

BAYVIEW SECONDARY SCHOOL

E-bulletin for the weeks of May 13th, 2019

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Administration

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Zumba was a great success at Bayview yesterday. We had a great time. Thank you, Happy Fitness!

Guidance Message

For All Students

Volunteer Opportunity

Bayview Hill ES School Council needs volunteers for end of the year Carnival on Thursday, June 6th, from 4:30pm to 8:30pm. Volunteers will receive 4 hours of Community Service credit. If you can help, please send an email to: bayview.hill.es@sc.yrdsb.ca.

The Scholarship Report is hosting a **Parent Postsecondary Info Session** offered by is hosting with on May 29 in Toronto at 7 PM. Details here: <https://bit.ly/307RFi6>. The workshop is also highlighted on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

Grade 12 Graduating Students Only

Scholarships

The **Markham African Caribbean Canadian Association (MACCA)** will be awarding Scholarships of \$1,000 to each selected recipient. Selection is based on students' involvement and dedication to their community and academic achievements. Applicant must be of Caribbean or African Heritage. Application deadline is June 21st. See Mr. Mondal in guidance for an application package.

Serving with Pride brings together policing professionals from across the province to support an optimized work environment including diversity, integrity, awareness and equity of LGBTQ2S employees within policing, corrections and criminal justice professions. Serving with Pride has a 2SLGBTQ+ scholarship for youth between the ages of 17 – 26 and who are enrolled in a law enforcement or criminal justice program in Ontario. Its purpose: To honor a police, corrections or criminal justice student (or in training) who has made a significant positive impact with their peers and/or greater community as a leader in LGBTQ2, equality, diversity and inclusion and; to provide financial aid to students studying within the policing, corrections or criminal justice fields. Details can be found here: <https://www.servingwithpride.ca/scholarship-program>

Exit Survey

The Ministry of Education is requiring all graduating students to fill out an exit survey. Please following the directions below.

All students can access the survey through their **My Pathway Planner** accounts by doing the following:

1. Go to the [York Region District School Board Website](#);
2. Click on the “My Pathway Planner” button;
3. Log into their account using your YRDSB credentials;
4. Click on the “Complete Survey” button in the blue banner on the homepage
5. Complete the survey questions in the Google Form that opens.

Grade 9-11 Only

Faculty of Arts & Science at the **University of Toronto** is delighted to invite students and families to U of T St. George campus for **Navigating your Future** event. This event is designed specifically for students in Gr.9-11 to help them form a better picture of what the university has to offer even before they start applying. Campus Tours will be running concurrently with sessions throughout the day. Drop-in advising will be available for students from 11:00AM – 2:00PM. Students are invited to register: uoft.me/navigating-your-future no later than **May 20th, 2019**.

Program at a Glance

The Art of Double Majoring

The Colleges at U of T

Why Research Makes all the Difference

Connect to Success: Rotman Commerce

Commuting vs. Living in Residence

Getting ready to apply!

Event Details: Saturday, May 25th, 10:00 A.M – 2:45 P.M, Convocation Hall, 31 King's College Circle, Toronto, ON M5S 1A1

Upcoming Events

May 2 – 24	IB Exams
May 3	PA Day
May 20	Victoria Day
June 10	School Council Meeting, 7:00pm, Library

Bayview Student Events Calendar

[Bayview Student Events Calendar link here](#)

R.O.A.D . Safety at Bayview

Q: What can **you** do to make sure that...

Students and staff can cross the parking lot without getting **hit by a car?**

Parents and staff can enter and exit the parking lot without **waiting in traffic?**

School busses can drop off and pick up students without getting **behind schedule**

A: **You** can...

Refuse to drop off in the middle of the road, stop, park or turn around at the front of the school

Drop your children **O**ff property and let them walk the rest of the way and/or drop them off earlier

Believe that safety and respect for **A**ll students, staff and parents is the responsibility of each of us

Drive slowly and carefully through the parking lots

Student Parking

If your child has received a yellow Parking Pass, please remind them that students are **ONLY** allowed to park in the reserved Student Parking Lot (east of the stop sign). Only students who have received passes for this semester may park on school property.

Allergies and Food at Bayview S.S.

Dear Bayview parents. We have various life threatening allergies at Bayview SS. Please ensure that your son/daughter refrains from bringing peanut butter, and egg based products in their packed lunches. Can you also please urge your children to eat in the cafeteria or the overflow lunch rooms. We have a significant amount of students eating in the halls – which we actively discourage.

Important Reminders

We want to remind students that the use of electronic products such as vaping, electronic cigarettes and cigars as well as cartridges of nicotine solutions and related products are not permitted on or within 20 metres of school property. This means 20 metres *beyond* the school boundaries as opposed to simply off of school property. [Health Canada](#) reports health risks associated with vaping particularly for young people.

This is in compliance with the Smoke-Free Ontario Act, which is enforced locally by York Region Community and Health Services and the [Tobacco and Smoke-Free Environment Policy and Procedure](#). A progressive form of discipline, including potential suspension from school and [fines](#) (up to \$5,000), is in place for students who break the law.

For more information visit Health Canada or the Board website. [Partnership for Drug Free Kids](#) also provides a resource on how to talk to your kids about vaping.

Respect for Community

- Students are expected to behave in a respectful manner during the entire school day
- This includes during lunch time when students are on and/or off school property (e.g. stores and restaurants by the school)
- Student **must** clean up their garbage, pay for all items, treat other customers with respect and follow the direction of the employee

Dress Code

Dressing in an appropriate manner dignifies the student, their family, and their school. Dress that is **not permitted** includes:

- headwear - except for religious reasons (e.g. baseball hats, hoodies, toques)
- bare midriffs – e.g. crop tops (*all tops must meet the bottom clothing*)

Punctuality

- School starts at 8:45 and students are expected to be in class at that time
- Students who are **less** than 15 minutes late for class must go directly to class
- Students who are **more** than 15 minutes late for class must go to Attendance Office to sign in

Student Parking

- Students who drive to school must have a valid parking pass that can be obtained in the Main Office
- Student parking is **ONLY** along the fence on the **EAST SIDE** of the stop sign and the parking pass must be visible
- Cars that are not parked in the designated spots are at risk of being ticketed and/or towed
- Students who continue to park in the incorrect spots will face school consequences

Student Drop-Off

- Parents/guardians who drive their children to school, **must not park or stop** at the front of the school -this is a fire route and where school busses drop off and pick up students
- Do not pull in to the specified parking spots at the front of the school
- Students must be dropped off and picked up at the south end of the school in a way that will not obstruct traffic around the school

Important Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding Extraordinary Absences Exceeding 3 days:

- Students are expected to be in full attendance every regular school day except in the case of illness. Extraordinary absence may occur under certain circumstances. Parents should keep in mind that a very close relationship exists between regular daily attendance and success in school. Some families plan trips during the school year due to scheduling of vacations from work or to take advantage of low travel costs. When this occurs, students miss valuable learning which can impact on their success. Even brief absences can have a negative impact. Family trips can be a wonderful learning experience, but should be saved for school vacation time, such as March Break.
- Before withdrawal for any vacation not in the school calendar, check with your child's teacher to find out what effect a long vacation may have on your child's progress.
- Complete the **Extraordinary Absence Form** found in the main office.
- You will be responsible for the continuity of your child's learning when they are absent from school.
- Students must consult with their teacher before the planned absence in order to determine their standing in each of their courses and obtain any assignments that will come due during or immediately following the absence, if available from the teacher.

It must be noted that:

- a. It may not be possible for a student to learn all of the material or complete all of the work that was done in class during their absence.
- b. Assignments must be submitted on time to be eligible for grading. Tests missed MAY receive a mark of zero ("0")

