BAYVIEW SECONDARY SCHOOL

E-bulletin for the week of Nov 6th, 2017

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Administration

Mr. B. Schouten, Principal; Mrs. V. Essebag, Vice-Principal; Ms. A. Higgins Wright, Vice-Principal; Mr. L. Lim, Vice-Principal

Flu Season



Flu Season is on its way – are you ready? Please see <u>flyer from Community</u> and Health Services for more information.

Therapy Dogs



As we continue to provide our school community with opportunities for health and wellness, we have invited Therapy Dogs on Thursday, November 9th from 11:30 to 1:30 pm. The St. John Ambulance Therapy Dog Program brings joy and comfort to students in our schools. These are dogs that are specifically trained to bring kindness to others and to respond well to their company. The two dogs will be supervised at all times and will be in one location (TBD). If your child is allergic to dogs, please ask them to stay away from that room on that date. Thanks.

Vicky Essebag, Vice Principal

Guidance Message

Upcoming Events:

November 8 – University of Toronto Period 2 and 3 in the Library Classroom November 9 – Ryerson University Periods 2 and 3 in the Library Classroom

On Thursdays for the next five weeks Grade 10 students in Period One have been assigned a Thursday date to attend a presentation about Co-op, Dual Credit and SHSM. This is a 30-minute presentation in the cafeteria.

Graduating students are reminded that the *Scholarship Information Google Form* must be completed in order to be considered for scholarships that require a school nomination, as well as *Graduations Awards*. The link to completing the Google form as well as a description of the *Graduation Awards* are on the Bayview website under the *Guidance* tab.

Upcoming Scholarships that require a school nomination:

The *Queens Chancellor Award*, which includes the *QUARMS* nomination: students must submit a hard copy of the completed nomination to guidance by Friday November 10th. Bayview can nominate up to three candidates, ONE of whom will be nominated for the QUARMS. For more information, visit their website at:

http://www.queensu.ca/studentawards/admission-awards/major-admission-awards

Students wishing to apply must also submit their application to Queens by November 15th.

The **Schulich Leader Scholarships**, for students applying to programs in science, technology, engineering or mathematics (*S.T.E.M.*) students must complete the **Scholarship Information Google Form** by **December 15**th and indicate their wish to be nominated. Bayview can nominate ONE candidate.

For more information, visit their website at: http://www.schulichleaders.com/

The **Western National Scholarship** application becomes available in mid-November; students wishing to be nominated must submit a completed hard copy to guidance by <u>Tuesday February 6th 2018</u>. Bayview can nominate up to four candidates. For more information, visit their website at:

http://registrar.uwo.ca/student finances/scholarships awards/national scholarship program.html

360Kids Nightstop Program



Nightstop is a voluntary service for young people experiencing crisis that prevents homelessness through community housing. Nightstop supports young people aged 16-26 years, who have nowhere safe to sleep that evening, by placing them in a <u>volunteer's spare room</u>. Young people have a safe and private place for the evening, a warm meal, are offered a shower and leave the following morning.

Nightstop has been operating since 1987 and helps young people in 33 towns and cities around the United Kingdom. 360Kids is the first internationally accredited Nightstop agency and is excited to offer this program to young people in York Region.

Come out to one of the Volunteer Information Sessions to find out more.

Lockers

Additional lockers are available. If your child is sharing a locker and would like their own, they can see Ms. Bagel in the Main Office.

Staff Contact Information

Staff names and voicemail extensions can be found on our school website under the "School Information" tab and "Our Staff" link. Staff email addresses are firstname.lastname@yrdsb.ca

Student Safety - ATTENTION NEEDED

Thank you to all drivers for your patience in the parking lot as we start a new year.

Our focus is (and must always be) on the safety of students.

We are thrilled to see so many more students walking, riding bikes and taking public transit to and from school. Well done!!!

Please speak with your children to remind them of traffic safety and being aware of their surroundings. They must look both ways when crossing a road or driveway and must not walk along the traffic flow areas

Drivers must not:

- v use the front driveway for pick up and drop off.
- use parking spaces at the front of the school to drop off, wait for, or pick up students
- × drive behind the school to drop students.

Drop off and pick up must only occur at the SOUTH end of the school – near Cassata Drive.



Community Involvement

It is important for students to get pre-approval of the community involvement from guidance. Once the volunteer experience is complete, students submit the form to guidance. It takes 2-3 weeks for the hours to be updated. Students who are completing more than 50 hours at one place must submit with the form itemizing what they did.

Free Computer and Upgrading Classes for Adults

Would you like to upgrade your skills in English, Math or Computers? Are you seeking employment? Applying for college, second career or an apprenticeship?

We offer free classes to help you prepare for work or further your education in order to achieve your goals.

Our program is offered at no cost to Ontario residents aged 19+ by the York Region District School Board with support from the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development.

Classes are offered at three convenient locations:

Uplands Community Learning Centre
8210 Yonge Street, Thornhill, ON L4J1W6
Yorkworks Stouffville
111 Sandiford Drive, Stouffville, ON L4A 0Z9
Participation House (adults with special needs)
9 Butternut Lane, Markham ON L3P 3M1

Please see the attached flyer for program details.

Call 905--731-9557 for more information or to book your assessment today! Get started on your path to success!

Upcoming Events

Nov. 9 th	Term I Ends (Careers/Civics)	1/2/57
Nov. 10 th	Term II Begins (Civics/Careers)	
Nov. I0 th	Remembrance Day Assembly	1 12
Nov. 20 th	Mid-Semester reports distributed	I.NL
Nov. 24 th	PA Day	15/12
Nov. 27 th – Dec <mark>. 8</mark>	Grad Photos	15/1/2

Bayview Student Events Calendar

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