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# Carver Weekly Newsletter

## January 6, 2012

### CARVER IN THE NEW YEAR

One of the many days we treasure at Carver is the first day back in the new year. We began Tuesday morning, January 3, 2012, as a community of staff in prayer, music, and devotional worship ... no students!

Both VP Wendy Perttula and I, unbeknownst to one another, shared reflections that related a sense of our faith and faith community "on the move." In his book *Talking With God*, Henry Baron encourages us to follow Jesus on a pilgrimage as God sends him beyond Bethlehem to Jerusalem. Our faith likewise needs to be on the move. This remarkably dynamic image connects well with our Carver community. We are building programs with academic integrity. We are structuring a strong governance model in concert with John Knox and Vancouver Christian School. We have undergone evaluations that affirm God is leading us forward. We are looking for a permanent home. These are exciting challenges for a new year pilgrimage in education and faith.

Finishing off our staff worship, Wendy encouraged us to Pray with Vision, Pray with Faith, Pray for the Impossible and Pray that we grow in Wisdom and Grace.

Happy New Year and many Blessings!

*Paul Tigchelaar*  
Principal

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **Mandatory Parent and Student Cross Cultural Outreach Trip Meeting**

- Thursday, January 26, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. for China and Costa Rica parents. 7:00 p.m. for Vancouver parents.
- Both parents or the legal guardian must attend with their child.
- Both parents or legal guardian must bring photo ID with them to have the lawyer notarize forms for their child to travel to China and Costa Rica.
- Isabel Jackson will be signing and notarizing forms for China and Costa Rica in the Carver library beginning at 6:00 p.m.
- Individual trip meetings will begin at 7:00 p.m. (Both parents and the student must attend).

#### **The January Series**

The award-winning January Series of Calvin College is coming to Burnaby, British Columbia. From January 4 through January 24, 2012, New Westminster Christian Reformed Church will be one of 34 remote webcast locations worldwide to broadcast one of the nation's leading lecture and cultural arts series.

In its silver anniversary year, the January Series will feature a lineup of nationally-acclaimed speakers including a former advisor to four presidents, a Broadway actress, one of the world's foremost New Testament scholars and one of National Geographic's 10 Adventurers of the Year, to name a few.

The experts will cover a wide range of today's most relevant topics, offering bipartisan insights into the Obama administration, the divided Congress and the 2012 election. They'll also discuss the future of the Middle East and the future of Christianity in America, share thoughts on small farms and local food systems, and much more. For a full list of speakers and topics, visit [www.calvin.edu/january](http://www.calvin.edu/january).

The January Series lectures will be video-streamed live at New Westminster Christian Reformed Church from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Monday through Friday. The lectures are free and open to the public.

For more information, please feel free to contact Andrew Beunk at 604-521-0111. To download a hi-res photo of any speaker, visit [www.calvin.edu/january/2012](http://www.calvin.edu/january/2012) and click on the name of the speaker.

#### **Car Key Found**

A Toyota car key with a Destination Auto Group key ring tag has been found. Please call the office at 604-523-1580.

# EXAM WEEK

**9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.**

**1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

<b>Monday</b> January 23	<b>French 8</b> Midterm Exam <b>Christian Studies 11/12</b> Final Exam	<b>Room 210</b> <b>Gymnasium</b>	<b>English 8</b> Midterm Exam <b>Christian Studies 9</b> Final Exam <b>Mathematics 9</b> Final Exam <b>Social Studies 10</b> Final Exam	<b>Room 210</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b>
<b>Tuesday</b> January 24	<b>Mathematics 8</b> Final Exam <b>English 9</b> Midterm Exam <b>Apprenticeship and Workplace Mathematics 10</b> Provincial Exam <b>Foundations of Mathematics and Pre-calculus 10/10 Wings</b> Provincial Exam	<b>Room 214</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b>	<b>Social Studies 9</b> Final Exam <b>Introductory Spanish 11</b> Final Exam <b>Physics 11</b> Final Exam <b>Principles of Mathematics 12</b> Final Exam	<b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b>
<b>Wednesday</b> January 25	<b>Christian Studies 8</b> Final Exam <b>English 10/10 Wings</b> Provincial Exam <b>Law 12</b> Final Exam	<b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Room 210</b>	<b>Science 9</b> Final Exam <b>Apprenticeship and Workplace Mathematics 11</b> Final Exam <b>Pre-calculus 11 Wings</b> Final Exam <b>Social Studies 11</b> Provincial Exam <b>Biology 12</b> Final Exam	<b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b>
<b>Thursday</b> January 26	<b>French 10</b> Final Exam <b>English 12</b> Provincial Exam	<b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b>	<b>Chemistry 11</b> Final Exam <b>Earth Science 11</b> Final Exam <b>Introductory Mandarin 11</b> Final Exam	<b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b> <b>Gymnasium</b>

## EXAMINATION RULES

1. Students should be at the entrance to the gym 15 minutes before the start of the exam.
2. Students should be in Carver uniform, as for a normal school day. As the gym might be cooler than classrooms, one or two extra warm items of clothing may be worn.
3. All textbooks are to be handed in at the start of the exam session as instructed by the invigilating teachers.
4. All bags and other items are to be left on the side of the gym.
5. All phones and other electronic devices are to be left in the OFF position in the student's bag.
6. Students may only have the necessary stationery (blue or black pens, pencils, rulers, erasers, approved calculators) and a water bottle with them at their desks. No borrowing of stationery will be allowed.
7. Eating, unless for medical reasons, is not permitted in the exam room.
8. Students may not start until instructed to by the invigilator.
9. Students would normally have two hours to complete a paper, with an additional hour as needed.
10. Students may not start the exam later than 30 minutes after the official starting time. All students must remain in the exam room until the two hours are up and may not leave early. If a student finishes before the two hour period is up, the student may hand the paper in and continue reading or studying quietly. Permission will be given to get the necessary material from the student's bag. Late arrival does not lead to extra time beyond the maximum three hour limit.
11. Students must do their own work at all times during the exam and not communicate with any other student. The following are not allowed during an examination.
  - Communicating in any way with another student
  - Using notes other than what had been handed out to the student by the invigilator
  - Using any electronic device other than an approved calculator
  - Disruptive behavior
12. In the event that an invigilator suspects that a student is cheating, the completed answers up to that point will be collected, as well as any evidence of cheating, and the student will be issued a new exam book to complete the exam. A final decision on the matter will be made later.
13. Students must remain at their desks until given permission to leave by the invigilator.
14. If a student is absent for an exam, a note from a medical doctor will be needed to explain the absence. Students should inform the school of absences before the start of the exam.

## CALENDAR

January 2012	February 2012
23-27 — Exam Week	24 — Professional Development Day (no school)
30 — Semester 2 Begins	