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Message from the Admin Team

Ramping up before winding down

It feels like mere days ago that we started the school year, last September, looking forward to a year full of engaging learning and memories. And now, there are just two short weeks before we bid adieu to this year's graduating class and all enjoy a well-deserved rest. Students have worked hard so far this semester to get to where they are. And the final push of exams is just around the corner.

As you're probably aware, it's been very busy here at WCI with students engaged in culminating activities and presenting their work from the semester. Our Arts Students have been busy in the theatre, with their music, dance and drama presentations as well as the gallery displays by our visual artists. Students in the business department have been pitching their ideas in "The Boardroom", and students in Law have been busy arguing some complex cases in Mock Trial. Additionally, students in our Community Class have been participating in Track and Field Days, Prom and getting out into the community. Students in the hospitality program have been catering lunches and events for the entire school. And our athletic students continue to be great representatives of WCI as they've competed at both the regional and provincial level. Regardless of what they have done, they have been shining examples of what anyone can achieve here at Westmount.

Construction season has begun, starting with the work by the region and city at the corner of Bathurst and New Westminster. Thank you to everyone for your cooperation during this construction project, which is scheduled to wrap up today. You may have also noticed that there is now scaffolding up around the building. This summer, contractors will be replacing and repairing the façade of the building. Some prep work has already occurred, but the actual repairs will begin in earnest in July. There may be some impacts on available entrances into the school over the summer.

Exams begin for our Grade 12 Students on Monday and Tuesday of next week. Information has been communicated to students, through their respective teachers, as to where they will write and when. Additionally, students who require extra time should check their @GAPPS.YRDSB.CA email account for specifics about where they will report to. The regular exam schedule, for all students, commences with Period 1 exams on June 20th. Students are encouraged to review the exam schedule (found via a link in the News Section of TeachAssist) prior to their exam, just to confirm that there have been no changes.

In the event that your child is unable to complete their final exam at the scheduled time, please call the office **prior** to the start of the exam. In discussion with a Vice Principal, alternative arrangements may be possible. It is the expectation of WCI however that all students complete their final exam prior to a credit being awarded. Students may be expected to complete the exam at an alternate time during the exam schedule or may, in some cases, complete the exam in the fall.

Congratulations to all students for making it this far. And best of luck for the end of the school year.

Todd Taylor,
Vice Principal

Westmount Athletic Banquet

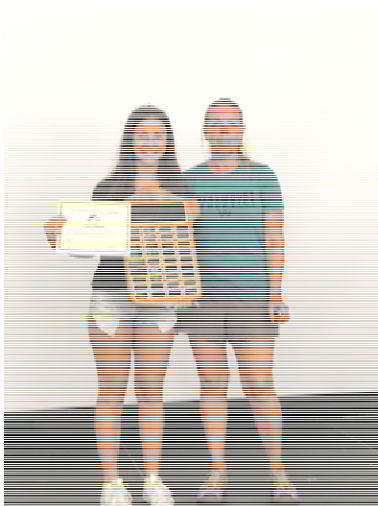
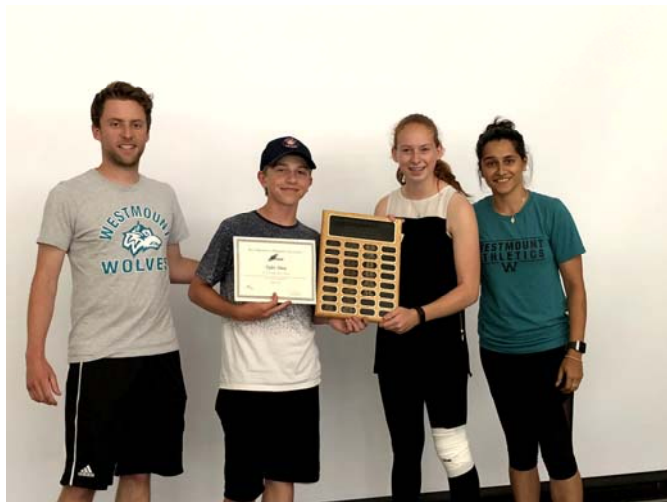
On Tuesday June 12th, coaches and athletes from all of Westmount's sports teams gathered in the cafeteria for the 2017-2018 Athletic Banquet. As we close another year of Westmount athletics, we'd like to congratulate all our student athletes.. There was a lot to celebrate: teams that made playoffs, a YRAA Tier 2 Championship, athletes who made it to OFSAA and countless others who represented our school with pride.

Thank you to Ms. Tarver and her students for cooking up a fabulous meal to fuel our athletes!

A special thank you to all the teachers who give up countless hours coaching these teams. It doesn't go unnoticed the commitment and dedication you all put into growing the athletic culture at Westmount.

Again, thank you Ms. Madill, Mr. Soon Shiong, Mr. Grossi, Mr. Gorewicz, Ms. Hamilton, Ms. Alweyn, Ms. Jarvis, Ms. Folmeg, Mr. Dolha, Mr. Draxler, Ms. Tarver, Ms. Wodlinger, Mr. Cacenco, Mr. Katz, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Popiel, Mr. Cacenco and Mr. Feraday!

Congratulations to all the award winners, and best of luck to our graduating students as they go onto their future endeavors. We look forward to a successful 2018-2019 year of Westmount Athletics! Go Wolves!



Team/Award	Recipient	Team/Award	Recipient
Varsity Boys Soccer	Jared Pearlman (SR MVP) Seth Martosh (JR MVP)	Ski and Snowboard	Omri Daniel (MVP) Alice Fours (MIP)
Cross Country	Kaitlyn Wood (MVP)	Junior Badminton	Esther Cho (MVP) Yvonne Wang (MVP)
Senior Boys Basketball	Jonathan Kotler (MVP) Amital Halberstadt (MVP)	Senior Badminton	Dylan Federman (MVP) Sophie Nie (MVP)
Swim Team	David Sung (MVP) Abigayle Salsberg (MIP)	Track and Field	Taya Blimbaum (MVP) Ariel Glasroth (MIP)
Varsity Girls Volleyball	Jackie Gerson (MVP) Annalyse Fu (MVP)	Co-ed Ultimate	Jacob Levy (MVP Male) Carly Shea (MVP Female) Jared Dolman-Smith (MIP Male) Noa Chazot (MIP Female)
Jr. Boys Basketball	Dylan Kliaman (MVP) Jonah Kerbel (MIP)	Girls Slopitch	Carly Shea (MVP) Emily Cooper (MIP)
Varsity Girls Basketball	Natalie Sistero (MVP) Rachel Bloom (MIP)	Varsity Girls Soccer	Madison Cooper (MVP) Isabella Della Penna (MVP)
Senior Boys Golf	Nathan Laraia (MVP) Zach Shereck (MIP)	Varsity Boys Baseball	Tyler Hill (MVP) AJ Abraham (MIP)
Junior Boys Golf	Benjamin Scholes (MVP) Corey Feldman (MIP)	Senior Tennis	Jared Dolman-Smith (MVP) Carly Shea (MIP)
Junior Tennis	Carolina Zveiris (MVP) Brittany Newton (MIP)	Girls Golf	Jacky Goldshlager (MVP)
Grade 9 Girl Award	Allyson Swartz		
Grade 9 Boy Award	Tyler Shea		
Grade 10 Girl Award	Jessica Duke		
Grade 10 Boy Award	Jacob Burman		
Senior Girl Award	Carly Shea		
Senior Boy Award	Nathan Laraia		
Athletic Achievement	Carly Shea		
Contribution Award	Noa Chazot		

Ultimate Frisbee Team

The Ultimate Frisbee Team had a great season with a record of 7 wins and 1 tie, and moved on to playoffs to defeat Thornlea in the finals and earn Gold! They also brought another pennant back to Westmount to hang in the gym. This is the second Ultimate Frisbee Championship in four years for Westmount Wolves!

Ms Folmeg and Ms Wodlinger would like to thank the team for their dedication and hard work, as well as our volunteer coaches: Sammy Raskin and Ryan Kirschenbaum.



Exam Review Day.

Students will have the opportunity to review their final exams and receive their final course marks, on Wednesday, June 27th. This is the **only** time that students can review the exam and seek clarification. It is important that all students attend. The school will have a modified schedule for the day as outlined below:

Schedule for Exam Review Day

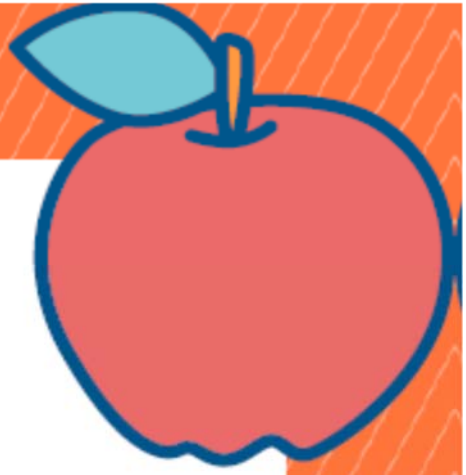
Period 1: 8:40 - 9:10

Period 2: 9:15 - 9:45

Period 3: 9:50 - 10:20

Period 4: 10:25 - 10:55

Period 5: 11:00 - 11:30 Dismissal



WESTMOUNT
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EXAM DE- STRESS!

EXAM WEEK JUNE 20-26
8:30 - 9:30 AM
ACTIVITIES IN GYM/TRIUM

GYM ACTIVITIES: FUTSAL,
BASKETBALL

TRIUM: SPIKE BALL, TABLE TENNIS,
MINDFULNESS STATION

**THERAPY DOGS - FRIDAY JUNE 22
ONLY**



@WCI Guidance Team UPDATES



Tuesday, June 26th

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**

GRADUATION VENUE DETAILS and TIPS

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 <https://sites.google.com/site/wciguideance/graduation>
- 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 16th in the main office of the school.
- Refreshments and desserts will be served following the ceremony

Visit <https://sites.google.com/site/wciguideance/graduation> for further details. #wcigrad

GRADUATION CLASS NEWS

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



REMINDER: GRADE 11s "going into" GRADE 12!!

Our Graduating Class of 2019 will need to remember to pay their GRAD Fee in August before school starts. Paying your GRAD fee in August will ensure a cap, gown and ceremony tickets are prepared for your graduation.

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. <https://sites.google.com/site/wciguideance/community-service-hours>



[@WCI Guidance](https://twitter.com/WCI Guidance)



JUNE 2018

Su	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sa
					1 * Drama Show	2
3	4 * Extra Grad ticket sales * Dance Rehearsal * Venture Week * Grade 9 Arts Drama Musical (Playhouse) 7:30 p.m.	5 * Dance Show * Venture Week	6 * School Council * Dance Show * Venture Week	7 * Springfest * Venture Week	8 * Venture Week	9
10	11 * Gr. 9 EQAO * Yearbook Distribution (P1 only)	12 * Gr. 9 EQAO	13 * Grd 9 EQAO(back up date) * Grade 10 ARTS Drama performances (evening) * Spirit Day - WCI Day Dress Up: Wear school colours	14 * Gr. 10 Arts drama—Studio 150 at 7:30 PM	15	16
17	18 * Sem 2 Gr. 12 Exams (Period 4)	19 * 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)	26 * Period 4 Exams (Grade 9-11) * Graduation Ceremony	27 * Exam Feedback Day (Special Timetable)	28 PA Day	29 PA Day	30