

## **NEW THIS WEEK @ McMATH SECONDARY SCHOOL**

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This weekly document only contains current information. For additional information, visit the Richmond School Career Centre website at <http://sd38careercentre.weebly.com/>

### **INTERESTING PROGRAMS**

#### **Sat, Nov 24/18 'Try the FORCE TEST' Canadian Forces Event**

The Canadian Forces Recruiting Centre Pacific will be holding an event where the public will be able to try out the 4 components of the physical fitness test. Those who have a competitive nature can see how they stack up against current active CAF members. \*Note: those under the age of 18 will require parental/guardian consent to do the test.

Location: British Columbia Regiment Armouries located at 620 Beatty St, Vancouver, BC (across the street from the Stadium-Chinatown Sky Train station).

Time: Saturday November 24, 2018 from 11 am - 2 pm

Although not necessary, it would help in planning if those interested would register at the following link:

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/try-the-canadian-armed-forces-physical-fitness-test-tickets-52022210833>

#### **Sat, Dec 1/18 – National Portfolio Day**

Students who wish to pursue an education in the visual and related arts! Come and meet representatives from 15 colleges accredited by the National Association of Schools of Art and Design. This year, it will be held at the Wilson School of Design at Kwantlen Polytechnic University, 5600 Kwantlen Street, Richmond, BC, on Dec 1, from 11 am to 3 pm. For more information or to register to attend, see: [www.kpu.ca/2108NationalPortfolioDay](http://www.kpu.ca/2108NationalPortfolioDay)

#### **Fri, Dec 21/18 - French for the Future National Essay Contest Deadline**

Are you in Grade 10, 11 or 12 and registered in a French program? Do you need a little boost to continue your education in French after high school?

Take part in the National Essay Contest from October 2 to December 21, 2018 for the chance to win a scholarship ranging between \$1,000 and \$12,000 in one of the listed select post-secondary institutions. For details and to submit essay online visit: <https://www.french-future.org/programs/essay-contest/>

#### **Fri, Mar 22/19 - WorksafeBC 14th Annual Student Safety Video Contest Submission Deadline**

With the intention of raising awareness about workplace rights, Grades 8-12 students are invited to join the 2019 Worksafe BC Student Video Contest. Create a video that explores the theme, "You're the Employer: How do you keep your young workers safe?" Submit the video on or before March 22, 2019, Friday.

Winning student gets \$1,000.00. Winning school receives \$1,500.00. The student team which creates the best film will be awarded the Actsafe Aspiring Filmmaker Award.

For details, send an email to [yworker@worksafebc.com](mailto:yworker@worksafebc.com)

#### **Fri, May 3/19 - University of Waterloo's Youth Special Action Retreat Registration Deadline**

University of Waterloo welcomes nominated Gr 11 students to the 2019 Youth Social Action Retreat at Renison University College on May 11 and 12! You will interact with other high school students, students from the University of Waterloo, and others who are passionate about making the world a better place. This gives you the chance to learn and develop real, usable skills to make an impact in your community. The Youth Social Action Retreat is free for students to attend. Deadline for registration is on May 3, 2019 at <https://uwaterloo.ca/renison/retreat>

## **Dec/18 - McGill University Summer Academy 2019**

Designed for high school students currently in grades 10 or 11, Summer Academy unfolds over two weeks of classes, workshops, activities, and trips, and is supervised 24/7 by McGill staff and students. This experience will introduce you to university life and is sure to make your summer memorable!

Sign up to join McGill mailing list and receive updates on its 2019 program! Registration begins in December 2018. The dates and fees for McGill Summer Academy 2019 have not been released yet. As a reference, please see below for 2018's dates and fees:

<https://www.mcgill.ca/summeracademy/general-information/dates-fees> For further details, check <https://www.mcgill.ca/summeracademy/> or send an email at [summer.academy@mcgill.ca](mailto:summer.academy@mcgill.ca)

## **POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION DEADLINES**

### **Fri, Feb 1/19 - McGill University Schulich School of Music Application Deadline**

Devoted to training world quality performers and scholars who are future-ready, McGill University is inviting students to submit a video recorded audition on or before February 1, 2019. Upload your video in. <https://forms.music.mcgill.ca/audition/>

### **Wed, Jan 16/19 - University of Toronto Rotman Commerce Application Deadline**

Applicants are encouraged to submit their application and required documents as early as possible (November 1, 2018). Check <http://www.future.utoronto.ca/a.../important-application-dates>

Document deadline (including Supplemental Application) – February 1, 2019

Complete an Awards Profiles to be considered for awards that consider non-academic factors at <https://rotmancommerce.utoronto.ca/f.../financial-information/>

## **FINANCIAL AID**

### **Mon, Dec 17/18 BC Excellence Scholarships - In-School deadline**

There are 55 BC Excellence Scholarships available to recognize well-rounded B.C. graduates. Winners will have demonstrated service and leadership, both at school and in their communities, and shown aptitude and commitment to their chosen career paths. A \$5000 scholarship voucher will be awarded to use for post-secondary tuition. School nomination is required, one nomination per school. See your School Scholarship Representative as soon as possible, for nomination details. \*The application package must be emailed by the student to the Ministry of Education in Victoria by February 15, 2019. For scholarship details visit: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/scholarships/provincial-scholarships/bc-excellence-scholarships> (application will be online shortly)

### **Wed, Jan 16/19 - STEAM Horizon Awards Deadline**

The STEAM Horizon Awards recipients will have inspiring achievements in the fields of science, technology, engineering, arts, and math. These achievements could be formally recognized – a science fair win, a published app, a patented invention, etc. or they could be less formally recognized – the founding of a local coding club, developing a course for kids, or creating a local interactive art installation. Regardless of the accomplishment, it must reflect passion and illustrate a positive impact on the community. Award \$25,000 towards post-secondary education. For complete details and to apply: <https://steamhorizonawards.ca/>

### **Fri, Jan 25/19 - University of Guelph's Entrance Scholarship Application Deadline**

Students with an outstanding academic record, who have made significant contributions to their schools and their communities, who have demonstrated innovative and unique approaches to implementing change and/or bringing about improvements to life, and who demonstrate the greatest potential to be future leaders are invited to apply to University of Guelph's twelve (12) most prestigious undergraduate awards.

Student Application Deadline: January 25, 2018 4:00 pm (EST)

Reference Letters Deadline: February 1, 2018 4:00 pm (EST)

For details, check <https://www.uoguelph.ca/registrar/studentfinance/scholarships/national>

#### **Fri, Feb 1/19 - Cmolik Foundation Scholarship In-School Application Deadline**

Nomination is required. For consideration, see your School Scholarship Representative as soon as possible for details. Applicants should demonstrate financial need, have face adversity, plan to be a full-time student,

be ineligible for the BC Tuition Waiver Program (for former youth in care), and be endorsed by their school principal. One nomination per school. Deadline for schools to submit is Feb 15, 2019.

Visit: <https://www.thecmolikfoundation.com/scholarships/>

#### **Fri, Mar 1/19 – Carleton University Prestige Scholarship Application Deadline**

High School Graduates entering Carleton for the first time are invited to apply for the Prestige Scholarships. Deadline of application will be on March 1, 2019. For details, please check <https://carleton.ca/awards/scholarships/entrance-scholarships-for-new-students/prestige/>

#### **Tue, Apr 16/19 - University of Guelph Entrance Bursaries Extended Application Deadline**

To apply for the Undergraduate Entrance Bursary, complete the Financial Need Assessment Form after applying to the University of Guelph or the University of Guelph-Humber for the Fall entry before April 16, 2019. An offer of admission is not required to complete this application. For details, check [https://www.uoguelph.ca/registrar/studentfinance/bursaries/entrance\\_ug](https://www.uoguelph.ca/registrar/studentfinance/bursaries/entrance_ug)