

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wednesday June 12th, 2019

Day 3: BA DC*PL

NEW NEWS – 1ST time run and also important current events.

- * **Summer Job Opportunity:** Tsolum River Restoration Society is hiring a summer student for 8 weeks from July 8 to August 30th for 30 hours/week. Some weekend work required. Please see the Career Centre for more details.
- * **National Indigenous Peoples Day Celebration** - Friday June 21st, come join us for food and drinks. We will also be Honoring our Indigenous Grads today!
- * **Lunch League Improv:** This week don't miss the Lunch League Improv Finals. Iron Maidenz and The Chai Guy battle for 3rd and 4th place on Thursday. Friday - The Overpriced Poltergeists take on Snack Pack for the trophy! MPR at noon!
- * **Grade 11 Students** – there will be a Grad 2020 meeting in the MPR tomorrow, Wednesday June 12th, from 2:05 to 2:20 pm.

MEETINGS AND PRACTICES

Group / Activity / Event	Time	Where
Choir Rehearsal	Lunch	Music Rm.
Weight & Power Lifting Club	3:30-4:30 pm	Weight Rm.
Vanier 4-H Club	3:30-5:00 pm	Rm. 127
Jazz Rehearsal	7:30-8:45 am (Thurs)	Music Rm

GRADS

- * **Horatio Alger National Vocational & Technical Scholarship program:** Grade 12 students who are interested in enrolling in Vocational and Technical Education programs for fall 2019 can apply for 1 of 25 \$3,000.00 scholarships. Scholarship criteria includes high school completion by spring 2019, be enrolled in a 3 year or less career or technical degree/certificate program in fall 2019. For more information and to download an application form, please visit <https://horatioalger.ca/en/scholarships/about-our-scholarships-programs/vocational-technical-scholarships/>.
- * **ScholarTree.ca** has made a concerted effort to add as many scholarships to the platform as possible. In the last month, they have added 41 scholarships that total of 122 awards with a value of \$1,095,000. Most of these awards deadline of these awards are in May and June, so there is still time for students who have put off applying to scholarships throughout the school year.
- * **First Credit Union Scholarship:** Up to 6 x \$1,500.00 scholarships are available to students attending post-secondary school beginning in September 2019. The submission deadline is June 28th, 2019. Apply online at <https://scholartree.ca/scholarship/first-credit-union-scholarship/y-ZDC5-Cf>.

VANIER CAREER CENTRE

- * **Summer work:** Any students interested in working at a golf course for the summer, please see the careers office for more information.
- * **Seafood EXPO Festival Volunteers:** Excel Career College is involved with the seafood EXPO festival again this year and are looking for volunteers to assist in these areas.
June 12th and 13th – Florence Filberg Centre, Courtenay – times vary:
 1. Registration/Customer Service – helping check people into the EXPO and assisting with directions for tradeshow tables and/or workshops.
 2. Workshop host/hostesses – door person for workshops as well as ensuring each session has water etc.
 3. Vendor support – making sure they have water and info.**June 15th and 16th – Filberg Park, Comox – Times vary:**

1. Registration/Customer Service – helping check people into the event and assisting with directions for demonstrations and food.
2. Children’s area support – assisting with interactive booths for children.
3. Chef demonstration helper – helping guest chefs prepare for demonstrations.
4. Gate staff – manning entry and exit gates.

Volunteers not only can receive hour credits for work experience, but also receive a t-shirt, event tickets and will have networking opportunities with potential ongoing employers. If any student wishes to do some of these as work experience hours, they will volunteer with Excel Career College (who can complete their attendance forms).

- * **CYMC** is once again hiring students for kitchen help during the summer, please see the Career Centre for Job Details and application process.
- * **Volunteer Opportunity:** any students interested in volunteering at the Views at St. Joseph’s for the summer or are returning for volunteering, please see the careers office for the forms.
- * **Any past Courtenay Elementary Students** who would like to volunteer at their fun fair on June 14, 2019 from 4-6 pm please come sign up in the career office.
- * **Could the following students please come to the Career Centre Re: Work Experience:** Asia Myers, Jarvis McKay, Mitchell Ehinger and Phoenix Hart.
- * **Summer volunteer opportunities** available at the Lewis Centre for the summer. Contact the Vanier Careers Centre or the Lewis Centre directly.
- * **Teddies and Toddlers are looking for volunteers** to help out at their 25th Anniversary Celebrations on June 15th. Any students who would like to volunteer can sign up in the Careers Office.

OTHER (STILL) CURRENT NEWS RE-RUNS.

- * **The Year-end Potluck/BBQ** for indigenous students and a friend is this Friday, June 14th at lunch in room 133 and in the courtyard!
- * **Vanier socks** will be for sale all this week during lunchtime in the school store. \$15 a pair for knee high or crew cut.
- * **BC Bike Race** is fast approaching and they are looking for volunteers! Play host at one of the world’s biggest and most influential mountain bike stage races. In its 13th year, BC Bike Race will be hosting 625 participants from 36 different countries. BC Bike Race will be in Cumberland on July 6th, 7th & 8th. The organization loves having youth help out at base camp in the towns they visit. In exchange, you may receive a letter to support the hours you volunteer. Anyone interested can sign up at <https://www.bcbikerace.com/community/volunteers/>.