King City Secondary School

2001 King Road, King City, ON L7B 1K2

E-Newsletter

ESSAH Scholarship

The Educators for Students of South Asian Heritage (ESSAH) is pleased to offer the *Community Service and Leadership Bursary for 2018*. This Community-sponsored bursary is aimed to recognize excellence in community involvement and voluntarism among graduating secondary YRDSB students. Download the application package <u>here</u>.

King Township Art Exhibit

This year the KCSS Art Department has 21 student artworks on display at the King City Secondary Students Art Exhibit. Congratulations to Kai Principe Rapa won best overall for his sculpture and Farozaan Raza who won honourable mention for her scratchboard illustration on opening night.

Voting for People's Choice will occur throughout the month of March. Winners will be informed at the end of the month. Best of luck to all the student artists, and thank you for sharing your works with us!





Monday, March 5, 2018



Contact Us

 Phone 905.833.5332

 Extensions

 Reception

 Attendance

 Guidance

 Busing

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Online

School Website

Administration

Principal Catherine McGinley

Vice Principals <u>Melissa Schmidt</u> (A-K) <u>Lynn MacDonald</u> (L-Z)

School Council Chairs

David Cooper Jim Streb

Superintendent

Becky Green

Aurora-King Trustee

Peter Adams-Luchowski

Interim Report Cards and Teacher Interview Night

Teacher Interview Night is on March 22, 2018 from 6:15-8:15.

We are happy to announce that we will be using an online process to manage our Teacher Interview Night scheduling.

Edsby is an intuitive, cloud-based platform that will allow families to easily reserve times to meet with their child's teachers.

Families will need to create an Edsby account to access the online appointment scheduler for their child's teachers for Teacher Interview Night. For help signing up for Teacher interviews, please visit <u>https://goo.gl/X38UqE</u>.

You will receive an email from the York Region District School Board on March 1 with instructions on how to create an Edsby account. Please check your junk mail folder to ensure you do not miss this opportunity. All families are asked to ensure that we have a valid email address on file to receive this information.

Important Timelines

March 22, 2018	Teacher Interview Night, 6:15-8:15 pm
March 9, 2018	Interim Report Cards sent home
March 9, 2018	Teacher Interview Night schedule is opened for booking, an invitation to book appointments will be sent to your email inbox
March 1, 2018	Reminder to parents and/or guardians to create accounts

Contribute to Strategic Planning at YRDSB - Upcoming Town Halls

York Region District School Board is re-visioning its Multi-Year Plan (MYP) and Board Improvement Plan for Student Achievement and Well-being. The Board of Trustees is responsible for setting the strategic direction of public education in York Region public schools. The MYP incorporates the direction established by the Trustees with feedback received from all stakeholders, and will inform decision making at the Board in the years to come. Town halls will be taking place across the region and feedback collected from families and community members will inform the creation of a new MYP. Your voice is important and your input and feedback will help York Region District School Board support student achievement and well-being. There will also be other opportunities, including a survey available in April, to share your thoughts if you are unable to attend a town hall.

TOWN HALL DATES AND TIMES	LOCATIONS
Monday, April 16, 2018	Keswick High School
7 - 9 p.m.	100 Biscayne Blvd., Keswick
Wednesday, April 18, 2018	Markville Secondary School
6 - 9 p.m.	1000 Carlton Rd., Markham
Sunday, April 22, 2018	Sir William Mulock Secondary School
2 - 4 p.m.	705 Columbus Way, Newmarket
Wednesday, April 25, 2018	Maple High School
6:30 – 8:30 p.m.	50 Springside Rd., Maple
Saturday, April 28, 2018	Bayview Secondary School
10 a.m 12 p.m.	10077 Bayview Ave., Richmond Hill

New CommTech Lab & Fund Scrip

FündScrip

Help support the purchase of computers and related equipment for our new Communications Technology lab. Click on the <u>FundScrip logo</u> to access the 'Support a Group' page.

Code: **UQ4566**

Purchase gift cards and a percentage is directed to KCSS.

Please encourage others in our school community to assist in this **no cost** fundraising initiative.

Thank you for your ongoing support!

School Council Dates 2017- 2018



April 18

- May 16
- June 13

All parents are welcome to School Council meetings. Our council vision is to enhance the learning experience of every child at King City SS. Our school is even better when parents, guardians and the community are involved.

Meetings are held at 7:00 PM in the library.

School council elections will be held during the first meeting.

More Information

Upcoming Events

March	8	International Women's Day
	9	Interim Reports
	12-16	Mid-Winter Break
	22	Parent Interview Night
	22	Art Show
	22	Post-Secondary Planning Seminar
	29	Graduation Awards Applications Available
	30	Good Friday (No Classes)
April	2	Easter Monday (No Classes)
	10	OSSLT
	11	Euclid Math Contest
	12	Fryer Galois Hypatha Math Contests
	17	Last day of Term 3



School Website (featuring school calendar)