimum 8/10, if not higher, all of the time. Brandon is not just all about soccer - he is also a great student as he has achieved honour roll standing and helped the Sr. Boys basketball team reach fourth place in Provincials. Beyond soccer, Brandon plans to further his education at SFU and pursue a major in criminology with a minor in sports science. With his education, he hopes to make a positive impact on those around him. Brandon’s commitment to sports, education, and leadership have lead him on the path to a bright future and exemplifies what being a Husky is truly all about.



Come buy Shrek Tickets!

\$20 for adults

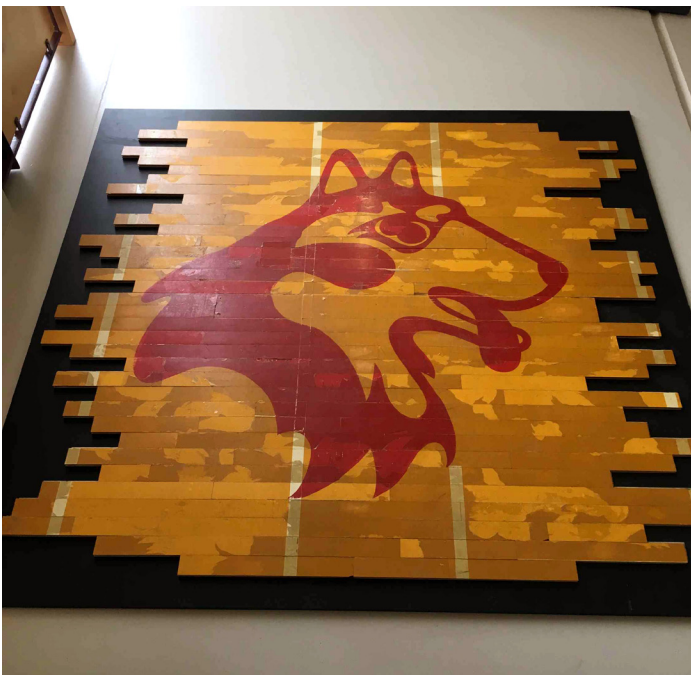
\$10 students and seniors

Tickets can be bought online, on the school website, or at the school office.

“Once a Husky, Always a Husky”

Reunited with History

Even though it was a long anticipated wait, a segment of North Delta's history is shining bright on the walls of ND. On February 16, maintenance staff hung up the centre court section of the old NDSS gym floor above the door of the gymnasium. In 2002, North Delta upgraded its gym floor, where they then moved the pieces of the old gym floor somewhere else in the school. Mr. Hundal and Mr. Sandhu were informed about the ancient planks in 2016 by former vice-principal Mr. Johnson and were given \$2500 to restore and install the centre court. Both teachers spent many months trying to find the hidden pieces; however, they came out empty handed. The pair then consulted former ND custodian Mr. Tohill. With his assistance, they were able to find the missing planks inside a small attic in the auto shop in May of 2016. Between May and June of 2016, they gathered a few Grade 12 students and attached the logo together. The installation isn't over quite yet. A plaque is being made will be hung beneath the old centre court. On it, the words: "NDSS gym floor, 1957-2002. Champions play here."



Snowball

On Tuesday, January 30th, Grad Council created a winter fairytale Snowball formal dance for the senior students at North Delta. The Grad class of 2018 and grade 11 students came together for a night of celebration and a moment to enjoy themselves after a week full of stressful final semester 1 exams. Grad Council took impeccable care of decorating and made sure every detail was perfect - from faux snow to twinkle lights. Each Husky that attended was dressed to impress and showed Husky PRIDE. The night was full of sweet treats, music with a professional DJ and photo booths to mark the memorable night.



Student Voice



On February 20th, BC Student Voice leaders from NDSS put on a forum for students across the Delta School District. BC Student Voice aims to improve BC's Education System through student input. District leaders Harneet Bariana, Rafay Chaudhry, Cameron Kainth, and Monika Jandu based their forum off the topic of "Preparing for Life After High School," and organized a conference consisting of keynote speakers including a UBC Panel and young entrepreneur, thought provoking focus questions, and engaging workshops. Through this event, more than 35 students from our school district shared their ideas as to how BC's Education System can equip students with the skills and experiences needed for a stress-free transition into the real world. The information obtained from this event will be shared on behalf of the Delta School District at the next provincial BC Student Voice meeting in April. The end goal is to have future high school students benefit from the changes that the Ministry of Education implements through initiatives such as this, in efforts to keep BC's Education system one of the top systems globally.