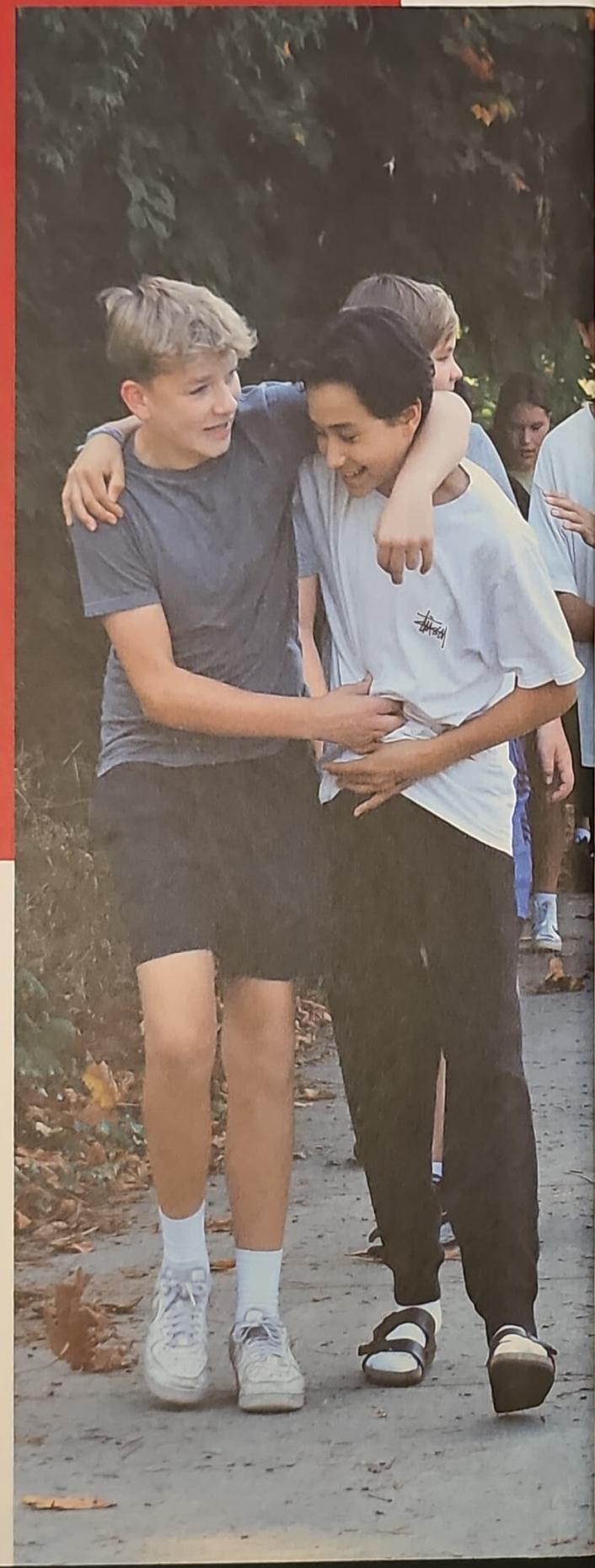
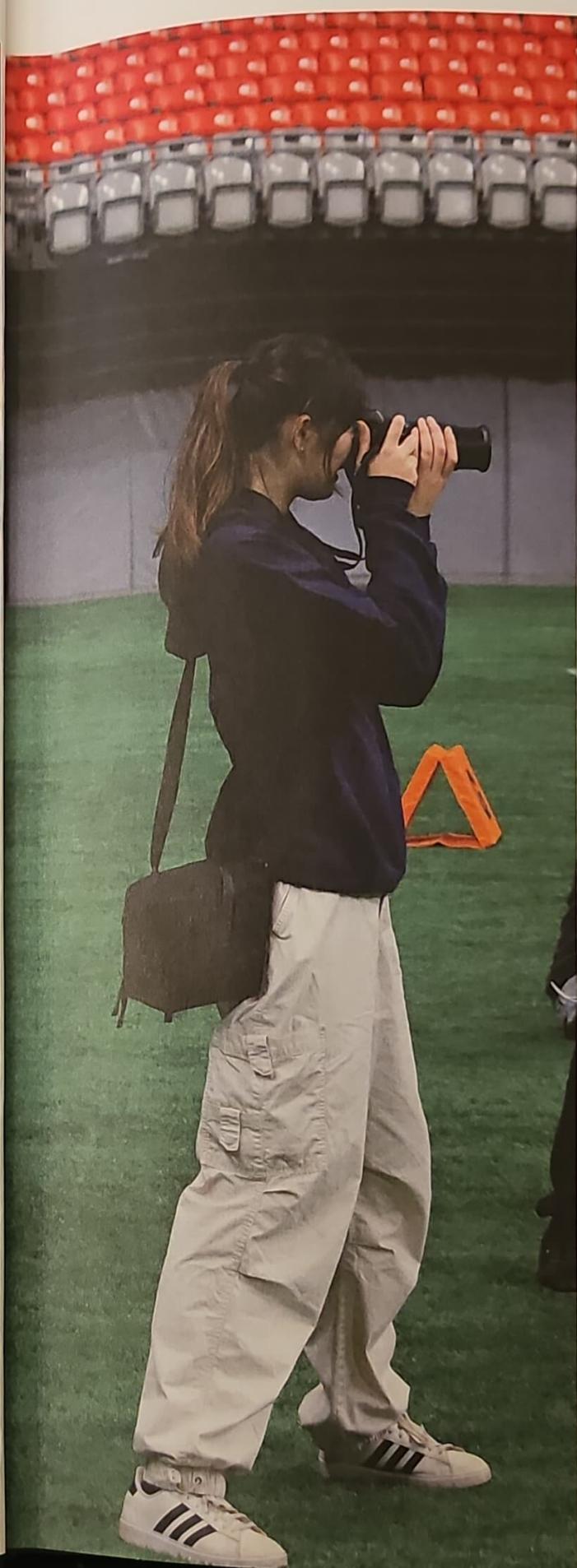


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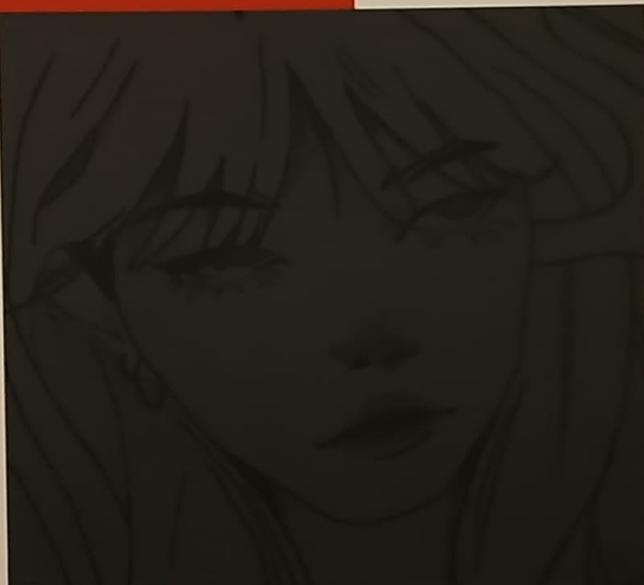
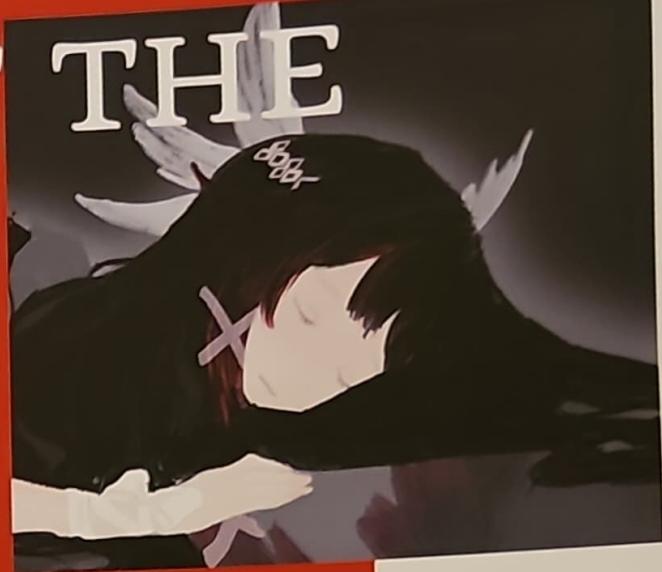


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ALL ABOUT THE ARTIST

Rheeya Chandra



I spend most of my free time creating art such as digital art, traditional art, and performing arts. My style varies, from a minimalistic approach with logos to a darker approach to my drawings.

I tend to express my passions and past through my art in one way or another, making each piece a subtle exploration of who I am. My creativity is what brightens up my life. I feel like if I wasn't the creative person I am today, I wouldn't be as content with myself. I would most definitely never have come up with some of my favourite outfits. The 2024 Carson yearbook cover is a modified version of our yearbook team's press badges. We are the Carson Eagles, so it only made sense to have our symbol as the cover. These eagles are a nod to Netflix with the way the shadows are.

FALL LIFE

Autumn brought about the start of a new year with opportunities for all Carson students! Everyone had the chance to join school clubs and sports. At the end of September, students reflected on the impact and devastation of colonialism and its effect on Indigenous peoples in their classes. Students took part in the Truth and Reconciliation ceremony by participating in a circle of healing. Performers at the ceremony danced and sang different songs from the Squamish nation. In October, everyone got excited about spooky season! Carson celebrated Halloween with various events like the costume contest organized by the Student Council, the haunted house by the drama students and the Halloween concert by the band program. Finally, in November, students remembered the fallen soldiers on Remembrance Day. As the days got shorter and the nights got longer, Carson got excited about the upcoming winter season!





Photo: J. Knight, Grade 12

GRADE 8 RETREAT

Only the Beginning...

Our Grade 8s took a trip to the great outdoors for a fun-filled day of adventure. This year, the retreat was held at The Cheakamus Center in Squamish. They participated in activities like nature walks, scavenger hunts and weaving, and enjoyed a hearty lunch and hot chocolate. To end a great day, the Carson dance team led a group dance and a memorable dance battle. The Grade 8s connected as activities took place throughout the day, and began to build friendships that will last throughout their time at Carson Graham and beyond.





Interview: Carmella J

Q: Did you enjoy the retreat?

A: It was very fun and I met my now-best friend Bo.

Q: What has been your experience at Carson so far?

A: I really like my freedom at this school and I like seeing all my friends. The field unit in gym class was also really fun.

Q: What were you thinking on the first day of school?

A: When I walked in my first day, I was thinking how open the school was and I really liked that there were lots of places to go and study.

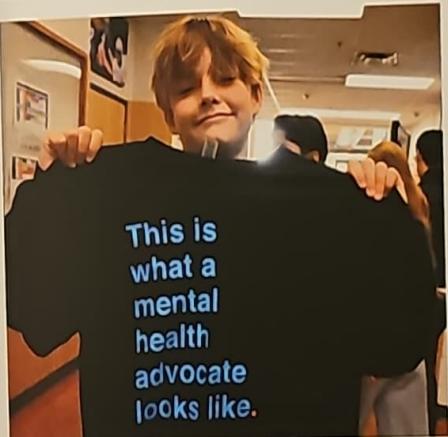


CLUB FAIR

Any Club You Want!

The Carson Graham Club Fair showcases a variety of clubs for students to join, with over 50 clubs led by students and teachers. Club representatives set up booths in the Agora to advertise their clubs, in hopes of bringing in new members for the school year. Clubs benefit students by giving them the opportunity to make new friends and get involved in the school community. They are also a great way for students to explore their interests by providing a wide range of options, from politics in Model UN to sports in our school's Cheer Club.





Interview: Elisa N

Q: What is your club's name and objective?

A: We are Community Initiatives. We organize and run dinners for those in the local community who are in need.

Q: How often and where do these dinners take place?

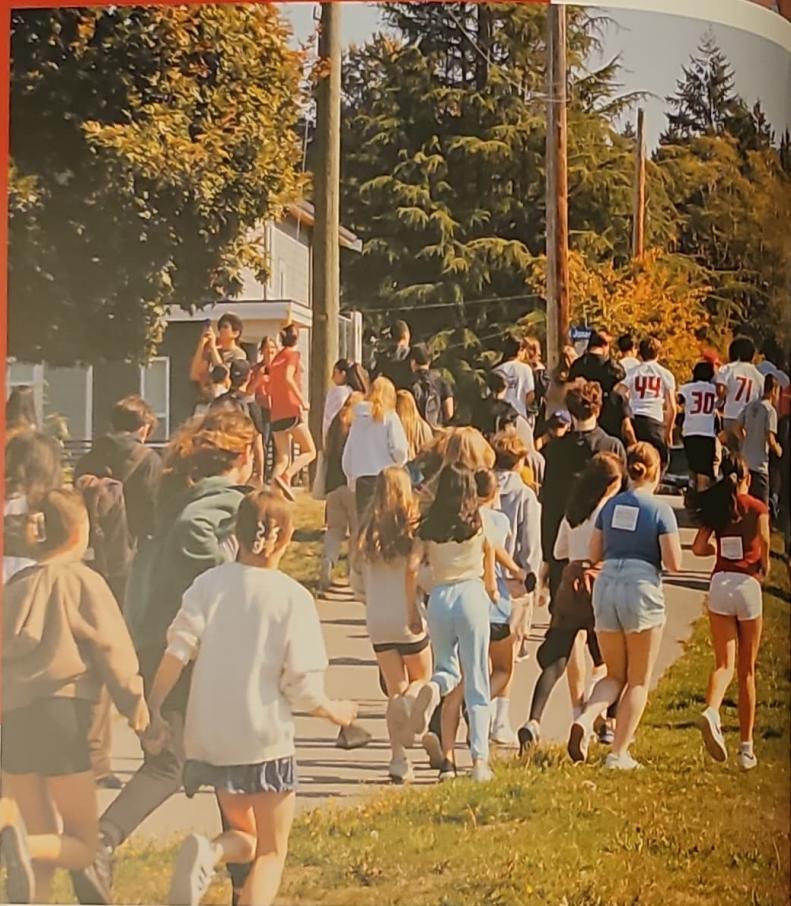
A: The last Monday of each month in the Carson Agora.



TERRY FOX RUN

Dear Terry...

Terry Fox is remembered as a hero. He had cancer, which led him to amputate his leg in 1977. His experience drove him to help others with cancer. He went on to run a marathon every day for 143 days. Every year, students and staff come together and run or walk for cancer awareness during the Terry Fox Run. This year, the Terry Fox run was on September 22nd and everyone was encouraged to bring a Toonie for Terry to support cancer research.



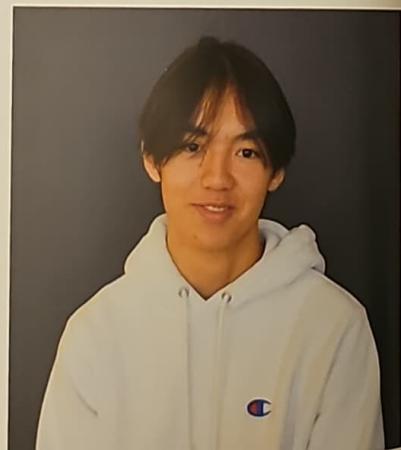
Interview: Sam M.

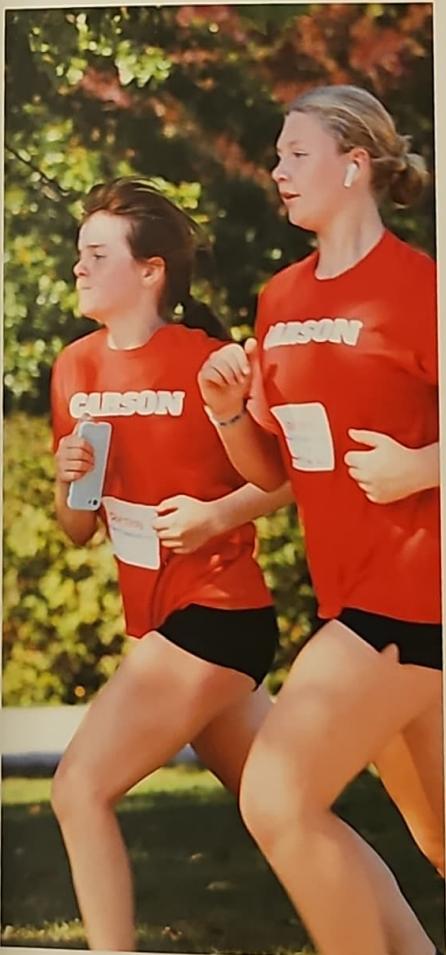
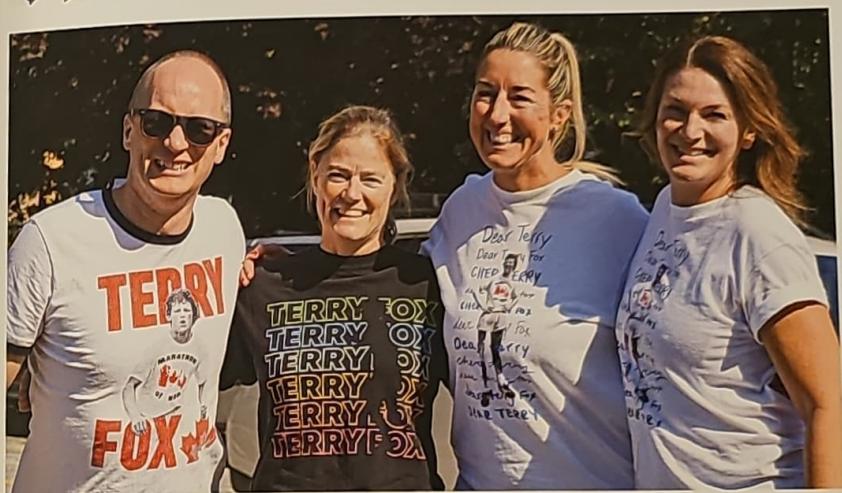
Q: Who did you run for?

A: I was running for my grandpa and my uncle because they are both cancer survivors.

Q: Do you feel supported by the Carson Community?

A: Yes, I feel supported because there are always people who can support you at Carson.

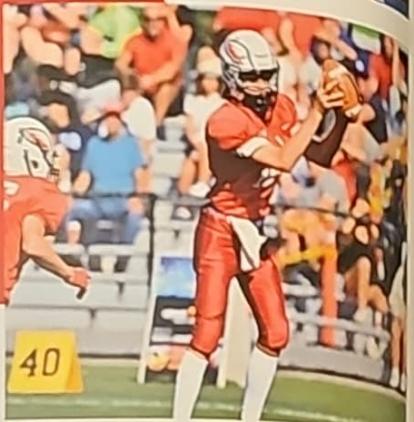
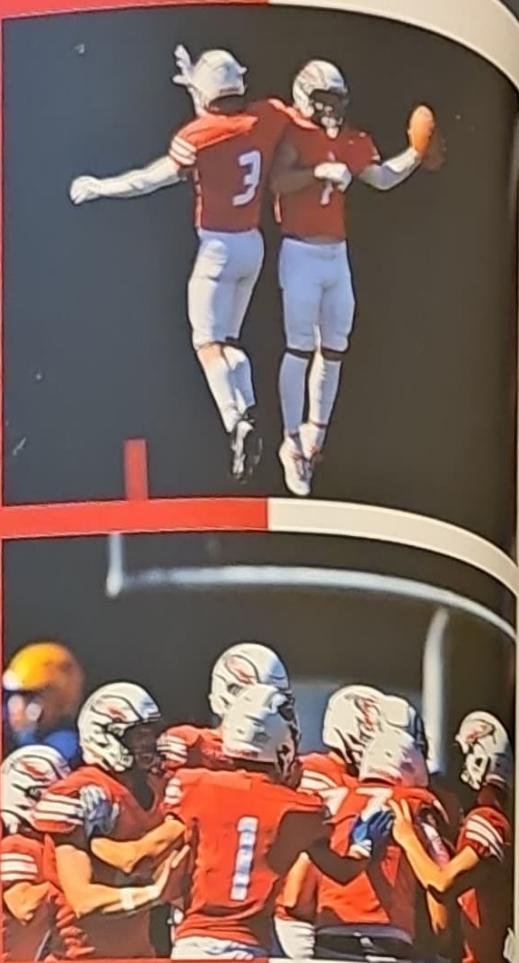




BUCHANAN BOWL '23

Sorry Ha***wo***,
Maybe Next Year.

This year, we watched the 36th annual Buchanan Bowl. The Carson Eagles continued the six-year winning streak, as our varsity team took the lead by 50-0 and our junior team put in their best efforts. Carson's triumph over the Handsworth Royals was more than a victory — it was a celebration that echoed with the excitement of the students, as the crowd cheered on their home team. Overall, it was a fantastic game that showed the talent and sportsmanship of our students. We couldn't be happier for our Eagles and cannot wait to see what next year's Buchanan Bow will bring!





Interview: Seb M.

Q: How did it feel to play in the Buc Bowl as a senior?

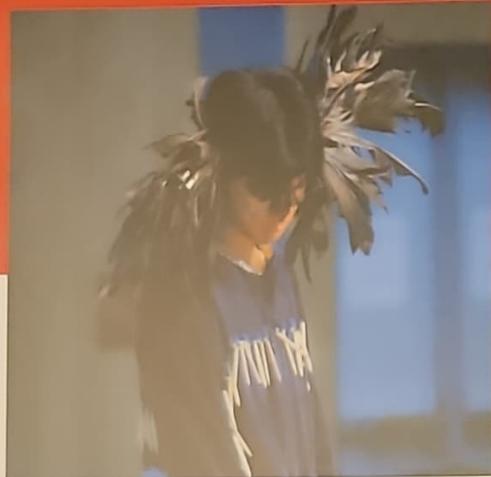
A: The Buc Bowl has a special atmosphere to it and playing as a senior, knowing it's going to be your last game in that atmosphere, makes you want to push harder for your boys. I think that was shown in the score of the game. Overall it was great to have everyone in the stands with the two student sections cheering on makes it special.

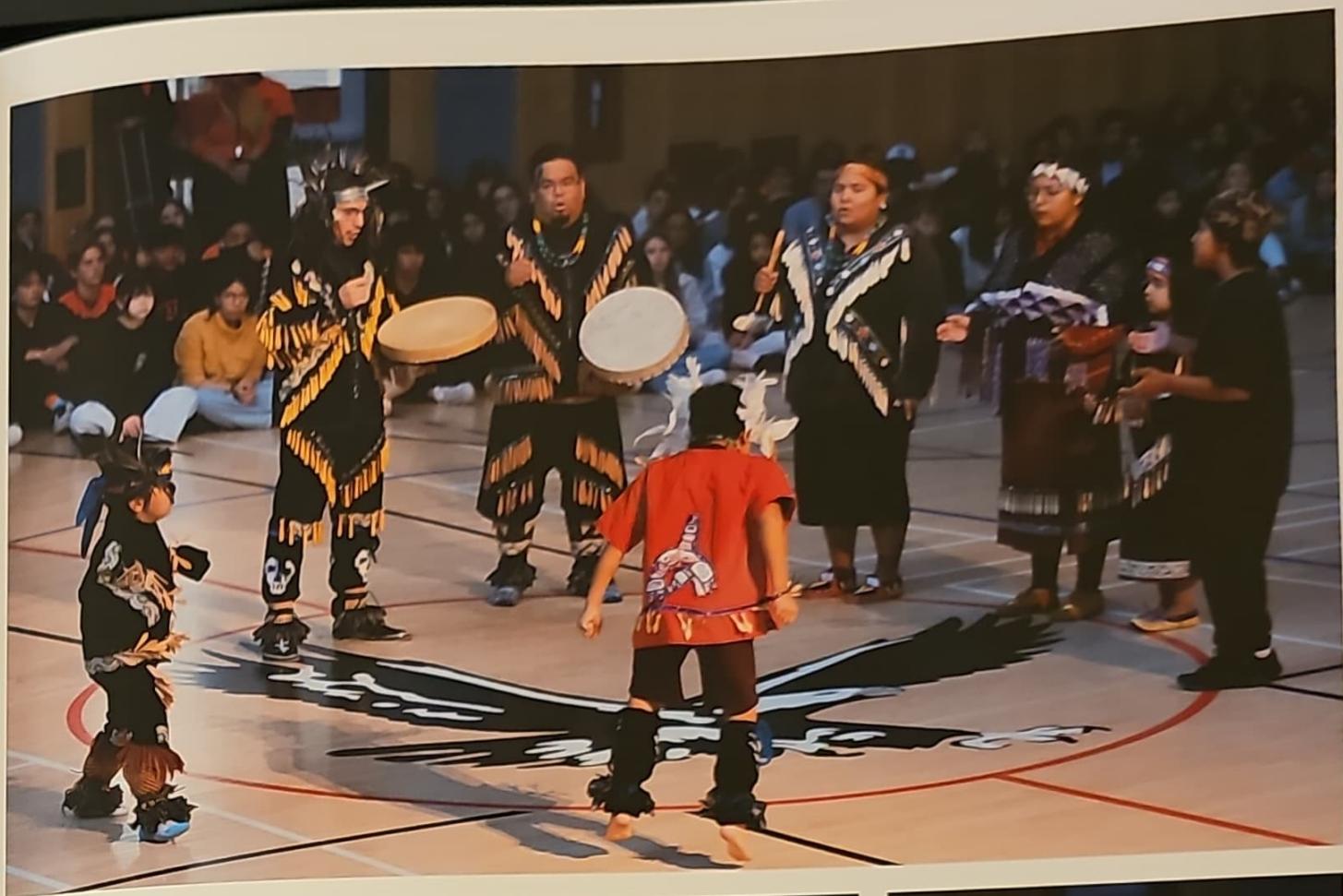


TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

Every Child Matters

Truth and Reconciliation is important to Carson Graham as it helps us to acknowledge the historical and ongoing injustices Indigenous Peoples face. It is about recognizing the truth, promoting healing, and building stronger relationships by learning about and understanding the experiences of Indigenous communities. It is also about recognizing and celebrating Indigenous Peoples' resilience. Carson Graham is on a journey towards creating a more inclusive environment for everyone. Our school's Truth and Reconciliation Ceremony was a powerful way to foster empathy, respect and unity.





Interview: Avianna J.

Q: What does truth and reconciliation mean to you?

A: Truth and reconciliation means to bring out the truth of the past or getting to know the further history, instead of finding it because you'll never know the real truth and what actually happened besides researching. It's a way to reconnect and see what peoples bad mistakes have been.

Q: How can Carson be more inclusive for indigenous peoples?

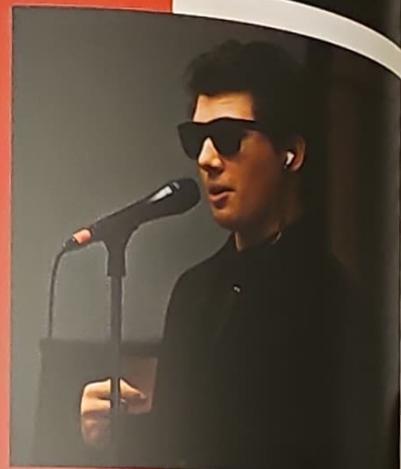
A: In my opinion to help Indigenous Peoples is to bring about the actual proper way with things, like when they bring out medicine bags they need to show the proper way to make it. I know more about my traditional ways than they do, they search things up even though its not going to be on the internet, they have to ask someone who is an elder of the Squamish nation or whatever they are, to learn more about it and how to make it properly



HALLOWEEN CONCERT

Haunted Harmonies

The annual Halloween concert is held at the Carson Graham Agora every year. It is the first concert for all the bands, and the very first high school concert for the concert band 8 and beginning band 8 bands. It's an incredibly exciting event, and the players can dress up in their Halloween costumes and perform for their parents and friends. The music the bands play at the Halloween concert is slightly different from the music they play for other concerts, as the repertoire features songs that have haunted and eerie qualities. The songs evoke feelings of suspense and fear, which help the audience get into the spooky spirit.



Interview: Misty A.

Q: What instrument do you play?

A: I play the tubal

Q: What is your favorite part of band?

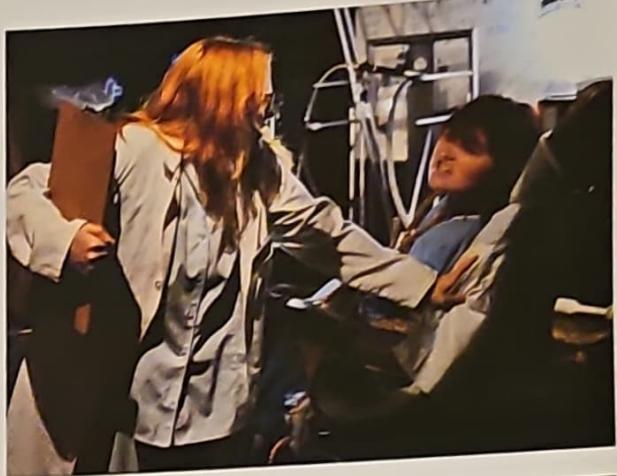
A: I like band because it is a mini diverse community that gets many people together to create art.



HAUNTED HOUSE

Enter if You Dare...

This year, the Drama 11 and 12 classes hosted a haunted house for the whole school. Students dressed up and decorated the theatre for a spooky and scary experience. The students who attended the event described it as thrilling and a truly frightening experience.



Interview: Ruby C.

Q: Who runs the haunted house?

A: The grade 11 and 12 drama class.

Q: What's your favourite part of the haunted house?

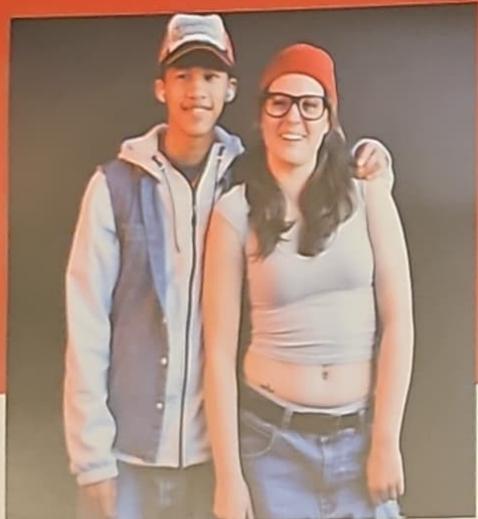
A: My favourite part is scaring people and making them scream, and also working with the drama class.



HALLOWEEN

Let's Get Spooky!

Halloween at Carson was very lively. The drama class held a spooky haunted house with all the actors in full blown costume and makeup with surprises around every corner. The costume contest was a blast too, with everyone showing off their spectacular outfits with some group or duo costumes. Of course, the yearbook had a photobooth where we captured all the hilarious and spooky moments. It was an unforgettable day filled with scares, laughter, and great memories!



Interview: Zoe P.

Q: Who were you for halloween?

A: I was Fluttershy from My Little Pony.

Q: How long did you spend preparing your costume?

A: At least two or three months.

Q: Was any part of the costume handmade?

A: The dress I wore was very last minute, as originally I was making one by hand by sewing it. I didn't end up having enough time so I just used one from my closet.





REMEMBERANCE DAY

Lest We Forget

In the fall, one of the most important and recognizable days was undoubtedly the Remembrance Day Assembly. Remembrance Day is a time when we come together to honour and remember those who have served and sacrificed for our country. It is a day to reflect on the bravery and selflessness of our veterans and to express our gratitude for their contributions. This year's Remembrance Day Assembly showcased powerful performances from dance, choir and band. Indigenous traditions were beautifully interwoven into the assembly, creating a moving tapestry of history and resilience. Let us never forget their courage and dedication, and may we strive to uphold the values they fought for. Remembrance Day is a powerful reminder of the importance of unity, gratitude, and the enduring spirit of our country.



Interview: Avi L Gr 11

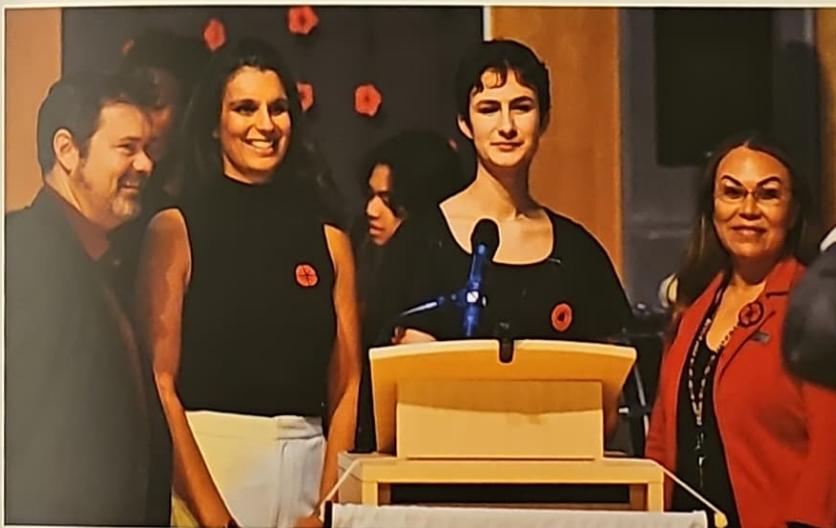


Q: What does Remembrance Day mean to you?

A: Remembrance Day holds deep significance. It's a time to honor and remember the sacrifices made by veterans and those who served in the armed forces. It's an occasion that emphasizes the importance of acknowledging their courage and dedication to protecting our freedoms.

Q: How does it feel to be a part of the Remembrance Day ceremony?

A: Being a part of the Remembrance Day ceremony as an army cadet is incredibly powerful. It's a dignified and respectful experience, honouring those who served and sacrificed.



FALL SPORTS

At Carson, sports are much more than exercise. They are opportunities to make new friends, demonstrate sportsmanship, and enjoy the game. While each sport offers a new experience, each helps students to grow and learn outside the limits of a conventional classroom. Students channelled their inner competitive school spirit to strive for victory. Playing a fall sport gives students a strong start to the year and a chance to form life-long friendships and build skills that will help them be successful throughout their high school careers and into the future! This season, we witnessed great accomplishments: the Varsity football team made it to the B.C. Finals and the Senior girls volleyball team made it to the Zones. Our other teams played just as well, and we commend you for the hard work and dedication to your sport. Congratulations Carson on the wonderful season!

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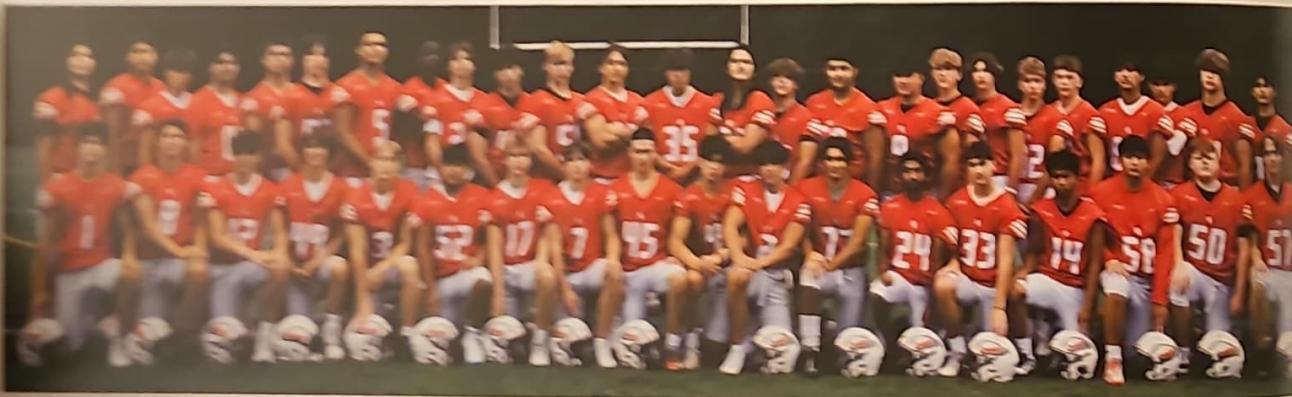


Photo: S. Kelayeh, Grade 11

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Winning Becomes A Habit!

Through the team's season started off on the wrong foot, the Junior Varsity Football team had a habit of being persistent and hard-fight for the game. On the other side of the playing field, the Senior Varsity And just as much hard as they started the season off strong, putting them in the 10th place nationwide.



JUNIOR VARSITY



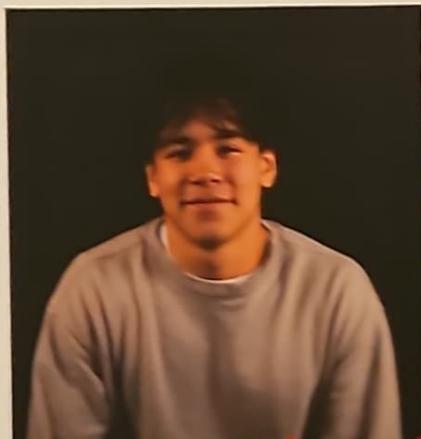
Interview: Andrew M.

Q: What makes Carson football special?

A: The friendships and bonds that everyone makes after football and my friendship with Coach Durandish.

Q: Do you have any advice for future Carson football players?

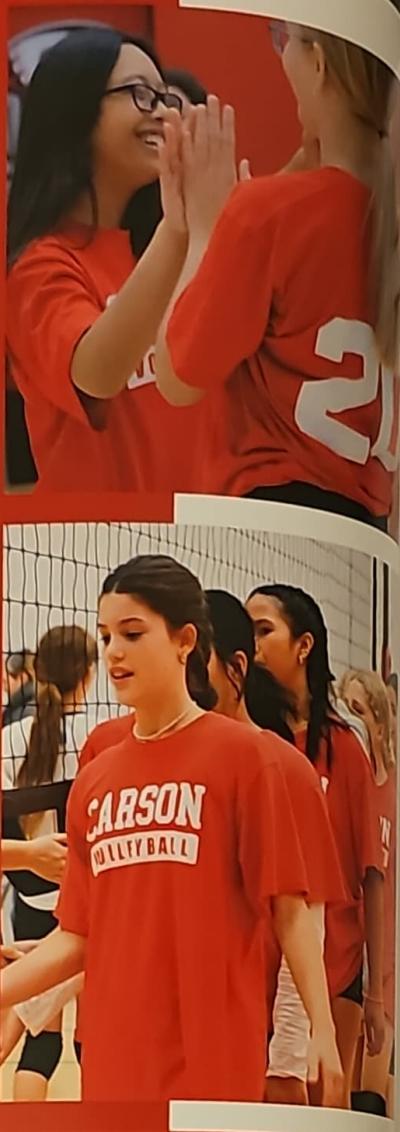
A: Enjoy your time playing football, because my time is almost up, and it's been an amazing experience.



BANTAM VOLLEYBALL

Game on!

The Grade 8 Girls Volleyball team emerged as a powerhouse this season, demonstrating remarkable skill, teamwork, and an infectious enthusiasm for the game. From their very first serve, these young athletes showcased a level of talent and sportsmanship that defined an exceptional season on the volleyball court.



JUVENILE VOLLEYBALL

spike-Tastic!

The Grade 9 girls' volleyball team had a blast this season! They rocked it in several tournaments, playing their hearts out and having loads of fun. Whether spiking, setting, or cheering each other on, these girls showed amazing teamwork. The friendships they built made every game a memorable experience, creating a bond that goes beyond the scoreboard. It was a season filled with high-fives, shared victories, and the joy of playing the game they love together.



JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL

Party Ball

The Grade 10 Girls Volleyball team embarked on a thrilling journey this season, leaving an incredible mark on the court with their passion, teamwork, and unwavering determination. From the first serve to the final point, these athletes showcased not only their athletic prowess but also their camaraderie and sportsmanship. The commitment was unmatched and the girls had an amazing season!



SENIOR VOLLEYBALL

Block it Like a Boss

As the final whistle echoes, the Senior Girls Volleyball team reflects on a legendary season marked by triumphs, personal growth, and unforgettable moments. Their dedication and spirit, evident in every bump, set, and spike have left an indelible mark on our school's sports history. As they step off the court and into the future, their passion for the game becomes a guiding torch, inspiring future generations. This season was not just fantastic - it was legendary. The legacy of these Senior Girls will forever inspire the spirit of our athletic community.



SENIOR BOYS SOCCER

Eat. Sleep. Soccer. Repeat.

Carson's Senior Boys Soccer had an amazing year! Throughout the season, our team really bonded over lunch meetings and formed strong connections on the field. They've all shown their dedication by showing up to early morning practices in the cold and hosting soccer intramurals. Great job boys!



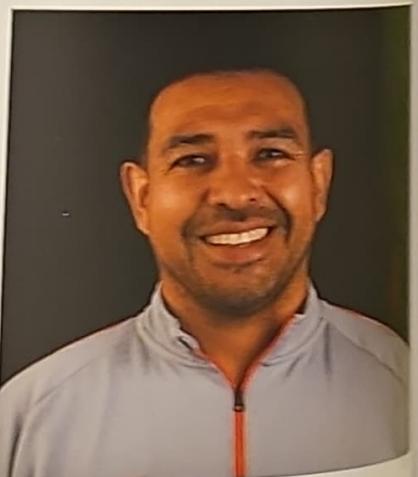
Interview: Mr. Cabrera

Q: How do you create a positive and motivating environment for your players?

A: My approach is simple; no individual player is bigger or better than the team as a whole. I always emphasize first what a player is doing well before I ask them to improve somewhere else.

Q: Can you share your approach to strategy and game management before and during matches?

A: We always have lunch together as a team every game. This is where we discuss strategy, opponent's strengths and weakness, and line ups. In these meetings, everyone has to say in terms of how we can get the best from each player. During matches, my comments are always positive and specific to what I want them to improve.



CROSS COUNTRY

A Running Victory!

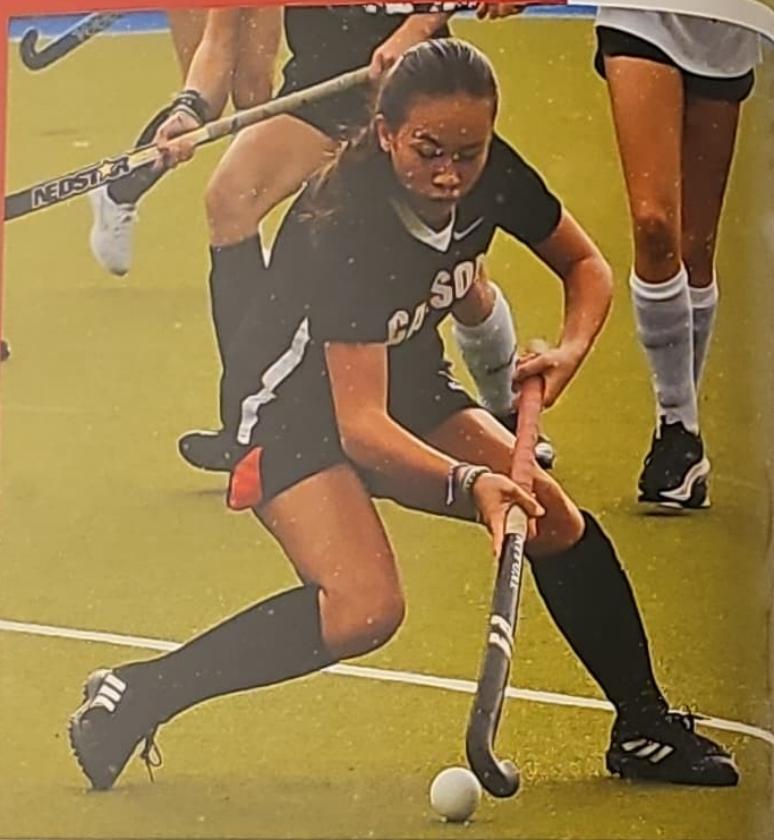
Our 2023 Cross Country Team: tight knit, passionate runners conquering trails together. They train, cheer, and create unforgettable memories together. They are fuelled by determination and chase their dreams, one stride at a time.



FIELD HOCKEY

Sticks in Sync

Carson Girls Field Hockey had a successful season, achieving a 4 out of 6 win and building a solid foundation for next season. The team had such a memorable and impactful season under the coaching and guidance of Mr. Thornhill, who fostered a positive and winning mindset. According to Mr. Thornhill, one of the highlights of the season was when the team scored a goal with 2 minutes to go and secured a victory. Congratulations everyone involved for a well-done job! Wishing the team continued success in future seasons.



SWIM TEAM

Drop a Fin!

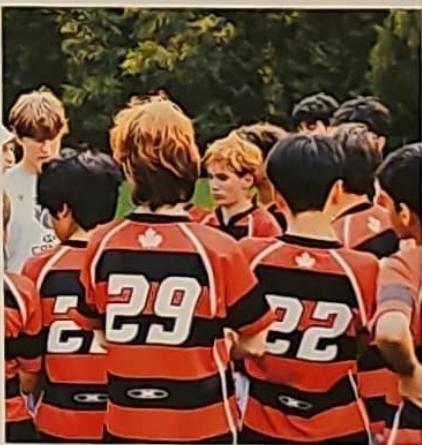
Let's take a moment to celebrate the incredible journey of our swim team. They worked hard from early morning practices to competitions. They've swam with skill, determination, and a whole lot of team spirit. We celebrate their victories as well as their hard work this season.



GRADE 8 RUGBY

Scrum-tious!

The Grade 8 boys' rugby season was a thrilling rollercoaster of epic tackles, unforgettable tries, and unbreakable bonds. They faced each game with heart and grit, and whether they won or lost, they always confronted their victories and losses together as a team. The determination in their tackles and the strategic brilliance of their tries weren't just displays of athleticism; they showed a collective spirit that defined the team. Every practice session became a purposeful step toward perfection.



WINTER LIFE

Winter at Garson was full of festive fun, marked by memorable events and activities. One highlight was Santa's Breakfast, a beloved tradition where Mr. Irani dressed up as Santa Claus, spreading joy and laughter among students. All our spirits were lifted with the two snow days in January, boosting the ski and snowboard scene and giving students unexpected but needed breaks to enjoy the snowfall. As the temperatures dropped, Garson's basketball and wrestling teams started up, with the No-Regrets tournament being a hit. As our grads had their final winter with Garson at the "Snow-Ball Winter Formal," the air was filled with excitement and laughter.



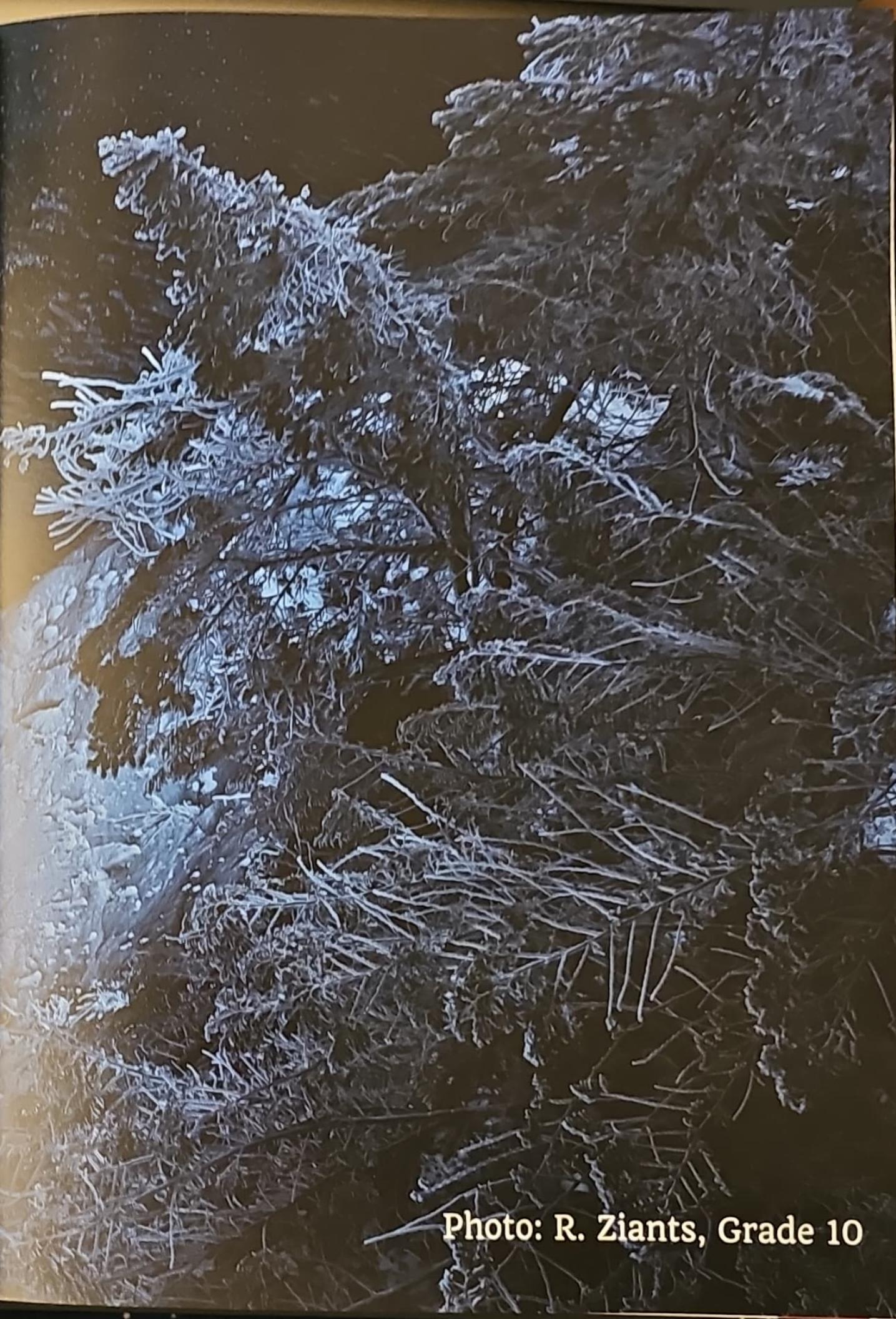


Photo: R. Ziants, Grade 10

JAZZ NIGHT

Embrace the Rhythm

The Carson Graham Jazz Concert was a night to remember! Talented singers and musicians took to the stage to put on a lively performance and showcase the accomplishments of the band, senior choir, and jazz choir. Smooth melodies and catchy songs made for an unforgettable night of music.



Interview: Sanaz S.

Q: How long did you practice for the concert?

A: I actually joined the choir that was performing (EV Vocal Jazz) a week before the concert, so I didn't have much time to practice. But almost everyday I would go home and go over my part.

Q: What was your favourite song you performed?

A: My favourite song was definitely Brazasia, sung by mixed vocal jazz. It's such a fun song to sing especially with the rest of the choir!

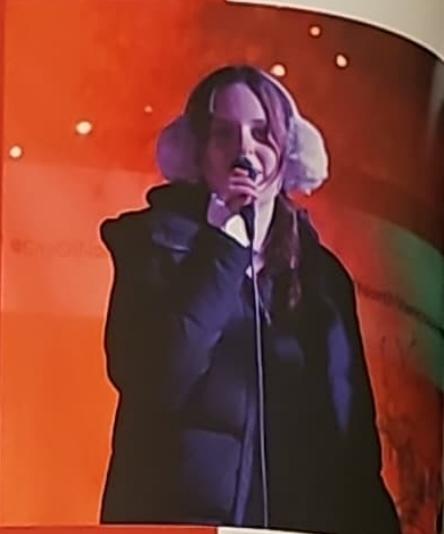


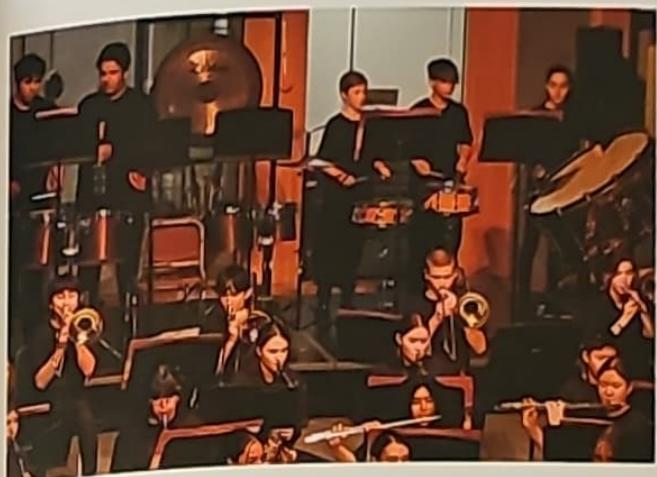


CHORAL CONCERTS

A Symphony of Voices

During their performances, the captivating and talented choir singers filled the rooms with beautiful sounds, emotion, and passion. Their enchanting voices carried joy and warmth across the room as they sang in harmony. It was an experience guaranteed to delight both young and old. These students dedicated hours of hard work, waking up early to practice with determination for upcoming concerts. The music they sang showcased diversity in various cultures. Throughout the year, they explored songs in different languages, which allowed them to develop connections with each other and the audience.





WINTER CONCERT

Christmas Tunes

There's nothing sweeter and brighter than listening to the Bands on a chilly evening in winter. This year, they performed their Winter Concert at the Carson Large Gym. The Bands worked tirelessly for three months, three times a week, to put together a beautiful repertoire of songs to perform for friends and family. The concert was a way to demonstrate their skill and improvement since the beginning of the year. This ethereal night would not have been a success if it wasn't for the teachers in the music department. The performance was lovely, and their music was catchy, exciting, and soulful.

Interview: Gisele S.

Q: Did you face any challenges as a group, preparing for the concert?

A: One challenge we face as a group is staying together from beginning to end. Especially for the slow songs, we need to make sure we're all listening to each other so our parts line up properly.

Q: What was your favourite Christmas/winter song?

A: My favourite song from the winter concert definitely had to be "You Better Sleigh." The piece performed by our Senior Band was a cool, swing song with a very catchy melody.



HOLIDAY CHEER

Let it Snow, Let it Snow

The Holiday season always brings excitement and cheer to the Carson Graham community. The last week of school leading up to the break, we had our Holiday dress-up week to get everyone in the festive spirit. We then ended our week with the tradition of Santa's Breakfast. Students and staff alike came together to celebrate the holidays over a warm breakfast and were serenaded by the festive tunes of Carson's band and choir. Afterwards, students from many local elementary schools were invited to join the festivities.



Interview: Aryana M.

Q: What was your favourite part of Santa's Breakfast?

A: My favourite part of Santa's Breakfast was performing Christmas songs with the concert band and seeing my friends at the breakfast.

Q: Did you enjoy the elementary school breakfast?

A: Yes, I enjoyed making and playing with slime with the kids and collaborating with my friends during the event.





No Regrets

Celebrating Quinn Keast

The Quinn Keast foundation, est. 2006, was created as a way of celebrating the life of Quinn Keast and other student athletes that embody the qualities that he stood for. He vowed to live life to its fullest, embracing every moment and making the best of everything. Our student athletes participate every year in the No Regrets basketball tournament, celebrating his legacy.





Interview: Liam N.

Q: What was a highlight of the tournament?

A: Having the big crowd to cheer you on when big plays happen and winning that first game.

Q: Is there a coach or athlete that you look up to or who inspires you?

A: My coach, Coach Ryan from grade 8 and 9. He is the best coach that I've had, he's an inspiration.

Q: This being your last season with Carson Graham, what are some highlights and low lights?

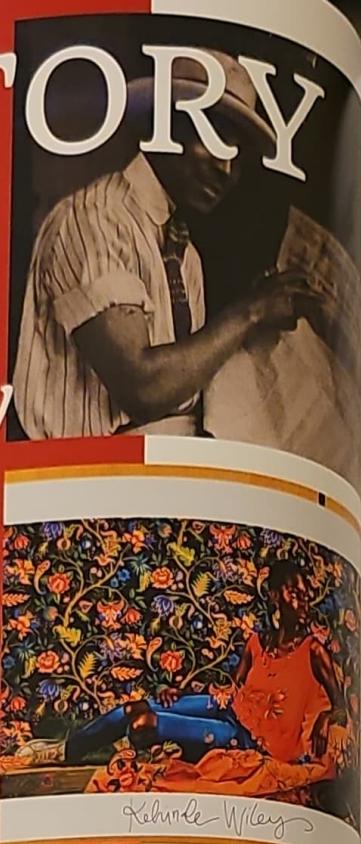
A: Some highlights are: after games when we're all in the locker room hyped up, the long drives to all the games, winning and stuff. Some low lights might be playing our last game and me fouling out.



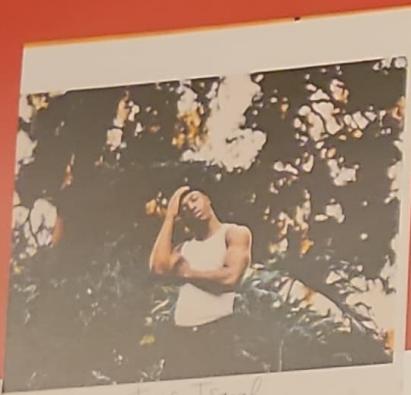
BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Celebrating Black History

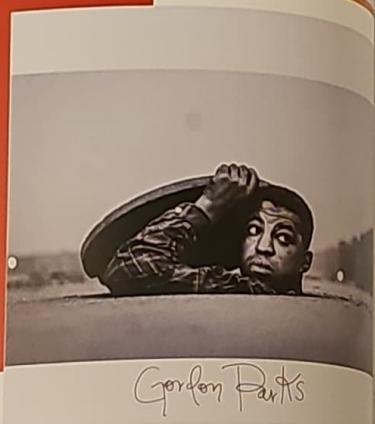
Black History Month, observed annually in February, serves as a focused time to educate and raise awareness about Black history, which is often underrepresented or misrepresented in mainstream historical narratives. It encourages the exploration and appreciation of the diverse heritage, traditions, and ongoing struggles for equality and justice faced by Black communities. Educational institutions, cultural organizations, and communities participate through curricula that highlight influential figures, pivotal moments, and significant contributions of Black individuals across various fields such as science, arts, politics, and civil rights.



Kebride Wiley



Texas Isaiah



Gordon Parks

The celebration of Black History Month also serves as a reminder of the ongoing fight against racism and inequality. It promotes dialogues on issues of racial justice, encourages solidarity, and fosters a better understanding of Black experiences. Through various activities like exhibitions, lectures, film screenings, and community service, the month aims to build bridges of understanding and appreciation among diverse communities.

Moreover, Black History Month is a time for reflection on the progress made towards racial equality and the challenges that remain. It underscores the importance of remembering past struggles and achievements as a way to inspire future generations to continue working towards a more inclusive and equitable society.

In essence, Black History Month is not just a celebration of Black heritage; it is a pivotal part of a broader effort to ensure Black history is recognized as an integral component of the history of humanity. It encourages all people to engage with and learn from the rich tapestry of experiences that have shaped the world.

Interview: Fatiha Z.

Q: What are some of the significant challenges that you believe the black community faces today?

A: Black communities are still facing a lot of stereotypes, discipline, and racism. A lot of people say that it has gotten better throughout the years, but I believe that racism has just changed its form. There aren't as many slaves in this generation, but many still face discrimination in the workplace, schools, and even out in public. That struggle truly impacts black communities as a whole.



Interview: Jewell R.

Q: What does Black History Month mean to you personally?

A: Black History Month is so important to have and is so powerful. Showing the contributions of Black individuals to our society lets us break negative stereotypes of the black community, overall helping with the unjustified hatred and xenophobia towards Black people.



Interview: Ms. Jacober and Mr. Mann

Q: In your opinion, how well does our current education system incorporate black history into the curriculum, and what improvements would you suggest?

A: **Ms. Jacober**, In my opinion, our current education system can do much better by including more about the participation in and contributions to history by African heritage people in the current curriculum. That's why I'm so passionate about celebrating Black History Month, writing the daily announcements and creating the "This Month in Black History" display cases located across from the Agora. They're meant to be a resource for teachers and students alike.

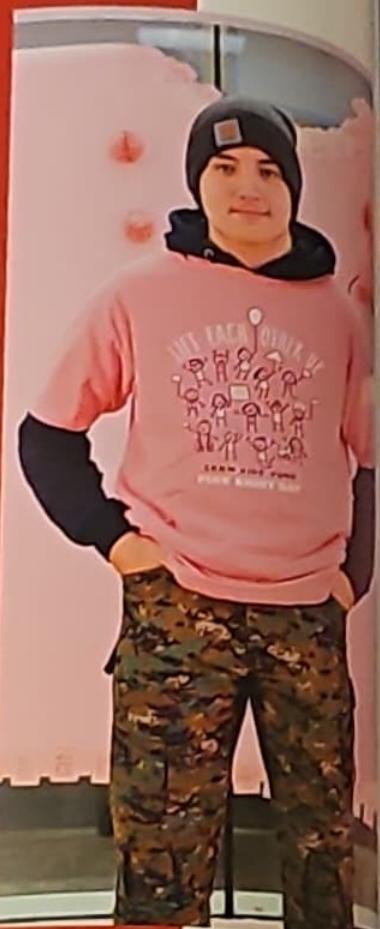
Mr. Mann, our education system needs to include a more diverse group of racialized people to participate in the redevelopment of the school curriculum, in order to correct historical bias and omissions. This will bring value to our world contributions, pre and post European contact. Our library and some teachers have already been doing a great job of this and in very creative ways. However, there still aren't a lot of readily available resources. So, educators have to familiarize themselves with what's already out there and connect with communities in order to create more! Positive change takes time and effort.



PINK SHIRT DAY

Spread Kindness

The origin of Pink Shirt Day can be traced back to 2007 in Nova Scotia, Canada, when two high school students, David Shepherd and Travis Price, decided to take a stand against the bullying of a new Grade 9 student who was teased for wearing a pink shirt on the first day of school. In a gesture of solidarity, Shepherd and Price bought and distributed 50 pink shirts for fellow students to wear. Their act of kindness sparked a movement that quickly gained traction, not only within their school but also across the world. Carson celebrated pink shirt day by wearing pink and taking photos with friends and teachers.





Interview: Kaylee H.

Q: What does Pink Shirt Day mean to you?

A: Pink Shirt Day means standing up against bullying and promoting inclusivity for everyone.

Q: How can we further promote Pink Shirt Day?

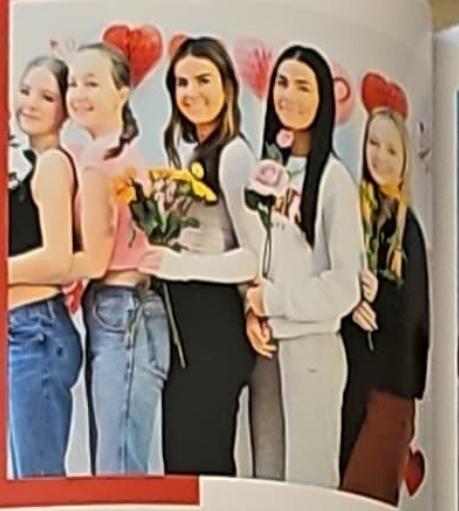
A: We can promote Pink Shirt Day by organizing events, sharing stories of kindness, and encouraging schools and workplaces to participate.



VALENTINE'S DAY

Love is in the Air

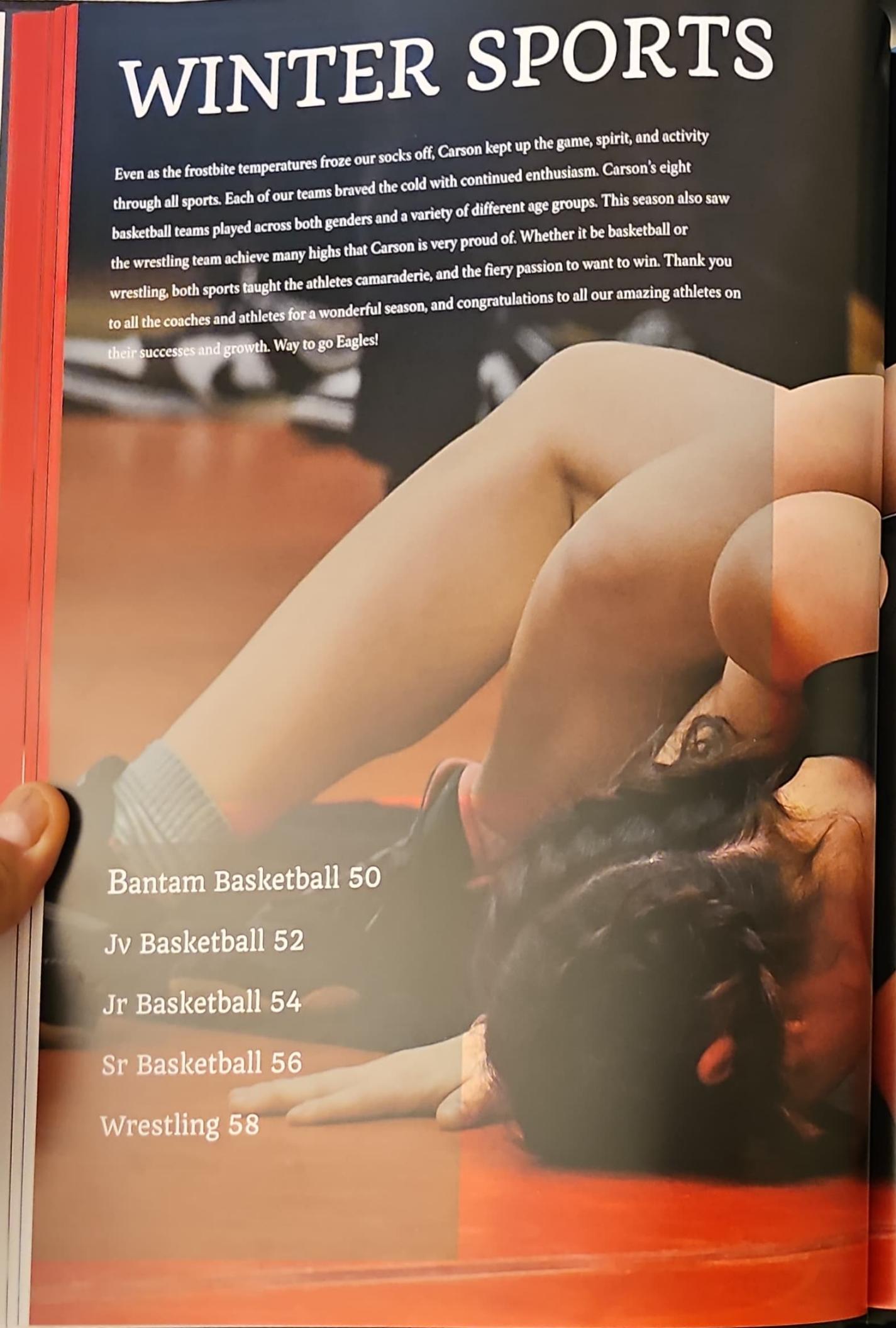
Beyond the festivities and decorations, Carson Community's Valentine's Day celebrations embodied the true essence of the holiday – spreading love, kindness, and compassion. It was a day not only to celebrate romantic love but also to cherish the bonds of friendship and community that make Carson such a special place to learn and grow.





WINTER SPORTS

Even as the frostbite temperatures froze our socks off, Carson kept up the game, spirit, and activity through all sports. Each of our teams braved the cold with continued enthusiasm. Carson's eight basketball teams played across both genders and a variety of different age groups. This season also saw the wrestling team achieve many highs that Carson is very proud of. Whether it be basketball or wrestling, both sports taught the athletes camaraderie, and the fiery passion to want to win. Thank you to all the coaches and athletes for a wonderful season, and congratulations to all our amazing athletes on their successes and growth. Way to go Eagles!



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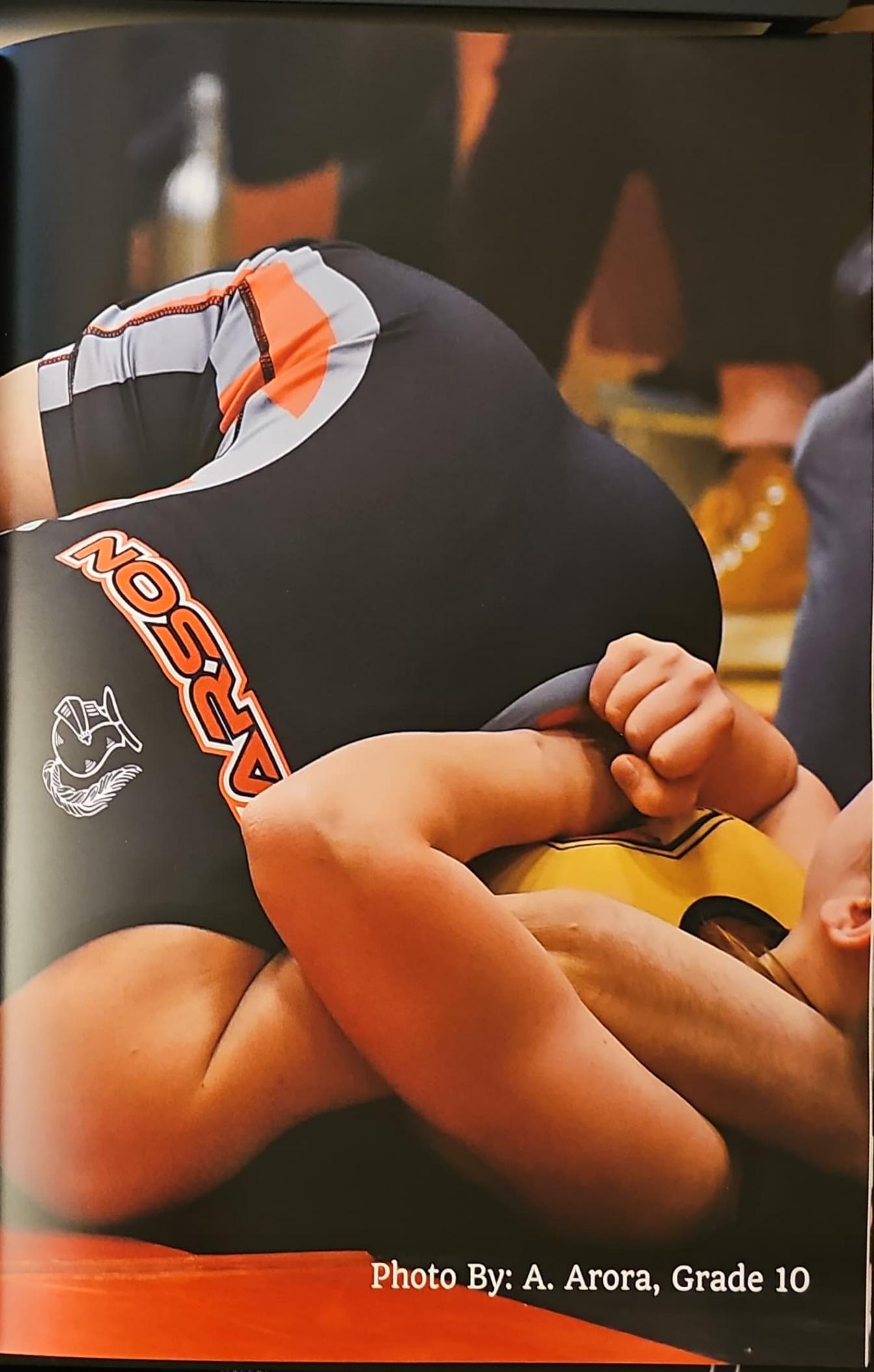
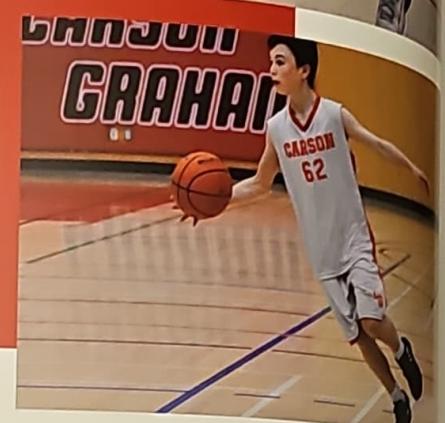


Photo By: A. Arora, Grade 10

BANTAM BOYS

The Hunt for Hoops

The first year of high school sports is exciting for every athlete - new teammates, new coaches, new rules, and new competition. All these new experiences can be difficult to adapt to and the boys faced their challenges throughout the season. Despite the obstacles they faced, they preserved and worked as a team to play a good season. All the boys developed their collaboration skills as well as their game technique. It was an important season for the players and they all learned vital lessons that they will be taking into their next seasons as Carson athletes.



BANTAM GIRLS

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At the beginning, this was many of the girls' first year playing basketball on a team. The girls worked very hard to overcome the struggles of being new to the sport and showed excellent sportsmanship and teamwork skills. The challenges meant that they did not perform as well as they may have wanted, but their individual and collective efforts were incredibly admirable, and the team did not let the struggles get to them and played great at every game. They look forward to many more basketball seasons to come, and they will keep improving as they gain experience. Keep it Up Girls!



JV BOYS BASKETBALL

Ballin'

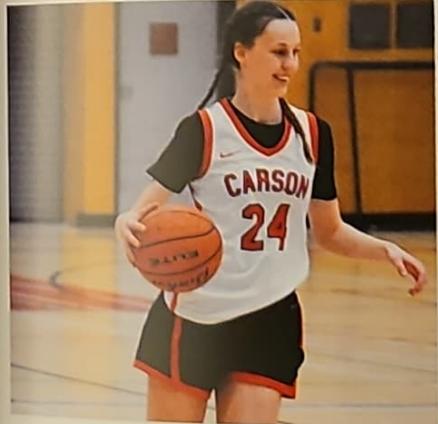
This year our juvenile boys' basketball team showcased talent, intensity, and teamwork, inspiring fans with every game. From buzzer-beating shots to defensive stands, their dedication on the court was unmatched. This season our juvenile boys made it all the way to play offs. Cheers to a season filled with unforgettable moments. Great job boys!



JV GIRLS BASKETBALL

Game On

Our juvenile girls' basketball team brought passion, skill, and teamwork to every game this year. They battled through games and dribbled through challenges. Cheers to a season filled with amazing memories and lasting friendships. Good job girls!



JR GIRLS BASKETBALL

Heart and Hustle

The junior girls team had ups and downs all season. They played in a two-day tournament that was the highlight of the season. Although the team might not have gotten what they wanted, they always pushed through and played hard in every game with positive attitudes and created long-lasting memories and friendships. Great job girls!



JR BOYS BASKETBALL

Hoopin' out

The Junior boys' basketball team had a tough season with hard-fought battles. The team got to grow their basketball skills. The Junior boys made sure to have fun. They had great wins against Eric Humber, Gladstone, and Sutherland. Shout-out to Matt Calinisan for being a great leader this season and for always being reliable in scoring three-pointers. The boys are looking forward to next season and learning how to take the game seriously. Keep up the great work!

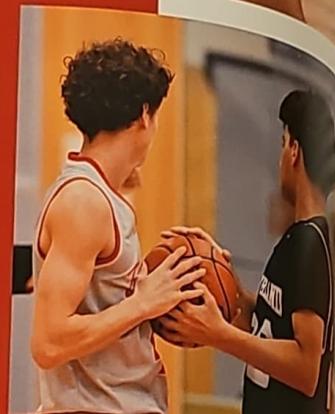


SENIOR BOYS BASKETBALL

Hoops and Dreams

The senior boys' basketball team had an exciting season full of tough competition and great memories. The team improved a great deal and competed hard against some of the top ranked 4A teams in BC. Grade 12's Kai Pettersen, Liam Nielson, and Kyle De Leon were outstanding leaders in their five years of playing for the Eagles. Congratulations to Kai for earning a North Shore first team all-star, while Danial Abkenar and Liam were second team all stars. Next year the senior boys should be very competitive again. Thanks to coaches Thornhill, Rideout, and Hoffman for working with the team and a special shout out to managers K.C. and Sierra, the real MVP's.

-Brad Thornhill



SENIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL

Here to Win

The Senior Girls' Basketball Team had such an awesome time this year! They played their hearts out and showed some serious teamwork on the court. From those close games to the big wins, they gave it their all. We're so proud of them! Let's remember all the fun times and cheers to a season filled with hustle, heart, and high-fives.



Wrestling

From Pins to Pride

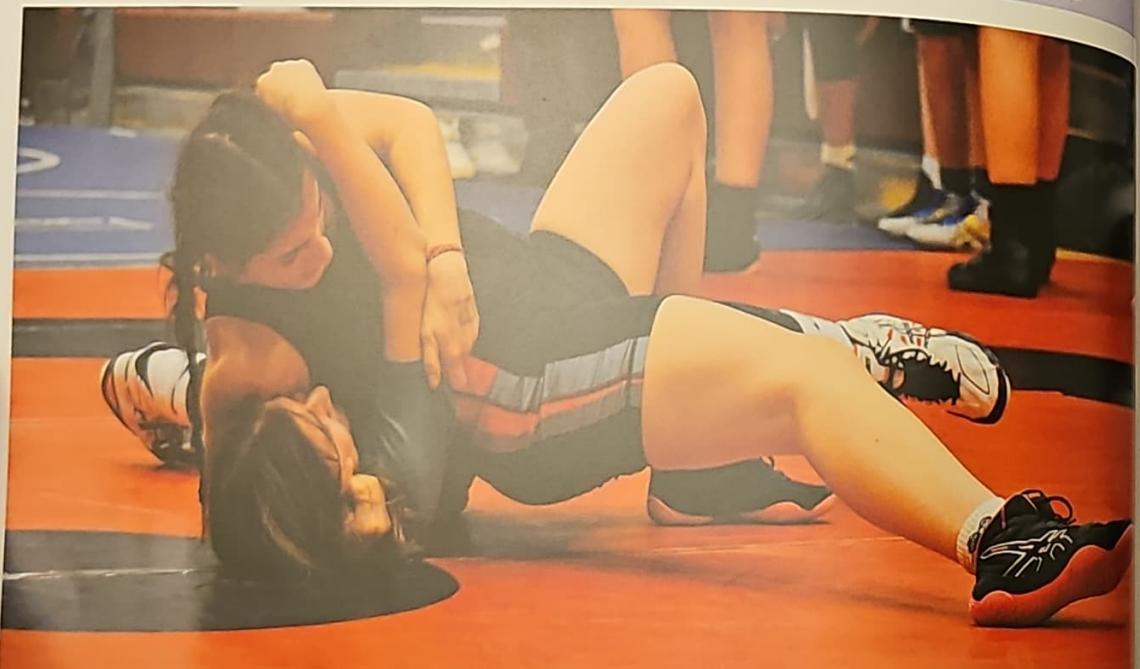
The Carson Graham High School wrestling team soared to new heights this season, exemplifying skill, determination, and sportsmanship. Our wrestlers achieved remarkable success, securing victories and accolades that underscore their commitment to excellence.

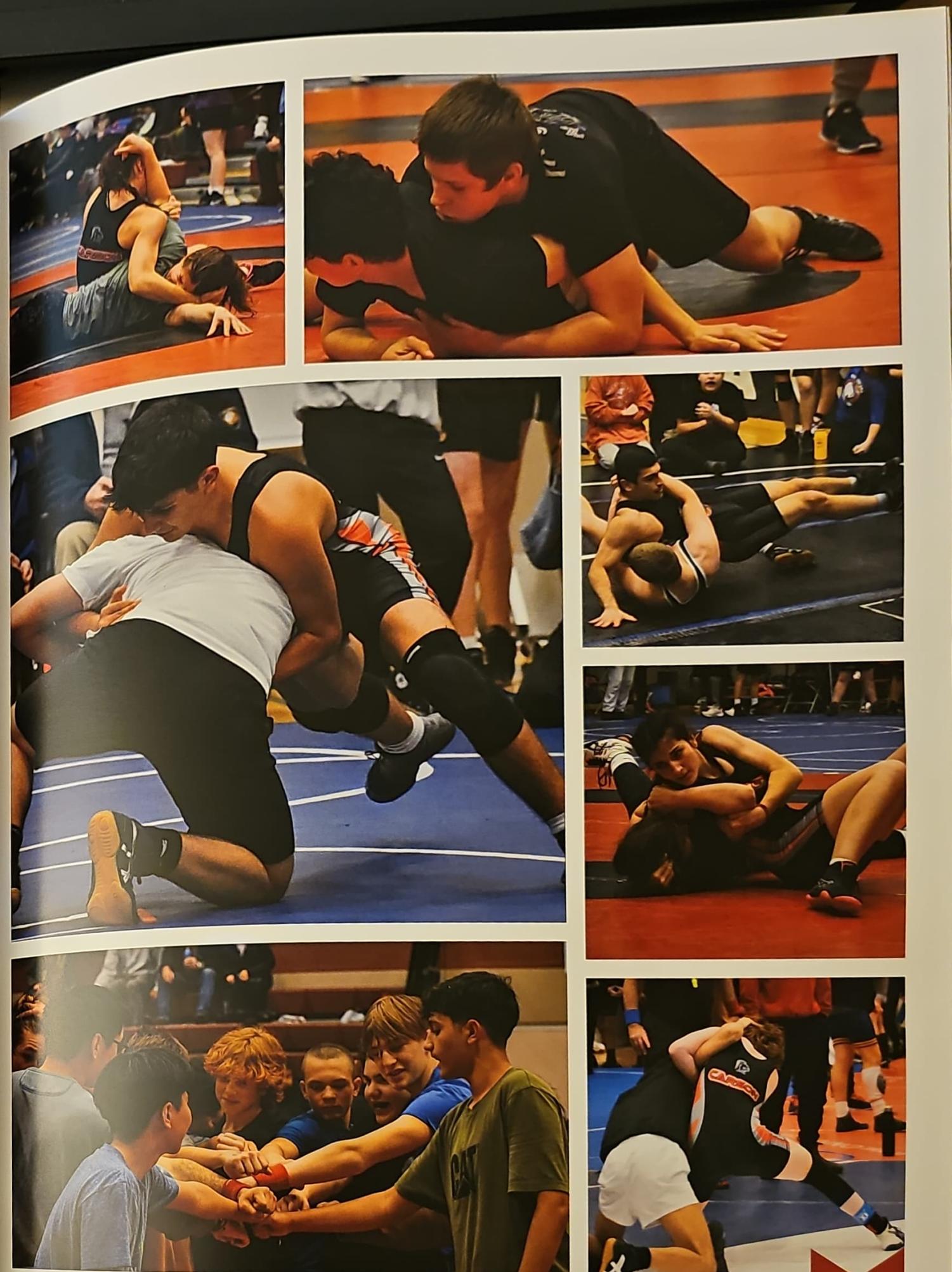
At the Wrestling Provincial Championships, the Eagles competed against all the schools across British Columbia. Arad Ahangi held his title for the 3rd year in a row as the champion of his weight class, while also securing the Most Outstanding Wrestler Award. Lizzy Nielson won fourth place while battling and winning against competitors in higher grades (She's only in grade 10 folks!).

Throughout the season, our team excelled at various tournaments, including the Port Alberni, North Shore Championships, and Duke's Cup Wrestling Tournament, where Aya Habbuchi, Anderson Plant, Liam Barber, Jack Brackenbury, Kourosh Hosseini and Ollie Du Toit emerged in the top 3 places. Taha Ghasemi was also named Most Outstanding Wrestler in one of these tournaments.

Congratulations to all our wrestlers for their outstanding achievements and for representing Carson Graham with pride and excellence. Go Eagles Go!

-Coach Darren Wong





SPRING LIFE

This year, exciting events occurred during the spring season. Spring break provided many students the perfect opportunity to recharge after the final IB Personal Project and the Diploma Program Art Gallery. All the exhibits were impressive, showcasing Carson's hard work and creativity. For others, travelling was the way to go. Global Initiatives went on a trip to the Dominican Republic, which was an incredible experience. Students were given the opportunity to learn about a new culture and lifestyle as well as making a positive impact on a global scale. Likewise, the Girls Rugby team got to go all the way to New Zealand! They had an amazing time playing against local teams from around the North Island. They made new connections and explored different cities. The science trip to Belize was extremely fascinating too. Students explored the rich biodiversity in a hands-on learning environment. Once back in school, students got to tryout or rejoin their favourites sports like Mountain Biking, Track, Golf, Soccer, Badminton and Rugby. The grade 12s are looking forward to the end of the year and graduating!



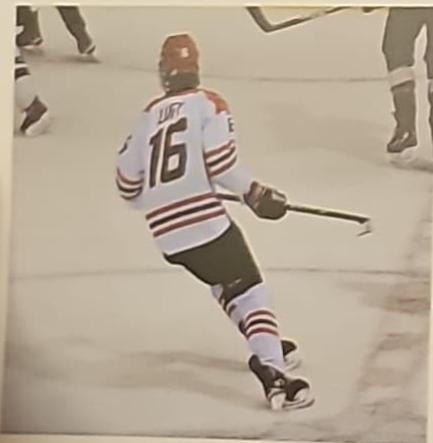


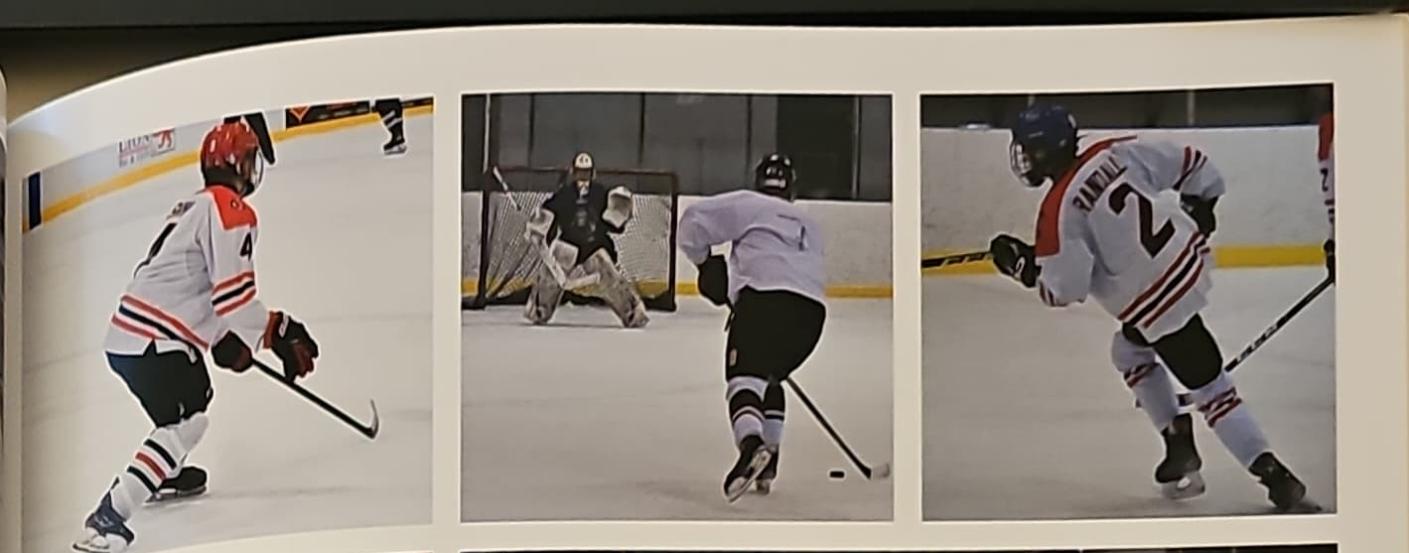
Photo: Y. Setayeshnia, Grade 11

STUDENT VS. TEACHERS

They Shoot, They Score

This year Carson Graham had a hockey for the second year in a row! A tradition for many sports teams at Carson Graham is to have a Student vs. Teachers game, where the student team faces off against the teachers who coach or used to play the sport in the past. This year there was an exciting Students vs. Teachers Hockey game at the Harry Jerome ice rink.





PERSONAL PROJECT

Pushing Through!

The Grade 10s have been working immensely hard throughout the year to prepare for the Celebration of IB. This project was the perfect way for the Grade 10s to wrap up their experience in the MYP program. All of the students put lots of effort into creating unique projects. From cookbooks to criminal psychology, the Grade 10s had it all. Nice work!

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How To Do Makeup Well

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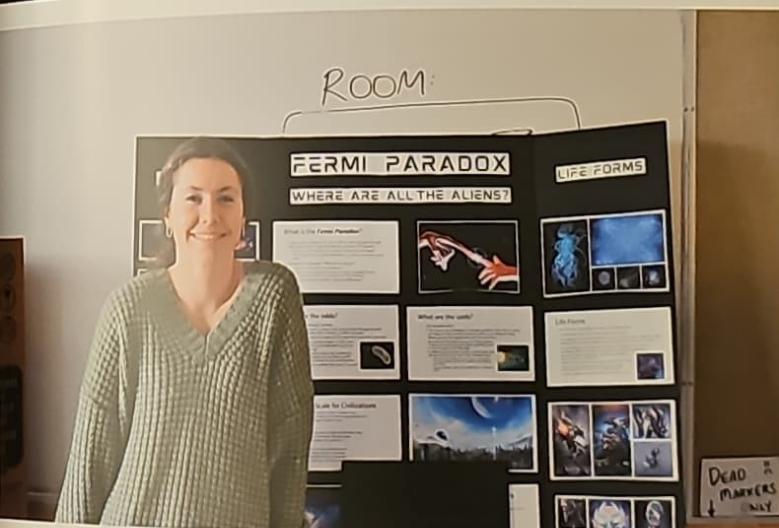
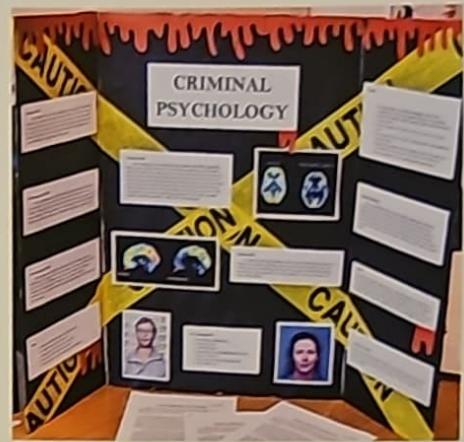
Interview: Cameron S.

Q: What did you chose for your project?

A: For my project I created a cookbook with all my family's recipes and traditions.

Q: What skills did you learn from completing the personal project?

A: I expanded my time management, research and communication skills while working through my project. I learned these skills when creating a timeline for completion, researching new information and communicating my learning through writing.

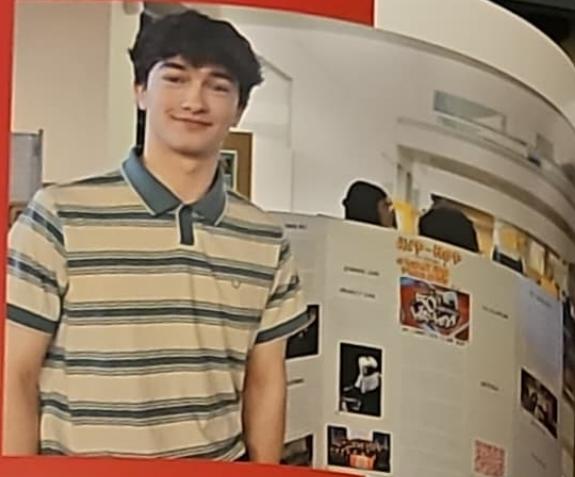
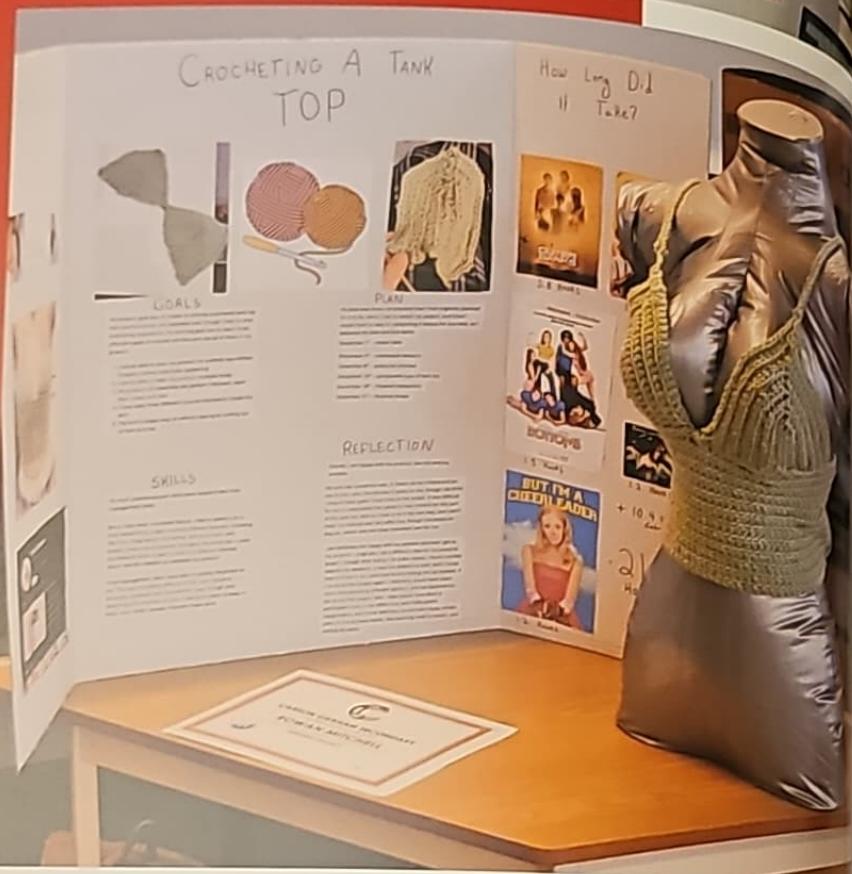


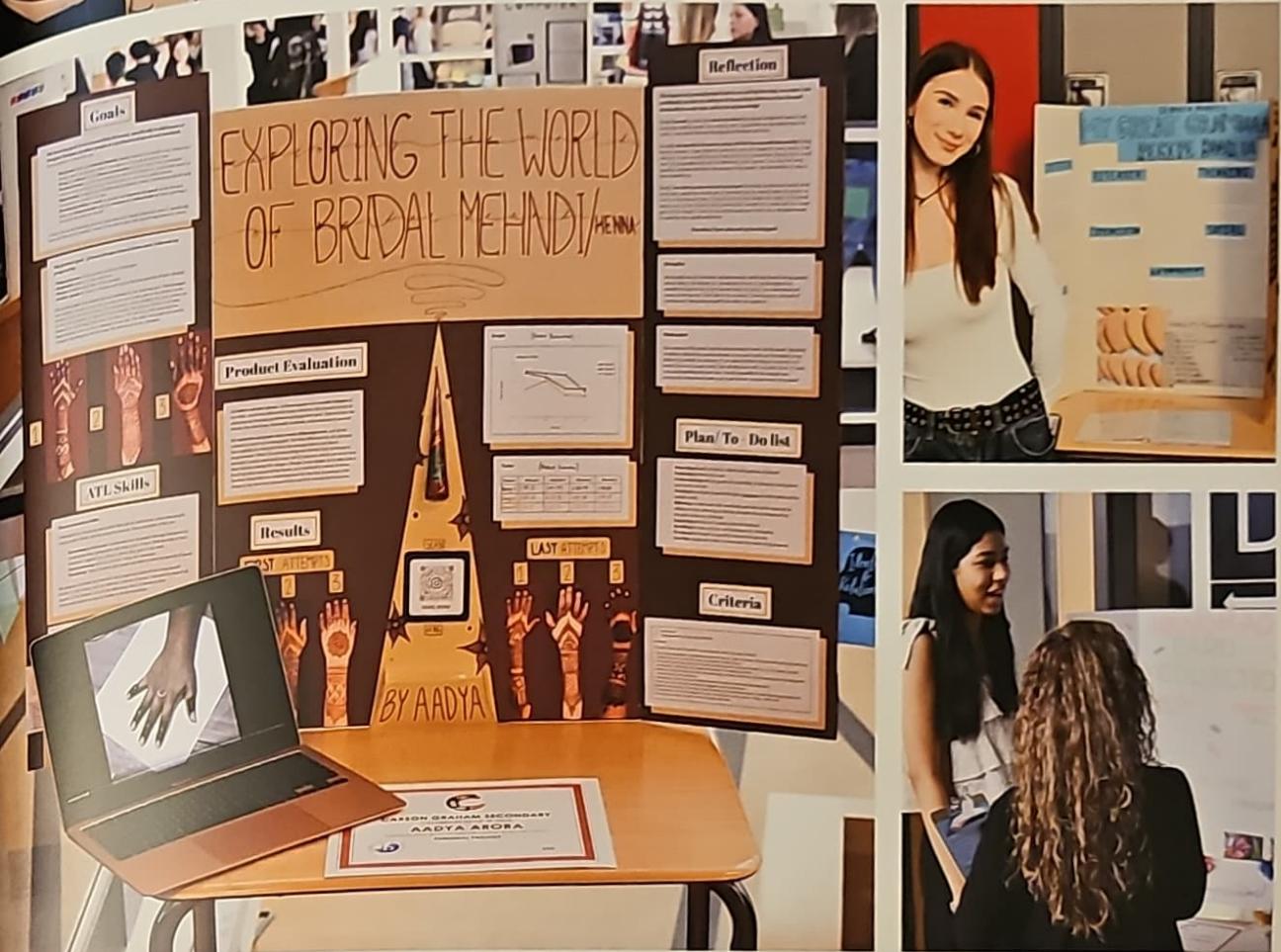
PERSONAL PROJECT

Working Hard!

Not only have these grade 10s learned something new about themselves, but now they can use their skills or passions to make the world a better place. If that means using recycled materials to make a chair or create healthier formulas for make up, these students have the potential to soar.

Congratulations grade 10s, you have made Carson proud!





Interview: Aadya A.

Q: What was your goal for your project?

A: My goal was to improve my efficiency while doing bridal henna for others.

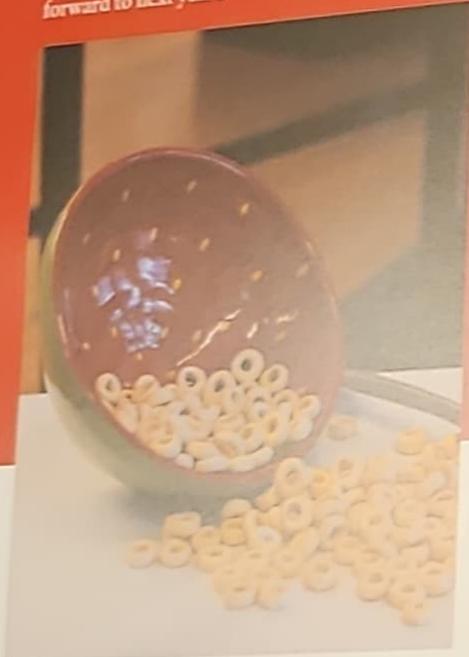
Q: What was the most challenging part of your project?

A: The most challenging part of this project was practising henna on people consistently, due to time restraints. It dampened my chances to get better as an unbalanced schedule makes it hard to get the best outcome.

DP ART EXHIBITION

Celebrating our Grade 12 Artists

The DP Art Exhibition, on display in the Agora during the Celebration of IB, was a great success! We are so proud of our grade 12 artists and their wonderful work putting together their exhibitions for the whole school to view. They have worked incredibly hard over the last two years, and have showed great dedication to the program. Congratulations to our amazing artists! We look forward to next year's exhibition!



Interview: Isla S.

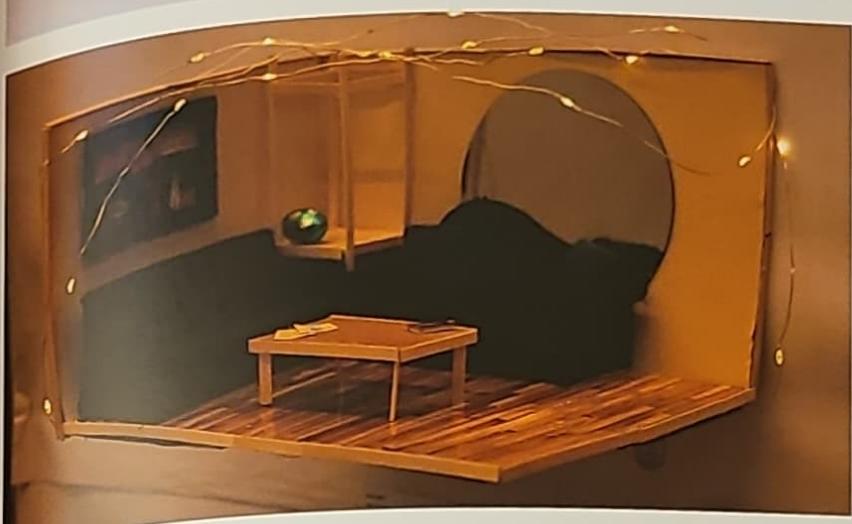
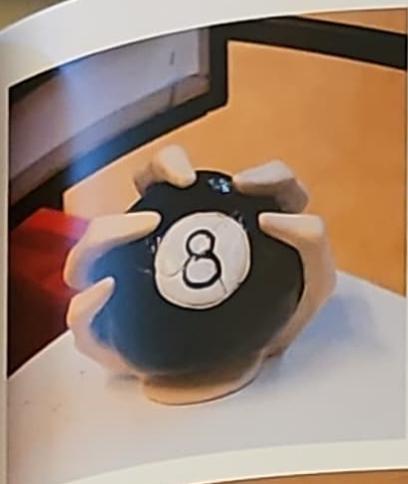
Q: How did the last two years change you as an artist?

A: My artistic abilities have grown so much thanks to the creative freedom of the DP art program. I really got to learn and grow as a person and as an artist.

Q: Any advice for future DP art students?

A: Have fun! Make use of the studio time and resources provided by the school, and try everything in your first year.





DP ART EXHIBITION



Interview: Mrs. Parker

Q: What was your highlight of this years exhibition?

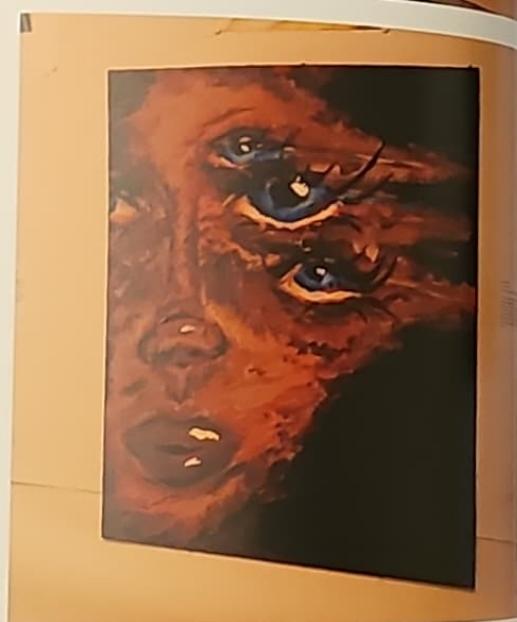
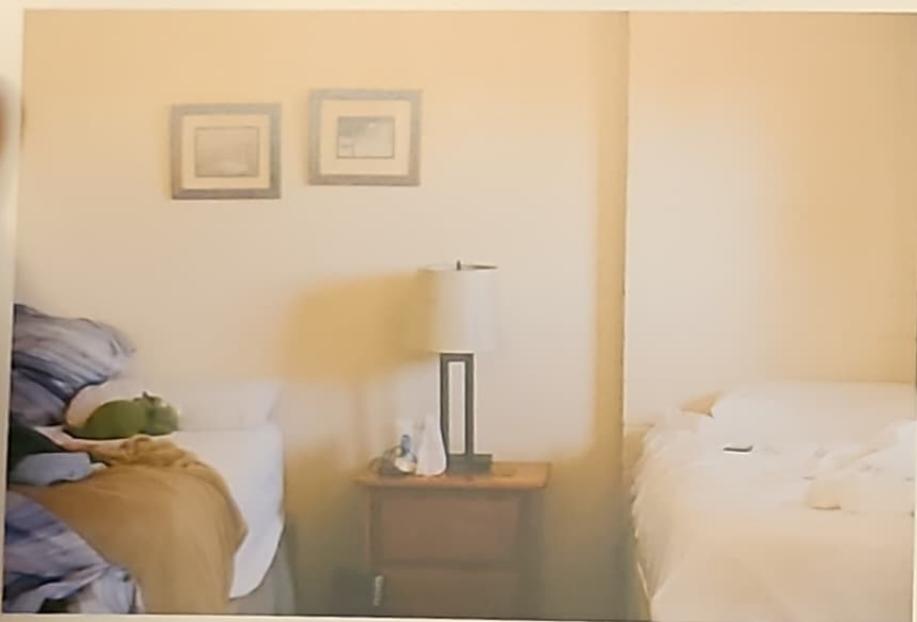
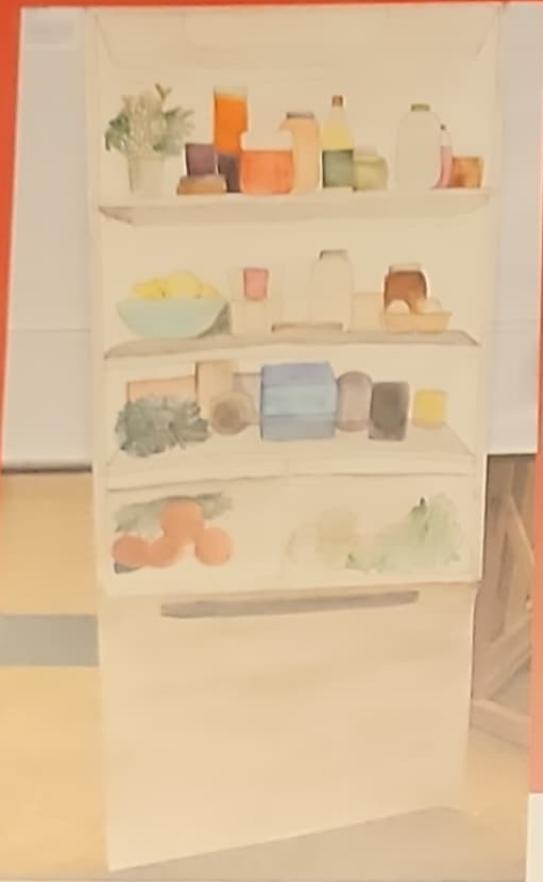
A: The diversity of work and how each student brought their own selves into their work.

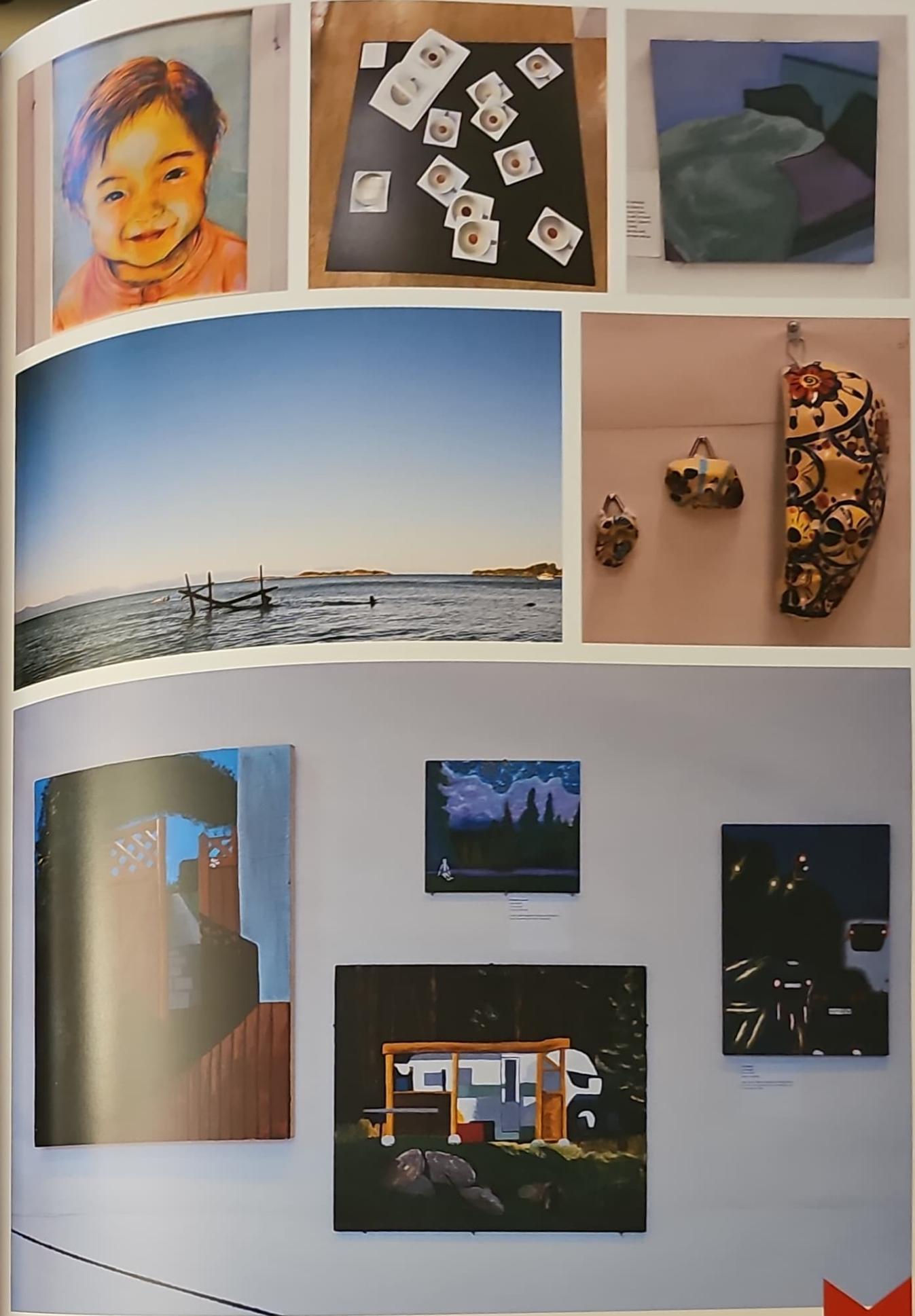
Q: Is there anything you would like to say to the artists?

A: I'm very proud of them. They are very talented and inspired the whole school with their work.



DP ART EXHIBITION





SCHOOL TRIPS

Making Connections

Carson students are given opportunities to build strong connections with their peers, going on all different types of amazing school trips. In March, a group of students volunteered to travel to the Dominican Republic to help build a new home for a family in need. During spring break, the girls' rugby team brought their competition all the way to New Zealand and competed against local teams. Finally, a group of students took their science lessons to Belize for their spring break. These trips will forever represent fun and loving memories with new bonds created for each student that travelled.

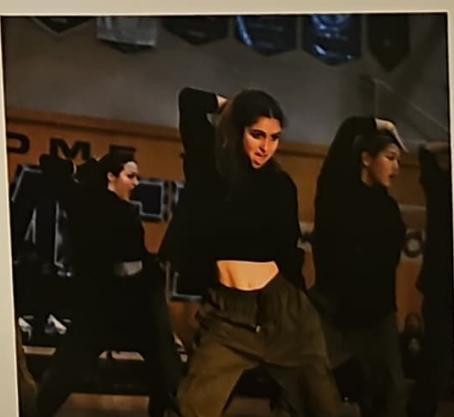




DANCE COMPETITION

The Ultimate Dance Battle!

Senior Dance Crew attended two competitions during winter and spring. After putting in the extra hours and leaving it all on the dance floor, Carson Graham placed 6th in the competition. The competing experience was full of fun, music, cheering and growing as a community. The team overflowed with Carson spirit and our dancers danced their hearts out. The performances they put out were original, creative, and most importantly, showcased everyone's ideas since all the dancers collaborated and contributed to the dance.



SPRING SPORTS

As spring rolls in and weather slowly begins to warm up, new sports start. The vibrant colours and blooming flowers are the perfect atmosphere for this athletic season. Whether you're into team sports or individual events, there's something for everyone. You can join mixed grade teams and compete against other schools in North Vancouver or you can participate in individual events and challenge yourself. Everyone is staying active from swinging badminton racquets, golf clubs and hockey sticks to racing down bike trails and tackling opponents in rugby.

We ended strong in our last school sports season. Can't wait to see everyone in the fall, ready to beat the record!

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Girls Rugby 80

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Golf 83

Track and Field 84

Bantam Football 84

Badminton 85



Photo: S. Kelayeh, Grade 11

SENIOR GIRLS SOCCER Goal!

The senior girls' soccer team had a great year, thanks to determination, perseverance, and stellar teamwork both on and off the field. Highlights of the season included an early season win against Handsworth and a road trip to Squamish to face off against Howe Sound. We're excited to see the legacy of Carson Graham senior girls soccer continue next year, and for many years to come.

