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COMMUNITY UPDATE!

April 2, 2021

Website: surreyschools.ca/schools/whiterocklc
 Download our APP - Raven's Nest | Follow us on Twitter @RavensWrIc

Building Resiliency through Self-Regulation, Hope, & Belonging

This week at school...

Our cohorts are back in swing after the break and will be finishing up in the next couple of weeks. **Music Sampler and Community Cohort** featured below.



Teacher James, our featured guest giving guitar lessons this week.

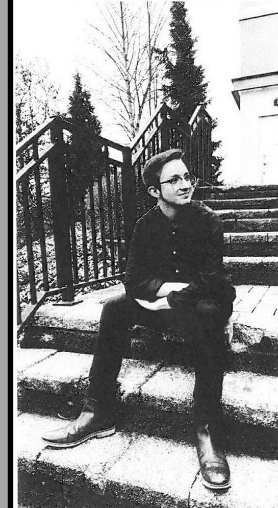


One of our students was featured in YACOS (Youth Arts Council of Surrey) SPOTLIGHT on the ARTS, April 2021.

Culture Days Interviews

DESMOND TOMPKINS

The Youth Arts Council of Surrey is very proud to announce that one of its members, Desmond Tompkins was interviewed by Culture Days on Monday, March 15, for the "Make Room For... Series – a shout-out to new or rising artists, creatives, and/or collectives from across the Country."



This interview can be viewed on www.culturedays.ca This is one of the questions asked to visual artist Desmond Tompkins in the interview. Why do you create?

"I create to comment on the diversity of social identity, as I am inspired by the lived experiences and under-represented people and voices within my own communities. In my practice, I use textural abstract techniques as a way to deconstruct personal and social ideas of identity and transformation." Desmond Tompkins.

We are very proud of Desmond's achievements and look forward to his future projects in the Arts community!

School Updates...



Just a reminder that as of March 29, masks are mandatory for all staff and students in grades 4—12. We have been practicing this protocol since September, but just want to emphasize that it is now mandatory. Thanks everyone!

Looking forward...

- Apr 5 - Easter Monday Stat - No classes
- Apr 8 - End of Term #3
- Apr 13-15 - Grad Assessments
- Apr 22 - Early Dismissal @ 2 pm | Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences from 2:30-4:30 pm & 5:30-7:30 pm

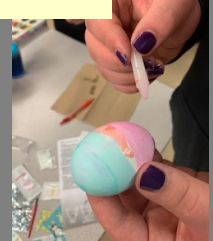
You will also find information regarding...

- Youth Workshops and Art Contests
- Summer School

AND...Career Education Information - SEE SUSAN...

- District Partnership Programs
- Food Safe & Serving It Right

Art PICs of the Week



COMING UP...

- **YOUTH EMPOWERING YOUTH (YEY)** is dedicated to empowering younger generations with resources and opportunities to grow. Led by two youth facilitators who are passionate about empowering youth.
- Nine 90-minute sessions, once a week, over Zoom, and encourages student participation.
- A new principle each class builds on previous principle. This helps students take accountability for their thoughts, feelings, & actions, thus moving them into a place of confidence, security, and self-assurance.



VISION: Help schools create a culture that empowers, strengthens, & develops leaders. Inspire youth to be accountable for their own thoughts, feelings, and actions; help them become responsible citizens.

MISSION: Create a safe environment to cultivate a sense of security, confidence, & self-assurance.

OUTCOME: We all have unique gifts and intrinsic value to offer. YEY serves as a catalyst to help youth explore their talents & contribute to the community in a powerful, positive, and meaningful way.

AFTER GRADUATION: Upon completion, youth have opportunity for leadership roles and co-facilitate future programs to help empower more peers!

START DATES: Monday, March 15 and Wednesday, April 7

REGISTRATION: To register, go to <https://linktr.ee/youthempoweringyouth>



ChARTing Change ART CONTEST
Art 2 Activate System Change

Are you 14 to 18 years old, reside in BC, and want to create ART that ACTivates System Change and draws attention to social and environmental injustices in our midst?

“Chart the Change” you want to see in the world, and potentially win an iPhone 11, iPad Air, or Air Pods in the process!

Enter the “ChARTing Change Art Contest” at chartingchange.accessstomedia.org

Deadline for Submissions is May 1, 2021.

PRIZES

- ★ Air Pods
- ★ iPhone 11
- ★ iPad Air

YOUTH AGES 14-18

ENTER

chartingchange.accessstomedia.org deadline for submissions is on May 1, 2021

EASTER LONG WEEKEND THIS WEEKEND!

No school on
Friday, April 2
or
Monday, April 5!



GRADUATION ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE APRIL 13 - 15, 2021

DATE	EXAM	TIME	LOCATION
Tuesday April 13	LITERACY 10	8:45 am – 11:00 am AM Cohort 12:45 pm – 3:00 pm PM Cohort	TBD
Wednesday April 14	NUMERACY 10	8:45 am – 11:00 am AM Cohort 12:45 pm – 3:00 pm PM Cohort	TBD
Thursday April 15 (as needed)	NUMERACY/ LITERACY 10	8:45 am – 11:00 am AM Cohort 12:45 pm – 3:00 pm PM Cohort	TBD

April 6th, at the Youth Space

MOBILE DENTAL CLINIC!



1:30-3:30PM
First come, first serve



- See a hygienist
- Free dental examinations

- Free fluoride application
- Access to dental resources and education





Ages 13-18

Learn to Cope with Stress

Y Mind

Everyone experiences worries and stress. Y Mind is here to help young people learn how to cope with stress so they can live their best lives.

FREE group for Teens who want to learn skills to deal with worries and stress.

INFO SESSION April 13th 4:00pm

**Group held on Tuesdays from
April 20 to June 8 2021, 4:00-5:30pm
(No session on May 25)**

Location: Zoom

For Teens ages 13-18 years who live in South Surrey/White Rock

Register contact: Yee Jim at yjim@alexhouse.net or 604-538-5060 ext 26



**This program is run by trained, caring staff,
in a safe supportive environment.**



Registration

Revised: February 23, 2021

Register Online: www.surreysummer.ca

You need your 9-digit Personal Education Number (PEN) to register

TBD	Registration opens online for all Surrey School District students
TBD	Registration opens online for all students from other school districts – register and then email your proof of BC address & ID (passport or birth certificate)
June 28	Registration closes 8:00 am

Full Credit

July 5 – August 6, 2021

8:15 – 11:35 am or 12:10 – 3:30 pm

Locations

- Clayton Heights Secondary 7003 - 188 Street
- Earl Marriott Secondary 15751 - 16 Avenue
- Enver Creek Secondary 14505 - 84 Avenue
- Fraser Heights Secondary 16060 – 108 Avenue
- Guildford Park Secondary 10707 - 146 Street
- Panorama Ridge Secondary 13220 - 64 Avenue
- Princess Margaret Secondary 12870 - 72 Avenue

Remedial

July 12 – 30, 2021

8:30 – 11:10am or 11:40 – 2:20 pm

Locations

- Clayton Heights Secondary 7003 - 188 Street
- Enver Creek Secondary 14505 – 84 Avenue
- Guildford Park Secondary 10707 – 146 Street

Remedial courses contain partial course content and are only for students who have taken the course already and want to increase their knowledge or get a better mark. Marks are graded on a scale. Maximum mark 80%.

Trades Exploration Courses

www.surreysummer.ca

Automotive

An introduction to automotive mechanics including hybrid power configuration and modern electronic control systems. Open to students entering grades 10-12. Register online.

Location: Frank Hurt Secondary

Carpentry, Electrical, Plumbing, Welding

An opportunity to experience a hands-on introduction to 4 construction trades. Students must be able to work independently. Open to students entering grade 10. Register online

Location: Princess Margaret Secondary

Fee Paying International Students

Fee-paying International students can register online and make payments by credit card over the phone. Our office is closed to the public. If the phone lines are busy please email the student PEN and your phone number and we will contact you. The cost for each Full Credit Course is \$900 and each Remedial course is \$500. Refunds only given if withdrawn on or before July 9, 2021.

Contact Us

www.surreyschools.ca

Our office is closed to the public. Please email us for the fastest response.

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FOR YOUR INFORMATION...

JUMPSTART INDIVIDUAL CHILD GRANTS

Sometimes, families need financial assistance to get their kids into a sport or physical activity. We're committed to helping all families access a range of activities, from boxing to bowling & skating to skiing, & more.

HOW DO I APPLY FOR JUMPSTART FUNDING?

Please visit <https://jumpstart.canadiantire.ca/> to access the Jumpstart grant system (we no longer accept paper applications). If you already have an account, please log in using your Email Address & Password. If you have not yet applied for funding in 2021, please click on the 'Register' button & enter in your family information. Once the registration process is complete you will have the ability to apply for funding.



**Jumpstart
Bon départ**

WHAT INFORMATION IS REQUIRED TO APPLY?

Please have the following ready to apply for funding assistance with Jumpstart:

- Child Information (Name, Age, Gender).
- Program details (Name of Organization, Location, Activity, Cost).
- A copy of your Canada Child Benefit (CCB) statement (pages 1 & 2) no other financial documentation will be accepted.

WHAT IS THE DEADLINE TO APPLY?

Each year the grant period is scheduled to open in the month of January & close in early November or when funds are no longer available (whichever comes first).

WHAT IS THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF FUNDING THAT I CAN APPLY FOR?

The maximum funding available is \$300 per request/session/ sport & \$600 for the year (based on available funds in the Chapter).

HOW OLD ARE CHILDREN WHO ARE FUNDED BY JUMPSTART?

Jumpstart supports children between the ages of 4 to 18 from families in financial need that are enrolled in sport & play in Canada.

Please visit the Jumpstart website for full details on how to apply... jumpstart.canadiantire.ca



INDIGENOUS BEAT

**For more
information,
talk to Georgia
or Kama.**



MNBC approves historic \$79 million budget

- \$16,618,000 - Ministry of Employment & Skills Training (Post-Secondary)
- \$16,661,000 - Ministry of early learning K-12

For more info go to...
<https://www.mnbc.ca/news/2021/mnbc-approves-historic-79-million-budget/>

Indigenous Youth Empowerment Gathering Virtually -May 5th and 6th -1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Indigenous students have **FREE** access to the following opportunities:

- Exploring options with post-secondary institutions and Canada's top employers via 40+ tradeshow booths and workshops
- Hearing from other Indigenous students, entrepreneurs, and industry professionals
- Listening to amazing Indigenous musicians, speakers, and performers
- Getting a *Soaring* swag package as well as the chance to win a wide array of wonderful prizes

Sign up at... <https://soaring.vfairs.com/>.
Visit... <https://indspire.ca/events/soaring/>.
Or, to learn more, reach out via communications@indspire.ca.

DO YOU KNOW?
Elders are always given preferred seating and served first at gatherings and ceremonies of Aboriginal peoples.

CAREER EDUCATION INFORMATION

Talk to our Career Facilitator, Susan Martin, for more information about the opportunities below.

Phone: 604-536-0550, ext. 3103

Email: martin_susan@surreyschools.ca

There are many training courses available right now.

For more information, email our Career Facilitator, Susan Martin, at martin_susan@surreyschools.ca.

Training Courses for Students looking for work in the Retail and Restaurant Industries:

- Baristas Training 101
- Cashier training 101
- Customer Service Training
- Retail Sales and Marketing
- Foodsafe
- Serving It Right

Training Courses for students looking for work in the Construction Trades:

- Fall Protection
- Ladder Safety
- Confined Spaces
- WHMIS



YOUTH RIVE

A free program for youth to obtain skills training, paid work experience, and find employment. Are you between the ages of 15 - 30, unemployed, and looking for work? SourcesBC can help!

Start Date: Ongoing
Days/Time: Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 4:30 pm
Where: #109-5577 153A St, Surrey

WE PROVIDE:

Individual plans - build skills & get you working!
Training allowance while attending
Career exploration
Job search strategies
Occupational skills training/certification funding
Paid work experience placement
Job placement and job coaching

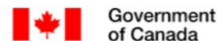
WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Between the ages of 15 - 30
Legally entitled to work in Canada
Resident of BC
Unemployed
Not a full-time student

ONGOING SUPPORT AS NEEDED

For more information, or to register, contact:

Phone: 604-262-4858 or
Email: eeinfo@sourcesbc.ca



Program in partnership with Youth Employment Strategy

INTERESTED IN FOOD SAFE OR SERVING IT RIGHT? Please talk to Susan!

FOODSAFE LEVEL 1 is a food handling, sanitation and work safety course designed for food service establishment operators and front line food service workers such as cooks, servers, bussers, dishwashers, and deli workers. The course covers important food safety and worker safety information including foodborne illness, receiving and storing food, preparing food, serving food, cleaning and sanitizing.

SERVING IT RIGHT and **Special Event Server** are British Columbia's mandatory self-study courses that educate licensees, permittees, managers and servers about their legal responsibilities when serving and selling liquor.



DISTRICT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS - 2021

Surrey School District has formed partnerships with post secondary institutions to provide trades training and other training programs for high school students before they graduate. Students gain qualifications and test the career waters before graduation. Other benefits may include:

- **Dual credit** – obtain high school and college credit (up to 36 credits)
- **Complete Level One** of the technical trades training
- **Tuition is paid** by the School District for most programs
- **Possibility of paid work** or an **apprenticeship** in the trades programs (16 credits)

Partnership Applications are due in by April 14, 2021.
See **Susan Martin**, Career Facilitator, for details and applications.
She can be reached at martin_susan@surreyschools.ca.

AUTOMOTIVE			AVIATION	
Auto Service Technician 20 credits - KPU	Collision & Refinishing Program 36 credits - VCC	Heavy Mechanical Trades Foundation 28 credits - VCC	Explorations in Aviation 20 credits - BCIT	
CONSTRUCTION TRADES				
Carpentry 20 Credits - KPU	Drafting/CAD 16 credits - KPU	Electrical 20 credits - BCIT	Horticulture 8 credits - KPU	Metal Fabrication 20 credits - BCIT
Millwright 20 credits - KPU	Painter 4 credits - FTIBC	Piping 24 credits - KPU	Welder 24 credits - KPU	
OTHER TRADES PROGRAMS		FOOD TRADE PROGRAMS		
Hairstylist 40 credits - Hairdressing School (NSLC)	Trades Sampler 16 credits - BCIT		Culinary Arts 20 credits - VCC	Baking & Pastry Arts 24 credits - VCC
OTHER				
Community & Public Safety Course 4 credits - NVIT	Educational Assistant Diploma Surrey Com. College	Headstart in Art Drawing Class P.S. Credit - Emily Carr	Intro to Health Science 4 credits - KPU	Intro to Legal Office Procedures 4 credits - KPU
Intro to Child & Youth Counselling 4 credits - Douglas	Tah-tul-ut Indigenous Education Assistant 4 credits - SFU			



Have a great
Easter weekend!

