

King City SS e-Newsletter



[2001 King Road, King City, ON L7B 1K2](#)

June 19, 2020

Summer Learning Programs Available

While schools remain closed, we continue to offer credit and non-credit summer school program opportunities for elementary and secondary students.

- [Elementary Summer School](#) (Grades 6-8)
- [Summer School e-Learning](#) (Secondary credit courses)
- [Secondary Summer School](#) (Acceleration courses, Credit Recovery/Reinforcement)

All programs will be offered in a remote learning environment with a mix of synchronous (real-time) and asynchronous learning. YRDSB continues to follow direction from the Ministry of Education and public health authorities to help reduce the spread of COVID-19. If there are any changes to our program delivery model, we will communicate those changes.

NEW Credit Upgrade for Grade 11 & 12

A new Credit Upgrade program is available this summer that allows grade 11 and 12 students to upgrade their Math, Science and English marks. This program will be offered in a two week session starting Monday, July 6th. Students should sign up using [My Pathway Planner](#).

Adult Learning Programs

In addition, adult learning programs are also available by phone or online. If you have a question or would like to register for one of these classes, please email uplands@yrdsb.ca or call 905-731-9557 or 905-305-4122 and leave us a message:

- [Adult Literacy and Basic Skills](#)
- [English as a Second Language](#)
- [Citizenship Classes](#)
- [Language Instruction for Newcomers to Canada](#)

For more information about school closures and resources for families, including information on summer learning programs during COVID-19, please visit www.yrdsb.ca/covid19 and follow us on Twitter @YRDSB.

Contact Us

Phone 905.833.5332

Extensions

Reception 150

Attendance 158

Guidance 106

Busing 152

king.city.ss@yrdsb.ca

Online

[School website](#)

Administration

Principal

[Joe D'Amico](#)

Vice Principals

[Pina Viscomi](#) (A-K)

[Tim Wesson](#) (L-Z)

School Council

[Luisa Gale](#)

[Harpal Panesar](#)

Superintendent

Neil Gunathunge

Trustee

Bob McRoberts



School News

Supports for Black Youth

Black Youth Helpline: <https://blackyouth.ca/> - The BYH provides culturally appropriate support to youth and families and assists with professional assessment, intervention, services and supports.

Black Health Alliance: <http://blackhealthalliance.ca/> - From their website: The Black Health Alliance is a community-led registered charity working to improve the health and well-being of Black communities in Canada.

Online Events for Pride in York Region

**QUEER FRONTIERS:
PAST, PRESENT AND
FUTURE**

**An Intergenerational
show for all ages!**

**Monday June 22nd
@ 6pm**

Join CAYR, Drag Queen, Miss
Juwanna Dewitt
(@missjuwannadewitt) and
Drag King, Dank Sinatra
(@dank.is.a.drag)

**Hear some 2SLGBTQ+ history
you may not have known in
this fun filled drag show
performance**

TO REGISTER:
Call/text/e-mail: Jennifer Silk
416-938-4458 or
jsilk@cayrcc.org for the link.

Queer Frontiers: Past, Present, and Future - This is an Intergenerational Show with drag show performances and hosted by CAYR Community Connections. It is taking place on June 22nd at 6 pm. Contact Jennifer Silk at 416-938-4458 or jsilk@cayrcc.org for the link.

Rainbow Online Connection – Welcome Friend Association usually offers a Rainbow Camp program. This year they have adapted to an online program. [More info here with schedule and prices.](#)

York Pride Festival - York Pride has updated their website with more information about their online streaming content including dates and times. There are many events planned, including trivia nights, a digital pride party, and more.

Drag Queen Storytime – Richmond Hill Public Library - RHPL is offering a storytime with Gila Münster on Saturday June 27th from 10-10:30 am. More details will be available soon.

Additional Resources: [Desi LGBTQ Helpline](#) - The Desi LGBTQ helpline is a US based helpline for 2SLGBTQ+ folks who are South Asian. The phone number is a US phone number (and would be long distance which may incur fees for calling) but they also offer an online contact form for support.



School News - reminder



COPING WITH STRESS & FOMO DURING COVID-19

- In this group, you will learn:**
- Types of Stress / Stress Responses
 - Personal Pandemic Responses
 - FOMO = Fear of Missing Out!
 - Grief / Loss due to COVID-19
 - 3 Practical Strategies to help you cope!

FOMO relates to when we feel stressed or anxious about missing out on social events, activities, or positive experiences



An experience often caused by our desire to stay connected with our friends, family, and communities

**WEDNESDAY JULY 8, 2020
2:30 - 3:30PM (VIA ZOOM)**

Join youth ages 12-25 in this informative and interactive workshop!

Please register by July 6th by clicking [HERE](#)

Questions - mobyss@cmha-yr.on.ca