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Thursday, April 13, 2017 To the family of «First_Name» «Last_Name»

IMPORTANT STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

On Saturday April 1st, 159 students representing 40 schools from around York Region participated in the York Region Science and Technology Fair. The students listed below were award winners at the 2017 fair. The program for the event is available [here](#)

- **Ryan Kum** - Enviroanalysis Environment Award for *Tardigrades as Bioindicators of Air Quality*
- **Ryan Kum** – York University Entrance Scholarship (\$2000) for *Tardigrades as Bioindicators of Air Quality*
- **Ryan Kum** – Silver Award for *Tardigrades as Bioindicators of Air Quality*
- **Balaji Venkatesh** – The Home Innovation Award for *Thermal Energy Storage for Homes*
- **Balaji Venkatesh** – Silver Award for *Thermal Energy Storage for Homes*
- **Maya Thayalan** – Bronze Award for *Heating your Home*

A huge congratulations to these students – our scientists, engineers and technologists of the future, and a big thank you to Ms. Bina Shah for all her support and encouragement!

TWEETS OF THE WEEK



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Today take the [#BravePledge](#). Wear pink to say you pledge to stand up for [#inclusion](#) and promise to stomp out [#bullying](#) this [#dayofpink](#)



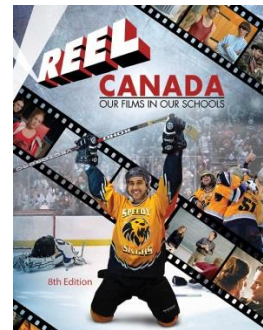
ICYMI: [#YRDSB](#) Summer School registration is now open on Career Cruising. This includes Acceleration courses.

DEPARTMENT SPOTLIGHT

FLASHPRINT – FP@MSS

Flash Print @ MSS is a student run creative design and print store located in Portable #2. Students in FP@ MSS enjoy an entrepreneurial adventure that partners them with clients who arrive with a print and/or design problem that they endeavor to solve. Our clients not only include YRDSB staff and students, but private companies such as: DFC (Durham Flight Centre), the ATLAS

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program at Markham Stouffville Hospital, and Healing in the Park Office, among others. Innovation, creativity and entrepreneurship are the foundations of FP@MSS. Students learn and practice their customer service skills on a daily basis. Using MAC computers, students learn to use 3 different types of printers (inkjet desktop, laser and plotter), trimmers, and the laminator to produce a high quality, final project that fulfills their client's order. Join us at our open house in June and learn more about our innovative and experiential learning opportunity.



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Wednesday, April 19th is National Canadian Film Day. Markville's Library Learning Commons will be celebrating along with 150 other schools across Canada by screening some great Canadian films! With the generous support of REEL Canada, we will be showing the film **Breakaway**. Students will also have the opportunity to join in the live webcast from 12:30pm – 1:30pm, where stars from **Breakaway** and **The Trotsky** will be answering questions submitted by students from across the country. There are some great Canadian prizes to be won as well.

On **Friday, April 21st** we will continue the celebration by screening **Sharkwater**. Ms. Wilson has arranged for Dr. M. Heithaus, the Principal Investigator for "Shark Bay Ecosystem Research Project" to join us via Google Hangouts to answer questions from our students. Both films have been generously donated by REEL Canada to be added to our DVD collection and will be available for checkout starting on April 24th.

Would you like to participate in the largest Canadian film festival from coast to coast? There are 1700 screenings happening across Canada. Here are three screenings here in Markham on **April 19th**: (All movies are **FREE** to attend!) **Stories We Tell**: Markham at the Movies; 10:00am, [Flato Markham](#), 171 Town Centre Blvd. Markham
[SEAS Markham Centre](#) presents **Iron Road** (with Chinese subtitles); 2:30pm, 4981 Highway 7 East, Markham
Double Happiness at the Cornell Community Centre Rehearsal Hall; 7:00pm, 3201 Bur Oak Ave, Markham [click here to pre-register](#)

Thank you to REEL Canada for promoting Canadian films and encouraging students from across the country to celebrate National Canadian Film Day together.



Upcoming Events

DATE	School News	Student Life	Arts	Sports & Clubs	Academics
MONDAY, APRIL 17 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EASTER MONDAY – NO SCHOOL Music Trip (Friday, April 14th – Wednesday, April 19th) 				
TUESDAY, APRIL 18 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Term 2 begins – Switch day for Civics / Careers / Quad Envirothon Trip (8:00am – 4:00pm) Music Trip (Friday, April 14th – Wednesday, April 19th) 				
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development Ultimate Tournament (7:30am – 3:30pm) Senior Badminton (7:45am – 4:30pm) REEL Canada Event – Breakaway (8:20am – 3:00pm) Music Trip (Friday, April 14th – Wednesday, April 19th) 				
THURSDAY, APRIL 20 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ridvan 				
FRIDAY, APRIL 21 st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Track and Field (8:20am – 4:00pm) REEL Canada Event – Sharkwater (8:20am – 3:00pm) Supporting Racialized Students (8:30am – 11:00am) Senior Band to UPS (10:30am – 1:00pm) Grade 10 Gifted Sunrise Senior Living Trip (12:30pm – 3:00pm) Dragon Boat (3:00pm – 5:00pm) TAC (Transition Activities Council) Applications Due by 3pm 				

