



Sir William Mulock Secondary School

E-BULLETIN: THE RAVEN'S WEEKLY

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October 18 - October 25, 2021

Home of the Ravens



Developing students of character, who are literate and numerate, is our main priority

*You do not belong to the future or the past
You belong right here*

Rupi Kaur

Spirit Day – October 21st

October 21 is Spirit Day, a day started in 2010 by Brittany McMillan, a Canadian teenager. Brittany created the event after learning about youth who lost their lives to suicide after experiencing bullying related to actual or perceived sexual orientation, gender identity and expression identities.

Wear purple to show support for 2SLGBTQ+ youth and to take a stand against bullying!

Pajama Day - Friday October 22nd

- Just a reminder that hateful or racist language or images are not permitted.
- Tops must meet bottoms and bottoms must meet tops so that midribs do not show.
- Undergarments cannot be exposed.

TOKW Opportunities for Grade 9 Students on November 3rd

- Participate in a virtual/in-person job shadow with parent/guardian, family member/neighbour; OR
- Participate in a livestream event and asynchronous activities from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 pm

OSSLT

- All YRDSB schools will be assigned a writing date between November 18 and December 1, following midterm mark submission
- The day will be an asynchronous day for students not writing the test (further details will follow)
- Students attending non-credit community classes should continue with the established learning and regular school day schedule on feedback days
- A Letter to Families will be sent out and additional communication will be shared once specific dates have been established

Exams

- Exam schedule will be used only for culminating activities (e.g. presentations, performances, demonstrations, portfolios, conversations, credit salvaging and conferencing)
- As a result, and in the best interest of the students, departments may change the 70/30 split and any associated culminating activities on a course by course basis

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Grade 12 Food and Healthy Living class has been busy learning a variety of cooking methods this past week. They put their learning to the test by competing in the Chicken Challenge this week. Here are their fabulous creations!



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GUIDANCE

Upcoming Dates

Wed Oct 20	Lunchtime scholarship workshop (room 175) - register on Google classroom
Thurs Oct 21	Lunchtime Zoom scholarship workshop
Fri Oct 22	Grade 12 students will receive an email to their GAPPS accounts containing the information needed (PIN and OEN) to apply to Ontario colleges and universities
Tues Oct 26	Ontario Universities Virtual Fair 5-7pm; https://www.ontariouniversitiesfair.ca/
Wed Oct 27	Apprenticeship & OYAP Information Night (7pm)

Guidance On The Go!

We are pleased to announce the launch of **Guidance On The Go** - a mobile service in which a counsellor will be available to students in the great hall / cafeteria during lunch.

Post Secondary Information

Here is the [Post Secondary Information Sessions](#) presentation that counsellors discussed with grade 12 students.

- Ontario Colleges Information: www.ontariocolleges.ca
- Ontario Universities Information: www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca
- College Mondays: Panelists from all colleges are holding virtual sessions on Mondays
- <https://www.ontariocolleges.ca/en/colleges/college-recruitment>
- Ontario Universities Events
- <https://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/universities/events>



Interested in the Skilled Trades?

YRDSB is holding an information session for students and parents interested in the skilled trades and the Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program (OYAP). See the [flyer](#) for more information.

When: Wednesday October 27th @ 7pm

Register: www.bit.ly/OYAP_OPENHOUSE

Community Involvement

During these times, the government realizes that it is difficult to volunteer outside of the home in non-profit organizations. To make it easier to complete the community involvement graduation requirement, for this year, the following can be counted as community involvement hours:

Household Chores & Activities: preparing meals, laundry, vacuuming, cleaning, helping a sibling with homework, etc.

Outside Chores: raking leaves, shoveling snow, gardening, helping with grocery shopping, dog walking, etc.

Up to 10 Hours of Paid Work: You may use up to 10 hours from a paid job (a short "Reflection Exercise" is required)

There continue to be opportunities within the community:

[Salvation Army: Toy Sorting & Food Sorting](#)

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Scholarship Opportunities

Lunchtime Scholarship Workshops

- Wed Oct 20th - room 175 (students must register on the link in Google Classroom)
- Thurs Oct 21st - [Zoom](#)

Scholarship Search Engines

Grade 12 students can create an account with any of the following search engines. Due to the volume of emails that students may receive from these sites, it is recommended that a separate email account be used. Specific scholarship opportunities will also be posted on Google Classroom and in the weekly e-bulletin.

www.scholarshipscanada.com

www.yconic.ca

www.canlearn.ca

www.scholartree.ca



Ontario Road Builders Association

Eligibility: Ontario high school student entering their first year of a program in Civil Engineering or Civil Engineering Technology at an Ontario College.

Questions can be directed to John Zottola at john.zottola@orba.org or (905) 507 – 1107 ext. 222, or use the below contact form found on the website <https://orba.org/scholarships/>

Oct 31 Civil Engineer Scholarship - \$2000 [Application Link](#)

Oct 31 Civil Engineer Technology Scholarship -\$2000 [Application Link](#)



Indspire

Deadline: November 1 and February 1st 11:59 p.m. EST.

Indspire is a national Indigenous registered charity that invests in the education of Indigenous people for the long term benefit of these individuals, their families and communities, and Canada.

Building Brighter Futures :Bursaries, Scholarships and Awards for Post-Secondary Education offers full and part time studies in college, university, skilled trades, apprenticeships, and technology programs.

You only need to complete the application once to be considered for all applicable bursaries, scholarships, and awards. [Application Link](#)

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Lester B. Pearson International Scholarship
November 18 -Nomination deadline
November 30 -Application Deadline
[Nomination Link](#) (use student gapps account) [Website Link](#)

Eligibility criteria:

- Who have demonstrated exceptional academic achievement and creativity
- Who are accepted as leaders within their school
- Who have the potential to contribute to the global community in the future.
- They can be distinguished from other students who may have equally high academic results by virtue of their breadth of interest, intellectual energy and impact on the life of their school and community.



OSSTF Student Achievement Award
November 10 - Entry submission due to Mulock staff sponsor
November 19 - Entry to OSSTF (upon selection)

A student, with the support of a teacher who has worked directly with the student, is invited to submit an original piece of writing, visual art or digital media based on this year's theme, "***Our Moment in Time***." Eleven provincial winners will receive a cash award of \$1,000.00 and will be invited to the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation annual general meeting in Toronto to receive their award. **This is open to students of all grade levels.**

Entry criteria:

Create a piece of writing or work of art that explores the theme.

(This could include, but is not limited to, a poem, short story, essay, lyrics, painting, drawing, sculpture, digital productions such as videos and music.)

[*Please review PDF](#) Student Achievement Award 2022- guidelines

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TD Canada Trust Scholarship Deadline: November 15th *“scholarships that community leadership first”*

[Application Link](#)

TD scholarships recognize students who have demonstrated an outstanding commitment to community leadership. Recipients receive up to \$70,000 for tuition and living expenses as well as opportunities for paid summer employment, peer networking and mentorship.

Supporting young community leaders is one way TD is helping build a more inclusive and sustainable tomorrow.

\$10,000 for tuition each year for a maximum of 4 years

\$7,500 for living expenses each year for a maximum of 4 years

Eligibility Criteria:

- Are in the final year of high school
- Have demonstrated community leadership
- Have a minimum overall grade average of 75% in their most recently completed school year



Queen's Major Admission Awards: deadline Nov 20/Dec 8

To be eligible to apply for the MMA Scholarship students must first apply to Queen's University through OUAC by November 20th to ensure access to the Queen's SOLUS account.

This is the account used to apply for the MAA awards by December 8th.

(It takes 4-6 business days to receive your SOLUS account from the date you applied to Queen's University)

Major Admission Awards: * refer to website for criteria for each award [LINK](#)

1. Chancellor's Scholarship (*nomination required by high school*)
2. Gregory Scholarship in Engineering (*nominee of Chancellor Scholarship*)
3. Dr. Iris May Marsh Memorial Award
4. Bank of Montreal Award
5. Science 1968 Admission Award in Applied Science
6. Melvin R. Goodes Entrance Award