

## Week May 29 – June 2, 2023

A reminder to grades eleven and twelve students and their parents to check the Career Centre Website Calendar often for date-specific information and Like and Follow Ms. Millar's Career Centre Facebook Page to receive notifications. See Post-Secondary Websites for the latest information and updates. There are many online/in-person information sessions for grades 10-12 students and their parents. Grade twelve students: Post -Secondary Application Portals open in October! See the post-secondary websites for details and watch for deadlines! Apply early to colleges and to universities by the deadlines. Most BC institutions use [EducationPlannerBC](#) (unless the post-secondary requires you to apply directly on their website e.g., BCIT). If so, you will be directed to make an [EducationPlannerBC](#) Account, select the post-secondary you wish to apply to, complete the application, and pay the post-secondary application fee to submit your application. Sign back in to add more institutions. After you apply, check post-secondary/email accounts often for communication, instructions, and deadlines! Remember to complete the [BC Ministry of Education Student Transcript Services Form](#) and also self-report marks if required so the institutions can access your marks/graduation. Contact the institution directly if you have any questions regarding your application.

### **MAY 30/23 BC Epilepsy Society Bursary Deadline**

Bursaries are awarded on-the-basis of building achievements and can be applied towards tuition, books, housing, or other academic expenses. To be eligible, a student must:

Financial need

Have a history of epilepsy

Be 16 years or older

Be a resident of BC

Be a Canadian citizen

Be current member of the BC Epilepsy Society (you can become a member of the BC Epilepsy Society by clicking here)

We offer five bursaries of \$500 every year.

For more information about these bursaries, please contact our office at 604-875-6704. To apply, please complete this form at: <https://bcepilepsy.com/bursaries/>

### **MAY 30/23 from 5-7 PM BCIT Sheet Metal Information Session at the Burnaby Campus**

The sheet metal trade consists of a wide variety of areas and includes the following: heating, ventilation, and air conditioning in residential, commercial and industrial settings.

Other specialized areas include stainless steel, industrial exhaust systems, architectural work and roofing and could involve working in a shop environment, on a job site or both. For program and admission information, visit: <https://www.bcit.ca/programs/sheet-metal-worker-foundation-certificate-full-time-2645cert/>

To register for the information session, visit: <https://www.bcit.ca/event/sheet-metal-info-session-8/>

### **MAY 31/23 ABCDE Student Scholarship Deadline**

Award two \$750 scholars, maximum one for each category.

Performance Theatre: This performing scholarship includes, but is not limited to, a focus on acting, as well as, singing and dancing. Behind the Scenes: This non-performing scholarship includes, but is not limited to, stage management, technical theatre, design/operation such as light/sound/props/costumes/choreography/writing/composition and event planning. For the application go

to: <http://www.bcdramateachers.com/abcde-student-scholarship.html>

### **MAY 31/23 Grace Family Network Foundation Scholarship**

3x\$500 scholarships are available. The Grace Family Network Foundation scholarship fund awards deserving high school graduates in financial need. The awards are intended to encourage students who are pursuing a post-secondary education and who have demonstrated not only academic achievement but also interest in their communities. Must be a resident of Metro Vancouver ([applicable municipalites](#)), currently registered in Grade 12

Criteria: students with outstanding academic and leadership achievements demonstrating financial need, evidence of enrolment or application to a post-secondary school in the 2023-2024 academic year. A one-page essay on "What are your ideas to reduce systemic bias and inequity in society?" Visit: <http://www.gfnf.org/>

### **MAY 31/23 Lisa Huus Bursary - deadline to apply**

Bursaries range from \$500- \$5,000 annually per recipient (depending on financial need), to assist persons with disabilities to undertake or continue their post-secondary education at an accredited post-secondary institution in British Columbia/Alberta. Bursaries may be used for items such as tuition fees, textbooks, equipment, transportation, residence and support worker costs. An applicant must:

-Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident.

-Be enrolled in an accredited college or university in British Columbia.

-Be a person with significant physical disabilities or ongoing health challenges, such as someone who: requires a personal attendant, is dependent on a mechanical device for mobility or maintenance of body functions, requires major continuing therapies OR have other significant special needs.

Applicants with mental health challenges are invited to apply only if they also have a significant physical disability.

Visit <https://islandkidsfirst.com/lisa-huus-bursary/> for more information on Bursary, eligibility requirements and the application process. Additionally, you can email [bursaries@islandkidsfirst.com](mailto:bursaries@islandkidsfirst.com) or call 250-940-4950 ext 106 to speak to a staff member about this opportunity.

### **MAY 31/23 11:59 PST Architecture Intensive Scholarship Deadline**

The Architecture Summer Intensive is a one-week enriched all-day program for teens ages 15-19 who are interested in the unique opportunity to work with leading architects while developing their portfolio and applied art practice. August 2023 exact dates to be announced shortly.

10:00 am-5:00 pm. For info and details go to:

<https://www.artsumbrella.com/programs/art/scholarship-programs/architecture-summer-teen-intensive/>

#### **MAY 31/23 Italian Cultural Centre Scholarship Deadline**

The Italian Cultural Centre has established four Scholarships to be granted annually to four Grade 12 students residing in Metro Vancouver. One of the applicant's parents must be of Italian heritage, and as well a member of the Italian Cultural Centre Society. The applicant will plan to attend a post-secondary institution where he or she must also be prepared to pursue Italian-language course work. Each scholarship is worth \$500.00. Consideration will be given to both male and female applicants.

The completed application form, a letter of reference, and a copy of the most recent report card must be submitted to Edda Onesti, ICC Italian School Administrator by May 31. Prior to being awarded the scholarship money, the recipient must provide evidence of his or her enrolment in a post-secondary institution.

For details go to: <https://italianculturalcentre.ca/school/wp-content/uploads/sites/5/2017/09/ICCS-Scholarship-Application-2018.jpg> For application go to: <https://italianculturalcentre.ca/school/wp-content/uploads/sites/5/2017/09/ICCS-Scholarship-Application-20181.jpg>

#### **MAY 31/23 John Deere Canada 4-H Scholarship 8:59 PST Deadline**

Through the generosity of John Deere Canada, 15 scholarships – valued at \$1,000 each – are available to 4-H members across Canada who plan to pursue a post-secondary education at a Canadian college or university in a degree, certificate or trade-based program in September 2023. One scholarship will be distributed in BC.

Applicants must be at least 16 years of age by January 1, 2023 and a current 4-H member in good standing. • Applicants must be Canadian residents in their final year of high school, CEGEP or an undergrad student planning to attend college or university in September 2023.

Applicants must be pursuing education in a degree, certificate or trade-based program. For guideline's and to apply go to: <https://4-h-canada.ca/scholarships>

#### **MAY 31/23 Luke Santi Memorial Award Deadline**

1x\$1,000 is being offered. To be eligible a student must: A) Have a minimum 80% average overall. B) Demonstrate a passion for physics outside of the normal academic environment (e.g. being a member of a local amateur astronomy club, etc).

Visit: [https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9961/luke\\_santi\\_memorial\\_award\\_scholarship.php](https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9961/luke_santi_memorial_award_scholarship.php)

#### **MAY 31/23 MADD Canada Youth Bursary Fund Deadline to Apply**

MADD Canada will offer one (1) bursary of \$10,000. The student with the highest score in honour of Louise Joanne Twerdy (see [link](#) for details) will be awarded the \$10,000 award. Additional \$5,000 awards will also be offered. Winning applicants may not reapply in subsequent years.

**Criteria:** MADD Canada's Bursary Program is open to Canadian citizens who have themselves been severely injured or who have had a parent (or legal guardian) or sibling killed or severely injured as a result of an impaired driving crash and who are enrolled in a full-time, ministry-approved, post-secondary educational program for fall 2023. Injuries must be catastrophic or severe and have had a significant impact on the applicants' lives. Proof of injury and relation to impaired driving will be required. For more details and to apply, see [link](#)

#### **MAY 31/23 8:59 PST McDonald's Canada Future of Agriculture 4-H Scholarship Deadline**

The McDonald's Canada Future of Agriculture 4-H Scholarship aims to recognize and support the next generation of Canadian Farmers. In partnership with McDonald's Canada, 4-H Canada is proud to offer eight (8) scholarships, valued at \$5,000 each, for senior 4-H members across Canada that aim to advance important work in sustainability through their education in agriculture. Applicants must be at least 16 years of age by January 1, 2023 and a current 4-H member in good standing. Applicants must be Canadian residents in their final year of high school, CEGEP, or a postsecondary student planning to attend college, university, or provincially recognized trade program in September 2023. Applicants must be pursuing an education in an agricultural-based program or pursuing an education that directly supports food security and the food system and value chain. Applicants must complete the online application form <https://4-h-canada.ca/scholarships>

#### **MAY 31/23 Mainstage Scholarships for High School Drama Students Deadline**

Theatre BC and the Mainstage Host Organizing Committee are pleased to announce a provincial scholarship opportunity for drama students throughout British Columbia. Theatre BC is offering ten (10) Mainstage Student Scholarships to be awarded to selected applicants. All students considering pursuing theatre in any form following high school are eligible to apply. Each scholarship includes an all-access 9 Day Festival Pass for the Mainstage event. It also includes a full-guided tour of the Mainstage Theatre, 2 "Backstage at Mainstage" professionally led courses (3 hours of instruction) of their choice, a face-to-face meeting with the festival adjudicator, and a ticket to the Final Night Awards Ceremony. For more information on the scholarship, please contact the Theatre BC Office. To apply for the scholarships, fill out the form and mail/fax to the Theatre BC Office: [MAINSTAGE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM](#)

#### **MAY 31/22 RRCF Rudder Reid Charitable Foundation Scholarship Deadline to Apply**

This scholarship is available to students facing financial need who are applying to college or university programs. A written statement that demonstrates the applicant's financial need is required, along with academic achievement, integrity, compassion, commitment, demonstrated community service, society needs, and good character. Visit: <https://scholartree.ca/scholarship/scholarship/aOnuYltqf>

#### **MAY 31/23 The Betty Spalton Scholarship Deadline to Apply**

This is a merit-based scholarship. 1x\$1,500 is to be used for study and living expenses. Criteria: Any student entering or continuing studies leading to a career in road building, road maintenance, or heavy construction. Program of study may be full-time or part-time at any BC college, University, technical or trades institute. All applicants must be Canadian citizens. Applications must include: A brief 250 – 500-word essay explaining interest in obtaining an education in the field and career goals, and a current resume. For more details and to apply, visit: <https://www.roadbuilders.bc.ca/BettySpalton/>

#### **MAY 31/23 Tony Marzitelli Memorial Scholarship Fund Deadline**

Tony Marzitelli served on the Board of Directors of the Italian Cultural Centre for 17 years until his unexpected passing in 2010. Tony Marzitelli was an avid sports fan, but also valued the importance of community involvement and post-secondary education. In memory of Tony Marzitelli, the Marzitelli family has established an annual \$500.00 scholarship fund to reward a worthy graduating student with an opportunity to assist in the pursuit of their academic dreams. For details and application go to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/18957/tony-marzitelli-memorial-scholarship-fund>

### **MAY 31/23 THE JESSIE RICHARDSON & SID WILLIAMS MEMORIAL Scholarships Deadline to Apply**

Theatre BC invites applications for its two annual \$1,000 scholarships named for two of Theatre BC's most fondly remembered pioneers who departed much of their lives to community theatre in British Columbia. Applicants must be accepted by a recognized Canadian Theatre School or post-secondary theatre department. BC Grade 12 students are invited to apply, stating the post-secondary schools to which they have applied. Applicants, or their parent(s), must be **current** members of Theatre BC. Recipients will be announced at the Annual Provincial Theatre Festival "MAINSTAGE" Awards Ceremony held in July. To apply for either the Jessie Richardson Scholarship or the Sid Williams Memorial Scholarship fill out the form below and mail or fax to the Theatre BC Office: [JESSIE RICHARDSON & SID WILLIAMS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM](#).

### **MAY 31/23 12 PM Spinal Cord Injury Canada Scholarships Deadline**

The Chopnick Hilliard Scholarship is open to any post-secondary student who has a spinal cord injury and who is living in Canada. There is one scholarship worth \$1,500.

The Sun Life Financial Scholarship is open to any post-secondary student with a spinal cord injury who is living in Canada and who is also a peer support volunteer with one of SCI/CPA corporate members. To be eligible, you will need a letter of support from your corporate member stating that you are a peer support volunteer. There is one scholarship worth \$1,500.

The Kirby Rowe Scholarship is established in memory of William Kirby Rowe, who provided outstanding and valued leadership throughout his career to advance access and inclusion for people with disabilities in Canada. One Kirby Rowe Scholarship of \$1,000 is available annually to a student with a spinal cord injury to pursue post-secondary education in fields related to management and leadership. Prior to submitting an application, you are asked to learn more about the illustrious career of Kirby Rowe by reading his short biography at: <https://sci-can.ca/about-kirby-rowe>. You are required to submit a letter addressing the following items: Your personal history and leadership experience to date; career aspirations as a leader; identification of an inspirational leader, and as well, highlight the qualities of that leader you aspire to develop. The Thomas O. Parker Scholarship supports a person who has applied for entry into a program or course with a Canadian post-secondary educational and/or training institution. The program or course must promote your career development. The financial assistance is for anticipated expenses associated with your participation in the program or course. Applicants must have a spinal cord injury, be a resident of Canada, and have officially and successfully graduated from a secondary school or equivalent. The scholarship is \$1,500.

Applicants must meet all of the following criteria to be eligible.

The applicant must be a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant.

The applicant must be attending, or will be attending, a recognized post-secondary institution in Canada.

The applicant has provided a copy of his/her most recent two years of transcripts. One letter of reference is required, recognizing the applicant's outstanding initiative, scholastic achievement and contributions to the community. For the Sun Life Financial Peer Support Scholarship, the applicant must be engaged as a peer volunteer with one of the SCI Canada Federation Corporate Members and MUST provide a letter of support from the organization.

To apply go to: <https://sci-can.ca/application-scholarship>

### **MAY 31/23 UBC Summer Science Program for Indigenous Students Entering Grades 9-12 Deadline to Apply**

Session 1: Students entering grades 11 & 12 - July 9 - July 15/23 and Session 2: Students entering grades 9 & 10 - July 16 - July 22/23. The Summer Science Program is a one-week cultural, health and science program for Indigenous First Nations, Inuit, or Métis ancestry students entering grades 9-12. Students will have the opportunity to stay in dorms at UBC, participate in cultural and health/STEM-related workshops, learn about careers, post-secondary prerequisites, and connect with Elders and Indigenous role models. Visit:

<https://health.aboriginal.ubc.ca/programming/summer-science/ubcssp/#:~:text=What%20is%20the%20Summer%20Science,the%20University%20of%20British%20Columbia>

To register, visit: [https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_9ta12NTOJlwwt06](https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9ta12NTOJlwwt06) or email the team at [summer.science@ubc.ca](mailto:summer.science@ubc.ca)

### **MAY 31/23 at 5 PM PT Ask University of Toronto Webinar**

U of T Advisors will be hosting an online information session and will be available to follow up with any questions you may have. Visit:

<https://apply.adm.utoronto.ca/portal/webcasts?id=f36f5f28-f921-4451-8370-9c43e5ea2c07>

### **JUN 1/23 Richmond Girls Softball Association Scholarship Deadline**

Richmond Girls Softball Association awards up to six scholarships to qualified applicants. To be eligible, a candidate must:

Have been registered or affiliated with RGSA for at least three (3) years, AND currently be affiliated as a player, umpire, coach or involved in administration work for softball under the jurisdiction of RGSA;

Be attending grade 12 and proceeding to a post-secondary institution approved by the Scholarship Committee;

Have a minimum "C+" average in his/her graduation requirements;

Demonstrate support of RGSA by worthwhile contributions and/or service in the areas of umpiring, coaching and/or administration of the game of softball; and demonstrate good citizenship, character and leadership both in school and in the community; Complete the application in full and provide all required information, documents and letters by the application deadline in order for their application to be considered. For application go to: <https://www.rgsa.ca/scholarships>

### **JUN 1/ 2023 Fraser Institute Student Essay Contest Deadline**

Top Prize \$1,500, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$1,000, 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize \$750 & 4<sup>th</sup> Prize \$500 Showcase your ideas on public policy by entering this essay competition. Winning essays may be published in the Fraser Institute journals and authors will have the opportunity to experience the peer review process. Essay Contest form: <https://www.fraserinstitute.org/education-programs/students/student-essay-contest-entry-form>

**JUN 1/23 UBC Deadline to Accept Offer and Pay Deposit - for some students Refer to your letter of admission):** <https://you.ubc.ca/applying-ubc/dates-deadlines/>

### **JUN 1/23 5 - 6 PM VCC Fashion Design Program Online Information Sessions via Zoom**

Fashion Design & Production Diploma, Fashion Design & Production Certificate, and Fashion Merchandising Certificate and admission requirements information will be covered. Attend an upcoming session to learn about the admissions requirements, unique fashion cycle classes, and career possibilities. To register for a session, visit: <https://www.vcc.ca/applying/apply-now/info-sessionstours/fashion-programs/>

**JUN 2/23 12-1 PM VCC Medical Device Reprocessing Technician Program Online Info Session via Zoom**

VCC's Medical Device Reprocessing Technician program provides students with the skills to prevent the spread of infection through the reprocessing and sterilization of reusable surgical equipment. Upon completion of this program, graduates will have acquired the knowledge and ability to demonstrate responsibility and accountability of Medical Device -Reprocessing (MDR) duties by performing duties in an ethical and legal manner to ensure patient safety. Learn about the program structure, admission requirements, hiring practices, employment opportunities, wages, benefits, hours, and more. To register for the session, visit: <https://www.vcc.ca/applying/apply-now/info-sessionstours/medical-device-reprocessing-technician/>

**JUN 3/23 from 1-2 PM SFU - STEM Speaker Series - What is Public Health and Why is it Important?**

This online session is for grades 8-12. Sign-up link: <https://websurvey.sfu.ca/survey/446158961>

Questions? Drop in or contact Ms. Millar to make an appointment [dmillar@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:dmillar@sd38.bc.ca)

Please include your name, grade, and which school you attend in your email – thanks! Ms. Millar