



Barrie North Guidance

Weekly Update

Check out the **ONTARIO UNIVERSITY & COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID AND ENTRANCE AWARDS LISTS**
Click the links above!



SCHOLARSHIP!



SEMESTER 2 IS ON ITS WAY!

All students should review their Semester 2 courses in their online Student Portal. If changes are needed, book a Guidance appointment as soon as possible.

MAYCOURT CLUB OF BARRIE SCHOLARSHIP

10 \$2000 Scholarships to be awarded

Criteria includes:

- entering a first-year program (university, college, arts or any other recognized educational program) who has demonstrated a combination of academic merit, involvement in school and community activities, and where the need for financial support has been established

*Students must qualify for OSAP to be eligible for the May Court Award.

[Learn More and Apply](#)

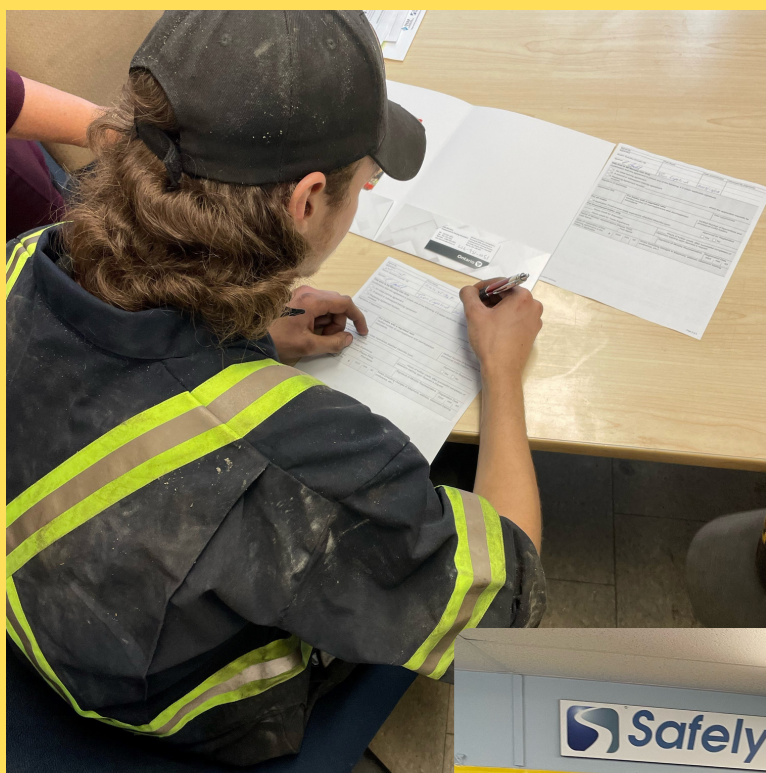


Congratulations!

Wow!

Barrie North's newest apprentice is grade 11 student Gavin Wright. Gavin, his employer, mom, and MLITSD representative registered him as a 310T Truck & Coach Technician.

Gavin's interest, motivation, and consistent attendance made securing an apprenticeship a straightforward process. As an apprentice he is also a postsecondary student now and has a defined learning/training plan in place where he could complete his trade in his early 20s.



Have questions about apprenticeships? See Mr. van Diepen in Room 222 or your Guidance Counsellor.

MNO Post-Secondary Education

STUDENT SUPPORT

Virtual Information Sessions Series

Indspire's Building Brighter Futures Program | January 10, 2024 | 6:30pm EST

Get Housed, Stay Housed | January 23, 2024 | 6:30pm EST

MNO Post-Secondary Education Program | February 7, 2024 | 6:30pm EST

Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP) | February 22, 2024 | 6:30pm EST

Attendees will receive a Student Activity Booklet in advance of the event filled with self-reflection, budgeting and school comparison information to help each student get the most out of planning for Post-Secondary transition, guiding them to find the right educational fit for their future. Applicants can choose to attend all sessions, or individual sessions.

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Post-Secondary Education Support Navigator
905-490-0574
HeatherC@metisnation.org

In addition, all registrants will be entered into a draw for our amazing door prizes!

Register by: **January 23, 2024**

Register here: bit.ly/49oKeqy



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SIMCOE YOUTH CHOIR

HILLCREST PUBLIC SCHOOL LIBRARY

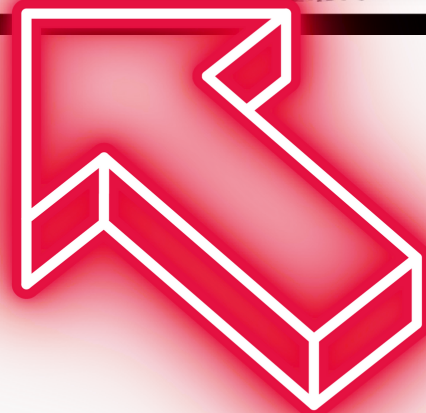


juniors grade 3-5
seniors grade 6-8

15-week program
starts Monday, Jan. 15th
\$75 or free

glowingheartscharity.org/simcoeyouthchoir
grade 9 & 10 vocal volunteers wanted

**VOLUNTEER
OPPORTUNITY!!!**



Indigenous Youth Conference



Indigenous Youth Conference (Grades 9-12)

Students will engage in workshops designed by community members as well as gain an opportunity to interact with Indigenous undergraduate STEM students with participants getting a glimpse of the STEM student experience. In addition to current Indigenous undergraduates, participants will also get to talk to Indigenous peoples who are currently working in the industry to discuss potential careers in STEM.

Conference Date & Time:

April 06, 2024 (Saturday) | 10:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Theme:

Traditional Knowledge & STEM: The Future for Indigenous Youth

get a glimpse of what our programs are like, and check out some photos below from our most recent in-person program!

Register Here

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ONTARIO VETERINARY COLLEGE'S 14TH ANNUAL PROGRAM



Discover Vet School gives students the opportunity to experience a day in the life of a veterinary student here at the Ontario Veterinary College. We are offering 2 days of unique labs and lectures both in person and **NEW** this year, a virtual option!

Dates

Lectures

Labs *(in person only)*

Day 1

Saturday January 20th
8:15AM - 4:45PM (EST)
Location: In-person on
OVC campus OR Virtually

- Anatomy
- Day in the life of an aquatic vet
- Toxicology
- Large animal welfare

- Small animal emergency procedures
- Small and large animal skills with models
- Small animal and avian bandaging

Day 2

Saturday March 2nd
8:15AM - 4:45PM (EST)
Location: In-person on
OVC campus OR Virtually

- Large animal herd health
- Small animal surgery
- Life as a large animal practitioner
- Wildlife medicine

- Suturing
- Exotics handling
- Biopsy, fine needle aspiration, and blood smears



REGISTRATION OPTIONS

Register Today! ->

<http://discovervetschool.square.site/register>

A) One (1) Day

B) Two (2) Days

In Person **\$135**

In Person **\$235**

Virtual **\$75**

Virtual **\$150**

HOLIDAY OFFERS!

Only available until Dec. 31 at 11:59PM
Offers for in-person **ONLY**

A) One (1) Day

B) Two (2) Days

ONLY \$115

ONLY \$215



ONTARIO
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Post-Secondary Important Dates 2023-2024



College

[Click here](#) to find a map of all Ontario Colleges .

Learn about College Open Houses and virtual tours [here](#).

September 30, 2023

The online application is available at ontariocolleges.ca. The fee is \$125. The application fee includes up to 5 program choices (no more than 3 at any one college); the programs must start within the same academic year (August to July)

The Ontario College Fair (OCF)

Enercare Centre - Hall B, Exhibition Place, Toronto

- Wednesday, October 18 – 5p.m. - 9p.m.
- Thursday, October 19– 9a.m. - 2p.m.

[Click here](#) to learn more.

February 1, 2024

The deadline for applying to highly competitive programs. Applications received and paid for before this date will be given equal consideration by the colleges.

NOTE: Applicants for all programs are encouraged to apply before this date, as website volumes are highest at this time.

May 1, 2024

The most common deadline for confirming offers of admission - but not the only one. Applicants should check their offers of admission for exact deadline dates.

June 1, 2024

The earliest date that colleges may require payment of tuition fees.

Workplace

Planning to work next year?

Get in touch with the Career Centre at the Bayfield Mall (320 Bayfield Street)

- 705-725-8990, ext. 45200
- info@barriecareercentre.com
- www.barriecareercentre.com

Youth Job Connection

Get paid while receiving training in employment skills and learn how to apply to jobs. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Apprenticeships in Ontario

[Click here](#) to learn all about apprenticeships in the Trades!

Plan on taking a Gap year next year? [Click here](#) to learn more about what that might be like.

University

OUAC (Ontario University Application Centre) has launched the [Ontario Universities' Info](#) with updated information for 2024 admission. **Applications are NOW OPEN!**

CENTRAL Regional University Fair

November 16th, 2023 10am & 5pm
Nottawasaga Inn Resort & Conference Centre, Alliston

[Click here](#) to learn more.

Ontario Universities' Fair (OUF)

October 21-22, 2023, from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm Metro Toronto Convention Centre
[Click here](#) to learn more.

Ontario Universities Virtual Information Sessions

Tuesday, September 26th
Wednesday, November 22nd
5-7pm

[Click here](#) to learn more.

January 15, 2024

The deadline for Ontario high school students to submit their completed applications to OUAC.

May 29, 2024 The latest date all high school applicants who submitted their application by the January application deadline can expect a response from an Ontario university.

June 3, 2024

The earliest date an Ontario high school student may be required to respond to an Ontario university offer of admission and give a financial commitment (e.g., registration deposit, residence deposit, etc.).