



FKSS Career Centre News



Advisor edition

December 17, 2007

CAREER PLANNING

- **WORKPLACE SAFETY VIDEO CONTEST – 2008**
Film a 60-second commercial – win cash prizes
www2.worksafebc.com
- **SKILLS CANADA COMPETITION – 2007/08**
A forum to bring together students, educators and industry to advocate, promote, and celebrate trade and technology skills and occupations.
www.skillscanada.bc.ca
- **UBC PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY “WELCOME ORIENTATION FOR WOMEN”** – female students in Grade 11 or 12 – Thurs, Jan 10, 11:00 – 4:00
www.phas.ubc.ca/wow
SIGN UP IN THE CAREER CENTRE TODAY!
- **EXPERIENCE THE WORLD 2008** – Georgia Hardy Tours. Earn BC credits towards your graduation program while studying and travelling abroad.
www.ghardytours.com
- **CANADA EDUCATION EXCHANGE FOUNDATION (CEEF)** – New information on 2008-2009 exchange programs. **Three-month Exchanges** & Summer Cultural Exchanges. Many of our students have enrolled in this excellent exchange.

WORK EXPERIENCE & JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Nick Collins Memorial Hockey Tournament – December 28, 29, 30th – Many **volunteers needed** from Dawn to Dusk. Help out with set up, 50/50 draw, running food, etc...

More information in the Career Centre

UNIVERSITY & COLLEGE INFORMATION

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS – connect creative writing with art studio practice for the first time in Canada. Four year degree program offered jointly by **University of Northern BC** and the **Emily Carr Institute of Art & Design**
www.unbc.ca/finearts

THE ART INSTITUTES

- Best Teen Chef Competition
 - Entry Deadline – February, 2008
 - Poster Design Competition
 - Entry Deadline - February 8, 2008
- More Information in the Career Centre**

GAS APPLIANCE SERVICE CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION – 2 month part time Certificate Program at Malaspina University-College Cowichan Campus. Basic math is a prerequisite. See poster on bulletin board outside the Career Centre for more information on fees and dates.

REMINDER

Advisors - pick up your Box of Portfolios to be kept in your area now.



Shad Valley

Welcome Students



Shad Valley is unlike anything you've encountered. It's a program of infinite possibilities... a place where you can meet challenges head-on, and

learn from the experience. You don't do it alone—you meet people with the same drive to excel that you have. You forge lifetime friendships, you work together with those friends, and you stretch the limits.

We have a number of academic cornerstones: **science, technology, entrepreneurship, engineering and mathematics**. Our lectures, labs, and workshops will help you enhance your knowledge and build skills. You'll also have the opportunity to invent a new product—or innovate an existing one—as a member

of a team working on an entrepreneurship project. SHAD programs take place at 12 universities across Canada. More info is in the Career Centre.

SD 79 students wanting to attend this amazing program can now apply for a scholarship to attend. More info on this financial assistance in the Career Centre.

Graduation Transition Plan (GTP):

- Mrs. Munday is available for support in block G in the Career Centre
 - **LG 1 - 80 Hours** (blue sheet) of physical Activity is handed in to your Advisor first then the Advisor sends to the Career Centre to be entered.
 - **LG 2 - 30 WE** (pink Sheet) is handed in to your advisor first then the Advisor sends to the Career Centre to be entered.
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Mrs. Munday and Ms. Sworder wish all Staff and Students a safe and relaxing holiday.