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## Student Bulletin

**Date: Tues. June 9th, 2026**

Student First Aid: Reena Redden and UMBER Sangha

| <p>Jun 12<br/>Mr. Rolph</p>      | <p>Hey Lions, did you know that next week is <b>SUMMER SPIRIT WEEK</b> (June 8th-12th)</p> <p><i>Tuesday</i> is time Capsule Wall, visit the Upper Commons and leave advice for incoming Grade 8 students.</p> <p><i>Wednesday</i> is Jersey Day, come to school with your favourite jersey.</p> <p><i>Thursday</i> is LIONFEST! our annual Year End Carnival, join us for free hot dogs, games, entertainment, and an incredible prize draw.</p> <p><i>Friday</i> is BMSS Royalty Day. Watch for Student Council members at lunch, you may be crowned BMSS Royalty!</p>  |                                  |  |               |  |            |                    |
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| <p>Jun 9<br/>Mr. Look</p>        | <p>"For those taking Leadership 9-12 NEXT YEAR, please join Ms. Vangelista and Mr. Look in the Library at Lunch for a short meeting on <i>Tuesday June 9th</i>"</p>   |                                  |  |               |  |            |                    |
| <p>June 9<sup>th</sup></p>       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b><u>Student Recognition Award Recipients</u></b> have now been posted on the the library window.</li> <li>➤ If your name is on the list, congratulations!</li> <li>➤ You will be receiving the award!</li> <li>➤ The specific award you receive will be revealed during the ceremony.</li> <li>➤ The award ceremony will be held next Tuesday, <i>June 9:</i></li> <li>➤ Grade 8 – 9 @ 6:00 pm</li> <li>➤ Grade 10 – 11 @ 7:15pm</li> <li>➤ Emails were sent to recipients' parents last week.</li> <li>➤ Congratulations to all recipients!</li> </ul>  |                                  |  |               |  |            |                    |
|                                  | <p><b><u>Student Council 2026-2027:</u></b></p> <p>Thank you so much to everyone who applied. This year's group of applicants was outstanding and made the selection process extremely competitive and challenging this year. We hope that those who applied but were not successful in getting a position will find other opportunities to leave your mark and reapply again.</p> <p>Having said that, we are proud and excited to announce next year's student council members. See a full list in the bulletin or on Mr. Rolph's door in room 213.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="326 2225 1463 2368"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"><b>Student Council 2026-2027</b></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">Co-presidents</td> <td>1. <b>Baran Hosseini</b><br/>2. <b>Hazel Li</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Treasurer:</td> <td>3. <b>Mandy Ji</b></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | <b>Student Council 2026-2027</b> |  | Co-presidents | 1. <b>Baran Hosseini</b><br>2. <b>Hazel Li</b> | Treasurer: | 3. <b>Mandy Ji</b> |
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| Secretary:                         | 4. <b>Meher Singh</b>   |
| Events Coordinators (2)            | 5. <b>Yuna Koh</b><br>6. <b>Yuna Lee</b>  |
| Social Media:                      | 7. <b>Caitlyn Yeo</b><br>8. <b>Kaitlyn Li</b>                                       |
| Physical marketing / Art direction | 9. <b>Norah Boundardjian</b><br>10. <b>Nelli Tsybulnyk</b>                          |
| Spirit Coordinators                | 11. <b>Jasmin Bitaraf</b><br>12. <b>Ashton Howard</b>                               |
| Clubs and community Coordinator    | 13. <b>Tony Zhang</b>   |
| Health and wellness:               | 14. <b>Josefina Perez Yulis</b>   |
| Diversity ambassador               | 15. <b>Maryam Shaaban</b>   |
| Student engagement coordinator     | 16. <b>Kishin Kullar</b><br>17. <b>Jade Lai</b>                                     |
| Talent coordinator                 | 18. <b>Christine Chiou</b>  |
| Technical Director                 | 19. <b>Matteo Dominelli</b><br>20. <b>Tristan Kelloway</b>                          |
| ELL / International Representative | 21. <b>Valentina Quispe</b>   |
| Indigenous Representative          | 22. <b>TBA</b>  |
| Grad co-chairs                     | 23. <b>Kenisha Sharma</b><br>24. <b>Sophia Tomkow</b><br>25. <b>Sofia Malabanan</b> |
| Grade 11 Representative            | 26. <b>Michael Oki</b><br>27. <b>Anay Srivastava</b>                                |
| Grade 10 Representative            | 28. <b>Katherine Mincheva</b><br>29. <b>Hannah Park</b>                             |
| Grade 9 Representative             | 30. <b>Ava Shojaei</b><br>31. <b>Zoe Johnstone</b>                                  |
| Grade 8 Rep                        | 32. <b>TBA</b><br>33. <b>TBA</b>  |
| Members at Large                   | 34. <b>Milena Torres</b><br>35. <b>Marawan Shaaban</b><br>36. <b>Yousif Mohamad</b> |



### **Work Experience Opportunities (gr. 10 - 12 only)**

(Yes – these all count for work experience hours – make sure you get paperwork from the Career Centre BEFORE you go)

#### **Seaforth Elementary School Summer Session**

Seaforth Elementary School is seeking volunteers to assist with their summer school classes July 2 - 17. Sign up for full days (8:30 am - 3:30 pm) or half days (8:30 am - 12:30 pm) for one or multiple weeks. If you want to gain some experience assisting in an elementary school classroom during the summer, come by the Career Centre to sign up.

#### **Vancouver Food Bank – Winston Street Location (near Costco)**

Sign up to volunteer at the Winston Street warehouse – help sort the hundreds of donations that arrive at the food bank every day. Students can assist with Produce Packing (Mon - Fri 5 – 8pm) and Food Distribution (Friday 3 – 8pm) The commitment period is June to September. Minimum shifts: 2 per month. Accepted applicants will be invited to an orientation session – Date TBD. Applications open June 1st. <https://foodbank.bc.ca/volunteer/individual-volunteers/>

#### **Christine Sinclair Community Centre Summer Camps**

Volunteers are needed for the City of Burnaby kids summer camps at Christine Sinclair Community Centre. Shift times: Monday 8:15am-3:15pm. Tuesday-Friday 8:30am-3:15pm. Camps run July 6 – September 4th. Duties include : Help the Day Camp Leader set up and take down crafts and games. • Greet children as they arrive at camp. • Encourage and include all children who need help to participate in activities • Help the leaders on out-trips and with other camp activities. • Contribute to activity planning and evaluation by suggesting ideas for activities and giving feedback to the Camp Leader. • Sign in and sign out so that your volunteer hours will be counted. • Participate in volunteer performance evaluation. For more info and to sign up come to the Career Centre.

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## Code Ninja's

Code Ninjas Coquitlam (1130 Austin Ave) is looking for volunteers for their "Learn to Code" program for kids. This is a great opportunity to get experience in a computer science industry. Afterschool, Saturday, and Summer shift are available. The next orientation will be on June 12th at 5:30pm at Code Ninja's. Sign up in the Career Centre.

## Camp Madawaska

Volunteers needed for City of Burnaby summer camp for kids at Warner Loat Park in Burnaby (near Government Rd). Minimum 1 week commitment – July or August. Camp runs Monday to Thursday. Volunteers will assist with games and activities at this outdoor camp. For more info and to sign up come to the Career Centre.

Auragami Club – Origami at the Coquitlam Public Libraries

Volunteers are needed for two Auragami Club events this summer: Wednesday August 5 at the Poirier Branch. Nancy Bennett room, 1:30 - 4:00PM and Thursday August 6 at the City Center Branch, 136 and 137 rooms, 1:30-4:00PM. No previous experience needed. Sign up in the Career Centre.

Low Entropy Thrift Store – Burnaby Plaza

We are looking for enthusiastic and friendly volunteers to support us in person to operate our thrift store. You will perform a wide range of duties from customer service to sorting donations and organizing the store. Most volunteers work one shift per week. To apply go to : <https://app.betterimpact.com/PublicOrganization/4d580166-d7db-4d55-a867-aabdd6b15b6e/Gvi/72493870-bf25-4090-a5cc-7a927752e6bf/1>

## Burnaby Open Tennis Tournament

Volunteers are needed for the annual Burnaby Open Tennis Tournament June 20 & 21 and 28 & 29. There is an orientation on Saturday, June 6th from 10:00 to 11:00am. Volunteer duties include : Escorting players to their court, Timing warmup time, Refilling water bottles, Setting up / packing up booths and Checking players in. Volunteer shifts run : Morning shifts: 7:30 AM to 11:30 AM / Midday shifts: 11:30 AM to 5:30 PM / Evening shifts: 5:30 PM to 11:00 PM The tournament is at the Burnaby Tennis Club : 3890 Kensington Ave, Burnaby. To sign up drop by the Career Centre.

Environmental Guardian (VIVA EG) Community Clean-Up Event

The VIVA EG group organizes community clean-up events around local Burnaby schools and surrounding communities. The goal is to encourage local community members, students and families to participate in environmental protection and community engagement activities together. VIVA EG is looking for interested volunteers to assist with upcoming events scheduled for June 14 & 20 and July 5, 12, 18 & 25. For more info and to sign up come to the Career Centre.

## PedalHeads

Our Junior Instructor program (volunteer program) accepts applicants who are interested in gaining experience in children's recreation by volunteering at our spring break bike camps. There are camp locations in Burnaby (Brentwood Park Alliance Church) Coquitlam (Como Lake Queen of All Saints School and Pinetree – Robson Park) and more. Our bike camps concentrate on bike safety and skills for kids ages 2 -12. We have 6 levels teaching everything from training wheels to trail riding. Each level includes 5 learning categories: safety knowledge, safety skills, trail riding, street riding, and bike maintenance. Volunteers will be paired up with an experienced instructor. For more information pick up a handout in the Career Centre. To apply go to: <https://www.jotform.com/253527193926263>. Please note that applying does not guarantee a spot. We will email you to confirm your application to be a volunteer.

## Place des Arts – Summer Fun Program

Place des Arts is seeking summer work experience students for our visual and performing arts camps: Our Summer Fun! program runs for six weeks from July 6 – August 14, 2026, and offers a variety of visual and performing arts camps. We are seeking responsible, caring, and committed volunteers with an interest in working with children, ages 5-12 years. Experience working with children 5-12 years old, (ie. babysitting, daycare, volunteering with elementary schools and other children's programs) is preferred. Shifts are daily (Monday-Friday) and you can choose between: 8:30am-12:50pm / 11:45am-4:00pm / 8:30am-4:00pm. Minimum 2 week commitment. For more info and to apply go to: <https://placedesarts.ca/volunteer/summer-volunteers/> Deadline to apply is June 20th.

## Royal Soccer Day Camps

The Royal Soccer Club (RSC) is a non-profit, community organization who has hosted unique soccer camp experiences in Burnaby, New Westminster and Coquitlam. Camps operate Monday to Friday from June 29 until September 4, 2026. Volunteers can apply for: morning sessions 8:30am – 12:30pm, afternoon sessions 12:30pm – 4:30pm or full day sessions Mon-Fri, 8:30am – 4:30pm. Minimum volunteer time is one week. Volunteers at our summer day camps may assist staff with coaching and supervising children at camp and help with equipment collection and maintenance. For more info go to: <https://royalsoccerclub.com/employment/jobs/british-columbia/>. To apply go to : <https://royalbc.campbrainstaff.com/> Pick up a handout in the Career Centre for more details

## Burnaby Farmers Market

We want YOU! Exciting volunteer opportunities await! The AFMS is a non-profit organization with a plan to provide local communities with locally grown foods, farm products, and other locally made products. Come hang out with us! We

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stand by the three F's- Fun, Friends and Food! :) Burnaby Farmers Market - Saturdays, May 10th - Oct 18th 9am - 2pm - 4949 Canada Way (Parking lot of Burnaby City Hall) Shift #1) 7:15am - 11:30am - Set Up Shift (set up signage, tents, table, chairs and manage traffic flow. Other duties as assigned) Shift #2) 11:30am - 3pm - Tear down Shift (starting at the Info Tent you will engage with the public and then help with taking down signage, tents, tables and chairs and directing traffic out of the site.). To apply go to : <https://tinyurl.com/337ann7d>

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## **Coquitlam & Port Moody Summer Farmers Market**

The Coquitlam and Port Moody Farmers Markets are currently looking to fill all volunteer positions for the 2026 Farmers Market season (May – October) including Set up, Take down, Kid's Power of Produce tent and our Kid's Craft Tent. Please go to the volunteer application, linked below, and indicate your availability and the position(s) you are interested in. We will be in touch if we have volunteer shifts to offer you. To apply go to: <https://www.makebakegrow.com/volunteer-application>

## **Theatre Under the Stars**

Theatre Under the Stars (TUTS) is an outdoor summer theatre at Malkin Bowl in Stanley Park. TUTS has always depended on the hard work and dedication of our volunteer team! Over 200 members contribute their time, energy, and skills to make each season a great success! We require energetic, committed individuals to help in the front of house: ushering, taking tickets, greeting, and staffing the coffee bar and bar. We also recruit for our backstage crew, but this is a larger time commitment and may require experience. Perks of volunteering include complimentary tickets to a TUTS production, work experience hours, weekly prizes, and a wonderful summer of fun in Stanley Park! For more info and to apply go to: <https://tuts.ca/programs-and-rentals/volunteer/>

## **Burnaby Central Railway**

The Burnaby Central Railway is one of Burnaby's most popular and beloved attractions, offering miniature train rides to the public. The railway is open to the public from Easter to Thanksgiving on weekends and stat holidays. We are looking for student volunteers aged 14 +. Previous experience not required, but a positive attitude is a must. A second language is an asset. Learn more at [bcsme.org](http://bcsme.org). Shifts may be half day or full day, 10am – 5:30pm. Volunteer tasks include marshalling the passengers, loading trains, crossing guard attendant, general help and non-operating day help with grounds maintenance and site operations. To apply email : [communications@bcsme.org](mailto:communications@bcsme.org). Send you first & last name, school name, and ask when the next orientation will take place.

## **PoMo Museum – Program, Event, Marketing, Landscaping, Collections & Maintenance Positions**

The PoMo Museum is located near Rocky Point Park in Port Moody. The museum preserves and celebrates the heritage and historical town site of IOCO. Volunteers support the museum from cleaning and organizing gallery space, gardening & landscaping, assisting with programs & events, and promoting the museum. Volunteer positions include: birthday event assistant, museum event assistant, landscaping assistant, gardening assistant, content creator marketing, activity creation, event planning assistant, archives & collections assistant and museum maintenance. For more information go to : <https://www.pomo.museum/volunteers-1> Click the Volunteer Package Information link for more details or pick up a handout in the Career Centre.

## **Invasive Species Council of Metro Vancouver (ISCMV) Invasive Plant Removal – Burnaby**

Join us and help protect and restore Burnaby's beautiful Burnaby Mountain and other Burnaby Parks! Volunteers are needed to remove invasive species. This event is free and open to all community members, including families & youth. Participants do not need to be City of Burnaby residents. No experience is necessary. The even will be led by an experts from the Invasive Species Council of Metro Vancouver. Volunteers will be provided with instruction, gloves, refreshments, and all the required tools. Upcoming invasive plant removals and Native Species Planting date and locations : Burnaby Mountain: July 3, 10am-12pm / Central Park:, June 13, August 29, September 19, October 3, November 7 10am – 12pm / Deer Lake Park: May 30 10am – 2pm, June 12 & July 31 6pm – 8pm / Robert Burnaby Park: July 24, September 18 & November 14, 10am-12pm. For more info go to: <https://iscmv.ca/events/> To sign up go to : <https://tinyurl.com/4tctjukp>

## **New Vista – Seniors Care Home**

New Vista is a Seniors Care Home located in Burnaby (near Edmonds Community Centre). They are looking for volunteers Monday to Thursday evenings, and Sunday morning & afternoons, to help with their social and recreational programs. This is a fantastic work experience for anyone interested in health care. To sign up come to the Career Centre. \*Specifically seeing volunteers who can speak Korean\*

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## **Lucky's Doggy Daycare**

Do you like dogs? Would you like to work and play with LOTS of dogs? Lucky's Doggy Daycare is looking for volunteers. They are located a short walk from Gilmour Skytrain Station in Burnaby. Check out their website for more info: <https://www.luckysdaycare.com/>. They currently have weekday and weekend volunteer placements available (Monday to Friday 3:30 – 6:30pm / Saturday or Sunday 10am – 2pm or 2pm - 6pm). Students volunteer one day per week, for 6 – 8 weeks. We also have one week summer placements available. You must be comfortable around large groups of dogs of all types and sizes. If you are interested, please stop by the Career Centre to sign up.

## **Invasive Species Youth Environmental Program**

Do you want to make an impact in your community, but don't know where to start? Join the Invasive Species Council of BC Youth Program and help prevent the spread of invasive species and help keep ecosystems healthy. Learn how to engage the public and build an effective team, gain experience in project management and budget building, get access to training opportunities in habitat restoration, invasive species management, leadership, and more! Design and lead your own community project or join another one and have your project funded – up to \$5,000 available per project. Connect with youth across Canada and grow your network while gaining practical, hands-on work experience in a safe and inclusive space. To apply you must be 15-30 years old and have Canadian citizenship, permanent resident status, or refugee status. To apply go to: <https://bcinvasives.ca/take-action/community-science/youth-team/>

## **Golden Spike Days**

Golden Spike Days is looking for enthusiastic, reliable volunteers to help us bring one of the oldest and longest running family events in BC back to Port Moody from June 27 & 28. The festival is held at Rocky Point Park around Canada Day, attracting upwards of 40,000 people with live entertainment, special events and activities for all ages. We are seeking volunteers for set up and tear down, to greet people at the main gates, supervise bike valet and parking, man the information booth, bus tables, man booths and rides etc. Volunteer shifts run Friday June 26 at 1pm to Sunday June 28 at 10pm. To apply go to : <https://goldenspike.ca/volunteers-Signup>

## **Vancouver Art Gallery**

Are you interested in art? Are you curious about what goes on behind the scenes at the Vancouver Art Gallery? You can now join their friendly and dedicated team of Gallery Volunteers! Volunteers are an integral part of the visitor experience at the Vancouver Art Gallery. To register for an info session, visit <https://www.vanartgallery.bc.ca/volunteer> Volunteers must be 16 yrs+.

## **BC Dumpling Festival - Asian Arts and Culture Society**

The 5th Annual BC Dumpling Festival will take place on Saturday, August 15th at Town Centre Park in Coquitlam, 11am to 8 pm. It is a family-friendly multicultural event and the organizers are looking for students 15 years and older to join their team! You can register here: <https://www.bcdumplingfest.ca/volunteer>

## **Fine Arts Summer Camps at the Shadbolt Centre and Christine Sinclair Centre**

These are great opportunities for students who are interested in arts or education. Volunteers must be energetic, outgoing, and willing to engage with instructors and kids. Minimum commitment is one week. Camps run July 6 – August 21. You must first sign up as a volunteer through Better Impact. Use this link to create an account: <https://app.betterimpact.com/PublicOrganization/b6bdc07e-4c9d-44e7-aac8-d2dd9672f878/1>. Once your application has been approved you will be able to sign-up to volunteer at their various summer camps. After you have confirmed a specific volunteer position please stop by the Career Centre to pick up paperwork, so you can record this for work experience hours.

## **Burnaby Hospice Society Thrift Store**

6843 Kingsway, Burnaby - Volunteers perform a wide range of duties from sorting and pricing donations and checking electronics and small appliances to helping customers or being a cashier or wrapper. To apply go to: <https://www.burnabyhospice.org/form/thrift-store-volunteer-form>

## **Eastside Opportunities Summer Camp at Second Street Community School**

Summer Fun is a day camp for children ages 5 to 11 years old. We provide children with a day filled with activities, crafts, swimming, field trips and most of all FUN! Volunteers are expected to support their group leaders in running games, crafts, cooking activities and supervising children on group/camp wide field trips. Students aged 15 and up are welcome to volunteer and can choose whichever week(s) work best for their schedule. We simply ask that they commit to the full week, Monday to Friday from 8:45 AM – 3:15 PM. To apply go to : <http://bit.ly/43FJ5c9>

## **Career Exploration Work Experience (Pay to attend Programs)**

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### **SFU - INVENT THE FUTURE: High School AI Camp**

Invent the Future, a two-week summer camp that invites high school students to learn how to build real, working web applications using the same tools that professional developers use today: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and modern AI coding assistants. Open to students entering Grades 9-12. Students graduating Grade 12 in June 2026 are welcome to join as well. The camp runs July 20-31, 2026 | 10:00 am - 3:00 pm. If you register by June 30, the reduced fee is \$300 for the 2-week camp. (Fully funded scholarships are available for Indigenous and Black youth as well as bursaries for the general public). Register at: <https://sciencealive.ca/invent-the-future-2026>

### **SFU - A BYTE OF TECH: High School One Day Camps**

Come take a bite of tech and get a taste of the different flavours of computing science and engineering! These workshops are designed to be introductory and help students gain skills into areas they may not be familiar with, or just to find what aspect of tech they may enjoy. See what the world of tech has to offer in these 1 day summer camps! Open to students entering Grades 9-12. Students graduating Grade 12 in June 2026 are welcome to join as well. Camps run June 29 - July 10, 2026 & Aug. 17-21, 2026. Cost: \$65 - \$95. More info on the website. To register go to: <https://sciencealive.ca/byte>

### **Healthcare Horizons – BCIT ONLINE Virtual Program**

Healthcare Horizons: Career Exploration is a first-of-its-kind, fully online, healthcare career exploration course for BC high school students. This competency-based course introduces students in grades 10 to 12 to diverse healthcare career pathways while building foundational knowledge of Canada's healthcare system and essential workplace skills. Through guided self-assessment, exploration of five healthcare career clusters, and interactive learning activities, students develop career clarity alongside core competencies in patient-centred care, professionalism, communication, clinical safety, health information literacy, and healthcare technology, culminating in a personalized education and career action plan. An optional one-day immersive experience will be offered at BCIT's Health Sciences Centre in Burnaby, where students will tour state-of-the-art facilities, participate in hands-on activities, and connect with instructors and current students. The program runs June 29 - July 6. Cost for the program is \$298.46 + taxes. For more info and to apply go to : <https://www.bcit.ca/courses/healthcare-horizons-career-exploration-hlth-1000/>

### **Emily Carr University –Summer Institute for Teens**

Summer Institute for Teens (SIT) is an immersive, month-long art and design program that provides unique, hands-on learning experiences for young creatives. Each student selects a studio concentration, from painting and illustration to animation, industrial design and more, and develops their practice through four weeks of immersive, creative learning. With expert guidance, students expand their portfolios, connect with peers and celebrate their achievements in a public exhibition. Tuition cost \$2,713.20. For more info and to apply go to : <https://ecuad.ca/youth-programs/summer-teen-programs/summer-institute-for-teens/#SIT-Courses>

### **Science World – Future Science Leaders**

*Future Science Leaders*, presented by Acuitas Therapeutics, is a 26-week after-school program which runs between September and April. It provides hands-on experience, expert mentorship, and access to leading-edge companies to explore STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art & design, and math) beyond the classroom. Participants dive into experiential STEAM learning, guided by expert mentors and surrounded by like-minded peers. The cost for the program is \$1450 + GST. Participants present their projects at two Science World events, attend local conferences, and gain access to networking and alumni opportunities. With personalized reference letters and skill-building experiences, FSL is a powerful investment in curiosity, confidence, and a future in STEAM. For more info and to apply go to : <https://www.scienceworld.ca/futurescienceleaders/>

### **Geneskool Summer Science Program**

Join us for hands-on molecular biology and biochemistry experiments, exciting guest speakers and more at Geneskool's summer program for high school students. This year the program will run August 17 – 21 at Capilano University. Students can gain hands-on lab experience investigating a scientific marvel turned mystery using biotechnology, genomics, fibre, blood typing, microbiology and microscopy. Fellow scientists, grab your lab coat and join us! Spaces are limited. Register today! Registration fee: \$350 (bursaries available) to apply go to : <https://events.genomebc.ca/geneskool-ssp2026>

### **Vancouver Film School –Summer Intensive**

Join us on-campus in Vancouver this summer for five-day intensive workshops in Film, Animation, Acting, Game Design, Digital Design, Writing, and Makeup Design. You'll enhance your technical & creative skillset, begin crafting your career portfolio, get a taste of our full-time creative arts programs, and try something new in a true studio environment. Vancouver Film School summer workshops are taught by experienced professionals who are actively working in and

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shaping the creative industries. Sign up for the area you are interested in exploring. Price varies per workshop – see specific workshops for prices. Dates: July 6 – August 14, 2026, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. each day. To register go to: <https://vfs.edu/programs/summer-intensives> Don't forget to arrange for paperwork with the Career Centre so you can count this for work experience hours. You must get paperwork BEFORE you attend.

## **Career Exploration and Leadership Development**

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### **BCIT – ACE Microcredential in Architecture, Construction & Engineering**

The ACE Microcredential is a unique educational program designed to introduce young adults to the fields of architecture, construction management, engineering and related fields (referred to as the ACE sector). ACE Microcredential students participate in a “Summer Intensive” from July 6 – August 20th, in-person at BCIT’s Burnaby Campus. Students will be introduced to skills, concepts and terminologies used in these sectors, participate in site visits, work on both physical and digital models, and hear from leaders in these professions. Topics covered in the ACE Microcredential include introductions to digital modeling, construction project management, communication and professionalism, and building technology literacy. Students take part in classroom learning, field trips and hands on activities. The ACE Microcredential is especially relevant for young adults who are not sure what career they want to pursue and perhaps didn't think they would be able to go to post-secondary. The program is FREE as tuition is currently fully funded by the BC Workforce Innovation Fund. For more info and to apply stop by the Career Centre.

### **Lower Mainland Green Team**

Looking for a constructive way to improve the health of our environment? Want to support your own health and be part of a community? Green Teams of Canada (GTC) invites community, particularly youth, to engage in hands-on environmental action projects to: Develop a sense of belonging to community and place, connect to nature, cultivate leadership skills, and learn about environmentally responsible actions. For more info about Green Team Lower Mainland, and to sign up for upcoming invasive species removals, park clean-ups, and other events, go to : <https://greenteamscanada.ca/locations/lower-mainland-green-team/>

### **MINERVA – Rise and Shine Mental Health Program**

Rise and Shine is an online program designed for self-identifying girls and gender-diverse youth ages 15-24. Participants learn and practice strategies to strengthen their mental and emotional wellness and shine their brightest. This program consists of five sessions developed by mental health experts, giving participants the opportunity to connect with supportive peers and mentors in a safe, non-judgmental space. Throughout the program, youth will explore topics related to mental and emotional wellness, develop resilience, and build meaningful connections. The program runs virtually over zoom from 10 – 11:30am on the following dates: July 27 – 31, 2026. Our youth program is free of cost to participants thanks to our generous funders who believe in empowering youth wellness. To apply go to : <https://minervabc.ca/brochure/rise-and-shine-summer-2026/>

### **Rise Up! Strengthening Food Systems and Environmental Stewardship Program**

Are you interested in food, the environment, or making a real impact in your community? Through the Rise Up! Strengthening Food Systems and Environmental Stewardship program, you'll have the chance to discover and grow your passion for food systems, the planet, and your community. You don't need to be an expert or have prior experience, just bring your curiosity and willingness to learn! Rise Up! is funded in part by Canada Service Corps and is designed specifically for youth aged 15–30. Youth volunteers will be required to commit a total of 120 hours within 12 months, which will include the following: Hands-on volunteer service placement with host organization (40-60 hours); 1-day regional gathering in summer 2026, and a 4-day provincial retreat in fall 2026 (40-50 hours). There is no cost to you for accommodation, travel, and food. Self-paced learning modules, webinars, personal reflections, and check-ins (20-30 hours) Applications for the Spring 2026 cohort are currently accepted (until all placements have been filled). For more info and to apply go to : <https://riseup-phabc.ca/youth-volunteers/>

### **S.U.C.C.E.S.S. Community Leadership Initiative**

The Community Leadership Initiative (CLI) program empowers youth to design and lead their own civic engagement projects that promote inclusivity and reconciliation. We aim to support participants as they gain a better understanding of themselves and the needs of their communities through interactive workshops and field trips. Eligibility - Canadian Citizen, Permanent Resident or Refugee Status / Ages 15-30 / Commitment to the 10-month program. For more info and to apply go to : <https://successbc.ca/cli>

### **UBC Medicine Youth Outreach Mentorship Program**

This program connects high school students, especially those who come from equity deserving and underrepresented populations who have an interest in medicine, with UBC medical students to learn more about university life, self-care, and the application process for UBC medical school. Learn more at <https://mdprogram.med.ubc.ca/admissions/before->

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[you-apply/md-ambassador-outreach-program/](#). Students can apply at [https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_cTsW47ErtAzYAyW](https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_cTsW47ErtAzYAyW)

## **Paid Work Opportunities**

### **The Fair at the PNE**

For more info pick up a handout in the Career Centre. To apply go to: <https://careers-pne.icims.com/jobs/2112/2026-pne-fair-summer-jobs/job> \*Applicants must be at least 15 years of age by August 1st, 2026. Preference will be given to candidates who submit their resume before Sunday, June 7, 2026. Virtual group interviews will be held on July 16th and July 17th. The interview invitation will allow all candidates to choose their preferred Fair jobs.

### **Tim Hortons**

A number of different Tim Hortons Locations across Burnaby, Coquitlam and New Westminster are hiring. To apply go to: <https://bit.ly/4xgp2Pa>

### **Pedalheads Bike Camps for Kids: Summer Instructor**

It's that time of year again - [Pedalheads](#) is hiring Instructors for their Spring Break bike camps! Gain work and leadership experience, build up your resume, spend time outside, and help kids learn how to bike. Pedalheads offers [programming for kids ages 2-12](#) where they learn about fundamental bike skills and develop a love for biking! We're looking for people to join our dynamic, high-energy team to create breakthrough, happy dancing, high-fiving, "I did it" moments by teaching kids all about biking. Camp locations include: Brentwood, Burnaby - Brentwood Park Alliance Church / South Burnaby New West - Location TBD / Como Lake, Coquitlam - Queen of All Saints School. To apply go to : <https://tinyurl.com/2s3dxr4a>

### **Pedalheads Soccer Camps for Kids: Summer Instructor**

Do you have a passion for working with children and LOVE sports? We are looking for confident characters to teach foundational soccer skills to our 2–12 year old soccer stars. Pedalheads Soccer is a program like no other which requires our coaches to channel their inner child and put their imagination and creativity to the test. Our coaches use humor, songs and story-telling to make our little players fall in love with soccer. Experience in either playing or coaching sports is preferred though this does not have to be soccer specific, as full training will be given. Camp locations include: Brentwood, Burnaby, and Deer Lake, Burnaby. For more info and to apply go to : <https://tinyurl.com/ynh2yduk>

### **City of Burnaby – General Election**

To ensure the success of the 2026 General Local Election, the City of Burnaby is hiring for a variety of election worker positions on General Voting Day (October 17) and during Advance Voting (October 3, 7, 10) . You do not need to live in Burnaby to apply, although preference will be given to Burnaby residents. All applications must be submitted online and applicants are required to complete and pass an online test. A resume is not required, but may be uploaded and will be considered an asset. You must legally able to work in Canada and be 16 years of age or older. Due to the volume of applications, only successful candidates will be contacted. Please have voicemail activated. To apply go to : <https://www.burnaby.ca/our-city/mayor-and-council/elections/election-workers>

## **Post-Secondary Info Sessions**

### **Emily Carr Campus Tours**

Designed for prospective undergraduate students, Emily Carr offers guided tours throughout the summer. This student-led tour brings you into our 300,000 square foot state-of-the-art purpose-built campus. During your visit, you will: Explore studios, labs, and creative spaces across campus; See a range of creative disciplines in action, from visual arts to media and design; Learn about student life and the ECU experience from a Student Ambassador; and Gain a feel for our hand-on and studio-based learning environment. Your tour will conclude with an optional presentation and Q&A session, where you gain further insights into the application process, the admission requirements and portfolio tips. For more info and to sign up go to : <https://welcome.emilycarru.ca/portal/campus-tours>

### **UVic (University of Victoria) – Online Info Session**

If you're thinking about applying for undergraduate studies at UVic, join us for an online Discover UVic event on July 16th at 5 pm and learn what it really means to be a UVic student. More than just getting into university, we'll explore the possibilities and what your education can be. You'll hear about our co-op program and why hands-on learning is so important, how you can engage with your surroundings, and how our community can inspire you to succeed. Register at: <https://tours.uvic.ca/details/399749/discover-uvic>

### **Douglas College - Online Info Sessions**

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Douglas College virtual info sessions provide important details such as admissions requirements, co-op opportunities, career pathways, university transfer options, curriculum guidelines and more. Plus, each program-specific information session is led by a faculty member from that program so you get to interact and converse with your future instructor(s). Upcoming virtual info session June 23rd at 5pm. See our information session page to find out which programs will be present. For more info and to register go to : <https://www.douglascollege.ca/future-students/explore-douglas/information-sessions>

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