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My 21-June 1, 2018

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## Inspire Learning!

Principal: Sheri Epstein

Vice-Principal: Barb Caravella

Vice-Principal: Todd Taylor



## <u>Please check our website</u> <u>regularly for updates.</u>



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## **Message from the Admin Team**

Dear Westmount parents,

And so here we are –the month of June – the time to wrap up another exciting school year and welcome a much deserved summer vacation to recharge, refresh, relax, or embark on new opportunities and experiences.

This month we are hosting many exciting shows from the various Arts departments and celebrating the talents of all these students – from Dance, Music, Drama, and Visual Arts. We are also preparing to wrap up all of the spring sports with tournaments and a banquet to celebrate all of our athletes and their successes this semester.

For our Drama students, all the months of hard work, rehearsals and preparations come to fruition as they showcase "Bye Bye Birdie" from May 30 to June 1 at the City Playhouse Theatre. Our Dance students take the stage on June 5 and June 6 presenting "Humanity Through Movement". Our Music students will perform for us on June 7 for Springfest, an annual spring concert which showcases the musical talents of young musicians. We hope you can join us at the City Playhouse Theatre for these spectacular events – we promise you will enjoy all of the sights, sounds and talents.

The month of June is also marked with all of our students working on culminating activities and preparing for final examinations. We know that this is a time of pressure and many long nights. Students should work with their teachers, map out due dates and pace their work so that they don't leave everything until the end. Our Grade 9 Math students will be participating in the mandatory EQAO math assessment for which their teachers are getting them prepared. We wish them good luck!

Exams begin on Wednesday June 20 to Tuesday June 26. Exams begin at 10:00 AM. Grade 12 courses in Periods 3 and 4 will write their exams on June 18 and 19 beginning at 8:40 in the cafetorium. The schedule has been posted on the school website and each student has received a detailed schedule. Exam Feedback Day is on June 27 with a modified schedule. Classes will be held in the morning for students to review their exams with their teachers. Dismissal will be at 11:30 a.m. We wish all students good luck on their final exams and a successful end to the school year.

The month of June can be bittersweet as we watch our Grade 12 students finish their high school career and celebrate their accomplishments in reaching this milestone. We wish them all the best as they move on to different paths, meet new opportunities and challenges, make new friendships, and venture into their next journey. We are very proud of their accomplishments and look forward to celebrating the graduating class of 2018 on June 26. If you require additional Grad tickets, they will go on sale on a first come, first serve basis on June 11 for \$10 each. See the Guidance website for additional information. We look forward to seeing you there to celebrate our graduates and wish them the very best.

Wishing you a happy June and a wonderful summer, Barb Caravella Vice-Principal

## **Varsity Girls Soccer team**

This week, our Varsity Girls Soccer team's season came to an end after a loss in the YRAA Tier 2 quarter-finals. The team had an impressive regular season, capturing five wins and one loss. Our Wolves displayed a tremendous amount of passion and determination.

Mr Gorewicz and Ms. Alweyn are extremely proud of all players, and excited about the future of Westmount Girls Soccer. A special thank you to our dedicated parent supporters who attended games and brought the team treats!



### **Arts West Dance**

Last week the Arts West Dance Grade 12 earned 3rd place at the "Step Out" YRDSB Dance Competition.







#### **PROM 2018**

On Thursday, May 18 our Grade 12's celebrated prom. The event "City of Stars" took place at Avani Event Venue and was a huge success. Many thanks to our wonderful prom committee for bringing their vision to life. Also a huge thank you to our teacher chaperones for all their help. And a special thank you to our vendors; Anna Brandes at *Have a Seat* for the beautiful decor, Joel Nadel from *Event Imaging* for the great photos, and Aaron Korman from *High Life Entertainment* for his awesome DJ services.



## **ArtsWest Music-Vocal**

"On May 15th, the vocal department traveled to Niagara-on-the-Lake to experience a day at the Shaw Festival. Students were fortunate enough to participate in a workshop with actor, Kiera Sangster and senior manager, Suzanne Merriam. We later enjoyed a wonderful production of "The Grand Hotel". Please follow us on IG @westmount\_choir for more photos and video!



**SEASON 27 – FINAL CHALLENGE** 

# FIFURE WEST



## MONDAY, JUNE 4th -

## FRIDAY, JUNE 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018

The Apprentice, now in its' twenty-seventh season, is the ultimate, Westmount Collegiate Institute eighteen-week job interview, where candidates compete, in teams, over the duration of the semester in a series of rigorous business tasks, that require the perfect balance between street smarts and book smarts to conquer, in order to show Mr. Coates, the boss, that they are the best candidate for his company, Coates Securities. In each task, the teams are sent to the boardroom, where Mr. Coates and his hired associates, Ms. Savalanpour, Mr. Federman, Mr. Benudiz I, Ms. Falkenstein, Ms. Eshel, Mr. Clements, Mr. Shereck, Mr. Krestell Sr., Mr. Frank, Mr. Freedman, Ms. Small, Mr. Criconet, Ms. Geva, Ms. Bleiwas, Mr. Rival, Ms. Liederman, Mr. Shulman, Mr. Gerlock, Ms. Yancovitch, Ms. Elgalal & Mr. Solway judge the job applicants on their performance in the task.

The current season of Mr. Coates' Apprentice include twelve teams, challenged to combine both "Street Smarts" and "Book Smarts" as they go head-to-head to see which team is most innovative and enterprising. This season's ventures include everything one might need this summer and beyond. As the tasks have become tougher, the judging has become harder, and the contestants have become fiercer. All profits raised are combined with the profits raised through Bare Necessities, to support the Canadian Cancer Society. Over the past twenty-six seasons, over \$110,000 has been raised to support those in need.

In the end, the question will be answered in the showdown of the semester – The Final Challenge – Venture Week 27 (June 4<sup>th</sup> to June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 in the atrium). Who will take their well-earned place, this season, with Mr. Coates on the other side of the boardroom table? Who will succeed? Who will be ordering a taxi? And who will be The Apprentice, Season 27?





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Ace Incorporated Presents...

## Ace's Cases



June 4-8 2018

Period 2-5



Come to the **Sunglass Station** 

periods 2-5 in the atrium

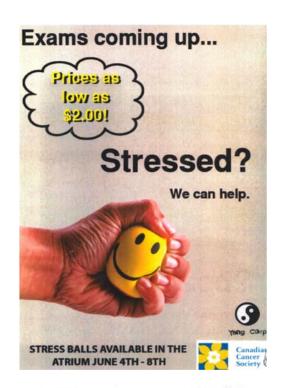
**June 4-8** 

for only \$10



Buy one, get the second 50% off!





June 4-8 @ 10:05 am - 3:30 pm



Chains for \$10 Bracelets for \$8 Grillz for \$10 -15





## **@WCIGuidance Team UPDATES**

#### **GRADUATION CEREMONY 2018 - TUESDAY, JUNE 26<sup>TH</sup>**

Doors open at 5:45 p.m.

Ceremony starts at 6:30 p.m.

**Paradise Banquet and Convention Centre** 

7601 Jane Street (south of Hwy. 7), Vaughan, ON

Friday, June 1 is the last day to RSVP for the Graduation Ceremony. You must pick-up your cap, gown and tickets by end of day Friday, June 1<sup>st</sup>!

Tickets not picked up on June 1 will be made available for sale on Monday, June 11. #wcigrad

Extra Grad Ceremony tickets will go on sale Monday, June 11 in the Guidance office starting at 8:30 a.m. Each ticket is \$10. A maximum of 2 tickets may be purchased. If tickets are still available at end-of-day Monday; there will be another release and sale of tickets later that week. Follow @WCIGuidance on Twitter for real-time notifications and updates. #wcigrad



Parking: There is LOTS of parking.

Please drive around the banquet hall to the south side and park at the "NCI Vaughan IcePlex"

#### Entering the banquet hall:

- Students Please use the "Classic Entrance" at the North side of the building
- Family and Guests Please use the "Queen Mary Entrance" at the West side of the building

(All doors at the venue are labeled)

#### **IMPORTANT REMINDERS**

- Doors open at 5:45. The ceremony will begin at 6:30
- Every person in your party must have a ticket, this includes small children
- Your party must arrive together if you wish to sit together.
- Accessibility seating there will be a limited area reserved for accessibility seating due to space restrictions in hall.
- You must wear your cap and gown.
- For "what to wear" suggestions please visit <a href="https://sites.google.com/site/wciguidance/graduation">https://sites.google.com/site/wciguidance/graduation</a>
- Do not bring any personal belongings. There is no coat check. Teachers are unable to hold purses or other items.
- A professional photographer will be taking photos.
- There will be flower sales at the venue.
- There will be Commemorative DVD sales at the venue.
- Your official diploma, photo, and any other applicable paperwork will be available for pick-up after July 16<sup>th</sup> in the main office of the school.
- Refreshments and desserts will be served following the ceremony

Visit <a href="https://sites.google.com/site/wciguidance/graduation">https://sites.google.com/site/wciguidance/graduation</a> for further details. #wcigrad





### GRADUATION CLASS NEWS

The Graduating Class NEWS page of the Guidance website has been updated. Please visit <a href="https://sites.google.com/site/wciguidance/graduation">https://sites.google.com/site/wciguidance/graduation</a> Follow @WCIGuidance on Twitter for real-time #wcigrad updates.

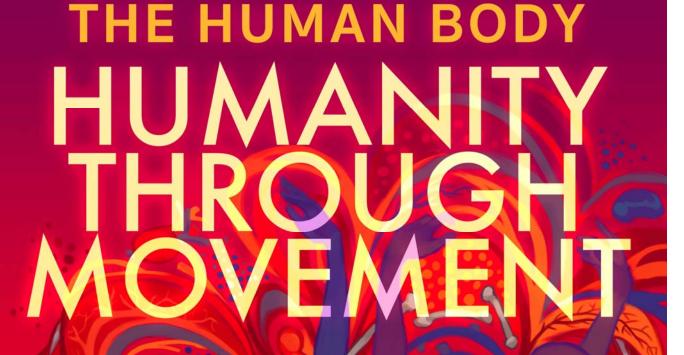
## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Community involvement opportunities will be tweeted out using #wcigetinvolved. Grade 12 students need to have their 40 hours of community service completed by May 31, 2018 in order to be eligible for graduation. <a href="https://sites.google.com/site/wciguidance/community-service-hours">https://sites.google.com/site/wciguidance/community-service-hours</a>



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2018 JUNE 5TH & 6TH @ 7 PM STUDENT MATINEE JUNE 5TH @10 AM

VAUGHAN CITY PLAYHOUSE

\$10 PER TICKET

paola.catalano@yrdsb.ca & amylynn.hopkins@yrdsb.ca



# JUNE 2018

Su	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sa
					1 * Drama Show	2
3	* Extra Grad ticket sales     * Dance Rehearsal     * Venture Week     * Grade 9 Arts Drama Musical (Playhouse) 7:30     p.m.	* Dance Show * Venture Week	* School Council * Dance Show * Venture Week	7 * Springfest * Venture Week	8 * Venture Week	9
10	* Gr. 9 EQAO * Yearbook Distribution (P1 only)	12 * Gr. 9 EQAO	* Grd 9 EQAO(back up date)  * Grade 10 ARTS Drama performances (evening)  * Spirit Day - WCI Day Dress Up: Wear school colours	* Gr. 10 Arts drama—Studio 150 at 7:30 PM	15	16
17	* Sem 2 Gr. 12 Exams (Period 4)	* Sem 2 Gr. 12 Exams (Period 3)	20 * Period 1 Exams (Grades 9 - 12)	21 * Period 5 Exams (Grades 9 - 12)	22 * Period 2 Exams (Grades 9 - 12)	23
24	25 * Period 3 Exams (Grade 9 -11)	* Period 4 Exams (Grade 9-11) * Graduation Ceremony	27 * Exam Feedback Day	PA Day	PA Day	30

## **SCHOOL BUS CANCELLATION NOTICE**

**NOT operate in the afternoon.** Therefore, if you drive your children to school in the morning, you must also pick them up from school at 3:50 p.m. When buses are cancelled, it does not necessarily mean that schools are closed. Schools usually remain open with a modified program. To find out whether or not the buses are cancelled, please check the following website: www.schoolbuscity.com or access the following radio or television stations:

#### Radio

CFRB 1010 AM CHUM 1050 AM CHUM 104.5 CHIN 1540 AM NEWS 680 AM CJEZ 97.3 CKDX 88.5 AM CHFI 98.1 FM CHIN 100.7 CBC 99.1 FM

CKFM 99.9 FM Q107.1 FM

#### **Television**

CITY TV, CFTO TV, THE WEATHER CHANNEL

A bus cancellation message will also be available at 1-877-330-3001.

