

MacNeill Nov. 2017 Career Centre Newsletter –

Grade 10-12 students and their parents please visit the Career Centre District Website for post-secondary updates, events, volunteer opportunities and scholarship information: <http://sd38careercentre.weebly.com/calendar.html> and Ms. Mayer Career Centre facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Ms-Mayer-Career-Centre/333673583360594>

Students are encouraged to visit the Career Centre Bulletin Boards to see what the latest with scholarships, post-secondary events and interesting opportunities and volunteering.

Deadlines:

Dec. 1/17 – UBC Early admission deadline and Centennial Scholars
Deadline

Jan 15/18 - UBC final application
deadline

Jan 15/18 - Emily Carr applications + documents deadline

Grade 12 Information:

NEW:

1)*Grade 12 students should check now, that they have the **NEW BCeID BC Government Account set up in order to fill in the Student Transcript Service Permission Form**, (STS) to give permission to the Ministry of Education to release your marks to the post-secondary institutions you are applying to! You need your PEN and your legal name. Go to: <http://www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca> to initiate your new account. From the Student's STS Dashboard, make post-secondary institution selections, view transcript, view assessment results, and send transcripts immediately, or in the future.

2)*Application to BC public universities and colleges has also been updated, so students can now apply to all institutions via: <http://www.educationplannerBC.ca> On this site students can search, plan and apply.

-Finalize your BC university applications.

-Complete **application packages to out-of-province universities.**

Many **university scholarship deadlines** are fast approaching.

-A reminder for grade twelve students to be sure to visit post-secondary email accounts and websites for application details, updates and deadlines.

See Ms. Mayer in the Career Centre if you have any questions.

Upcoming Events:

NOV 1/17 - KPU Applications Open – Many programs are first come first served for course registration.

NOV 6/17 – MacNEILL POST-SECONDARY DAY MINI FAIR– 8:40 – 10:00

Grade 11 and 12 students will be called down from their classes these days to attend a Post-secondary Mini Fair in the Lounge of our schools to interact with 14 BC post-secondary schools, to pick up information, and to have questions answered. Don't miss this valuable opportunity, to help plan for life after high school.

NOV 15/17 - BCIT BIG INFO NIGHT! OPEN HOUSE 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm Learn about BCIT's 300 + programs - from Engineering to Computer Studies to Trades to Nursing and more.

<https://commons.bcit.ca/biginfo/>

Nov 17/17 – (Sat 10-4pm) UBC Applied Science Open House

Students and families are invited to meet with professors, staff, and students who can help you decide whether UBC Applied Science (Engineering) is right for you. There'll be demonstrations, lab tours, and informative presentations. Talk to advisors, professors and current students about all your options. Details and to register: <https://apsc.ubc.ca/openhouse>

NOV 18/17- McGill Prospective Student ~ Vancouver Information Session 2017

2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. York House School, 4176 Alexandra St., Vancouver

To register: <https://mcgillmind.mcgill.ca/mcgill/events/eventRegistration.do?eventRegistrationAction=viewdescription&eventID=519&containerID=1>

NOV 21/17 – SFU Presentaion in MacNeill Library during Lunch.

NOV 22/17 – University of Alberta Presentation in the Library during Nutrition Break.

NOV 22/17 – McGill University Presentation in the Library after school at 2:00.

NOV 24/17 Discovery Day - KPU Richmond

Spend your Pro-D Day (from 10am until 2pm) at Kwantlen Richmond, engaging in interactive activities designed to help you find the educational path that's right for you. Attend a mock class, take a campus tour, and speak with current students, faculty, and advisors for inside tips. <http://www.kpu.ca/discovery-day-2017>

NOV 25/17 - BOSA CENTRE FOR FILM & ANIMATION OPEN HOUSE AT CAPILANO UNIVERSITY, 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the Bosa Centre for Film & Animation, Capilano University

For more information...email: film@capilanou.ca phone: 604.990.7868 <http://www.capilanou.ca/smpa/>

DEC 2/17 - National Portfolio Day hosted at Emily Carr University. 11am – 3 pm.

For students who wish to pursue an education in the visual and related arts can meet with representatives from Canadian colleges accredited by the National Association of Schools of Art and Design. Representatives will be available to review artwork, discuss programs. For details see:

<http://www.portfolioday.net/portfolio-day-faqs/2-portfolio-day-faqs>

<http://www.ecuad.ca/calendar/national-portfolio-day-vancouver-bc-saturday-december-2nd-2017>

Grade 10 – 12 Information:

Nov 9/17 – application deadline for - NOV 16/17 or FEB 21/18 Youth Train in Trades Workshops (Plumbing or Professional Cook)

The Career Programs Office is offering the 'Education on Action' series in 2017/18. Experience a morning in the SD38 'Youth Train in Trades' Professional Cook Program or the Plumbing Program. Acquire practical hands-on skills. These workshops are open to Grade 8 - 12 students. Limited seats ...available. To register for one of the workshops, contact Ms. Mah at: sumah@sd38.bc.ca or 604-668-6000 ext 3766.

<http://careerprograms.sd38.bc.ca/.../education-action-ace-it-...>

<http://careerprograms.sd38.bc.ca/about-us/forms-flyers>

Interested in exploring Careers? The Richmond School District offers students free access to the internet-based career exploration & education planning **Career Cruising** website. Students can use the career matching assessment tools for career option ideas. Career Cruising will help you build self-awareness, explore career options, create a plan and make it real. You need to set up an account. See Ms. Mayer in the Career Centre with questions and for the school password. <https://public.careercruising.com/en/>