



# **Upcoming Events and Key Dates** (Access School Calendar)

**Dec. 8 -** PD Day - No Classes for Students

Dec. 11 - Parent Council Meeting at 3:30 PM

**Dec. 18 -** Holiday Character Day (Dress like a Holiday Character)

Dec. 19 - Ugly Holiday Sweater Day (Wear Your Favourite Ugly Holiday Sweater)

**Dec. 20 -** Pajama Day (Wear Your School Appropriate Pajamas)

Dec. 21 - Holiday Colours Day (Wear Your Favourite Holiday Colours That Match Your Holiday Traditions)

**Dec. 21 -** Holiday Meet & Greet and Alumni Homecoming (Details Below)

Dec. 22 - Last Day of Classes - Noon Dismissal - Edge World Cup - Mountain Shirt Day

## <u>EdgeMountaineers.com - Click here to stay up-to-date with everything Edge Athletics</u>

### **Holiday Meet and Greet (December 21)**

On December 21, we will host an informal 'meet and greet' from 7:30-8:15 AM in the foyer. If you are able, please join us for a coffee or hot chocolate and a chance to provide holiday greetings before the winter break.



# **Alumni Homecoming**

Calling all Edge School Alumni and their families as well as current student-athletes, coaches, staff and families!

Please join us at Edge School on Thursday, December 21 for our first ever Homecoming. Reconnect with old friends or make new ones while you rekindle the past and enjoy an array of activities throughout the day.

Cheer on our U18 Prep and U17 Gold Hockey Teams as they compete against their league rivals, CHA (Calgary Hockey Academy). To kick things off, we are honouring the team members of Edge School's first ever Varsity Hockey Team with a red carpet tribute.

Meet more Mountaineers in their athletic programs, school tours and presentations. Afterwards, head over to Brewsters Pub Crowfoot starting at 5:00 PM to relax and to continue reminiscing.

To help us ensure we have enough food and beverages throughout the day, please RSVP here.



# Mountain Team Hats Sale - Grade 6 Community Project

During the month of December, Grade 6 students are selling Mountain Team hats for \$20.00 in support of their community project fundraiser. Only 25 of each color are available! Students interested in purchasing a hat can see Ms. Ortiz to buy a hat.

# **Counseling Updates**

### **US College Expo**

This is an amazing opportunity for students who are interested in pursuing higher education in the United States. The US College Expo 2024 is a one-day event in Toronto & Calgary where you can meet with representatives from US colleges, gather information about their programs, and get answers to your questions about the admissions process.



Don't miss this chance to learn about your options for studying in the US and to have some fun while doing it! Register now for free and we'll see you at the US College Expo.

### **Discover UVic**

<u>Discover UVic</u> virtual information sessions are designed for prospective students to learn about all that the University of Victoria has to offer. We'll cover topics from campus life and housing to hands-on learning and what it means to relocate to Victoria. There are Discover UVic events scheduled for December 12 at 5:00 PM PST and January 18 at 6:00 PM PST.

<u>Parent Night</u> virtual session will guide parents and guardians on how to help their students succeed and thrive in their first year of university, with a focus on strategies to navigate the transition from high school to university. Prospective students are also welcome. The next session is scheduled for January 16 at 7:00 PM PST.

Students can visit our <u>events webpage</u> to register and find the most up-to-date information on our upcoming events.

#### U of A Getaway

The University of Alberta is now accepting applications for 20 lucky students to spend a weekend away at the U of A.

Their adventure will include transportation reimbursement\*, accommodations, meals and a jam-packed schedule of events. They will stay in residence, visit state-of-the-art facilities, uncover hidden gems on campus and experience U of A student life first-hand. We'll also take them around our city, including our breathtaking river valley and iconic West Edmonton Mall.

Who: 20 Grade 11 Students From Across Canada

**What:** U of A Getaway **When:** May 24 - 26, 2024

Where: University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta

Students can learn more and apply at <u>uab.ca/getaway</u>. The application deadline is January 31, 2024.







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