

# Vauxhall High School



March 2016

## STUDENTS of the MONTH



### Grade 7 - Brittney Kambeitz

Brittney has been a pleasure to have at Vauxhall High School this year. She enjoys all sports but seems to have a real passion for the game of hockey. Brittney is very polite and has a great sense of humor which makes her very likeable and easy to get along with. Way to go Britt!



### Grade 8 - Jami Blokker.

Jami has been noticed! Noticed for working hard, noticed for doing her best in and out of the classroom and noticed for being a good friend. Well done Jami!!



### Grade 9 - Nicolas Plumtree

Nicolas is a hard worker both in the classroom and in the gym playing tier 1 basketball. He has worked hard to improve his science mark and is willing to put in extra time to get things right. Nicolas always arrives to class on time and is ready to work. On the court Nicolas has a talent for getting blocks and pulling down rebounds to go along with his scorers touch on his deadly left hand hook shot. Keep up the good work Nicolas!

## NEWSLETTER

The Newsletter is available online on the VHS website [www.vhs.horizon.ab.ca](http://www.vhs.horizon.ab.ca)

Or if you would like to receive the monthly Newsletter by email, please send an email to [jen.peterson@horizon.ab.ca](mailto:jen.peterson@horizon.ab.ca) with "Newsletter" in the Subject box. Or call Mrs. Peterson at 403-654-2145

## YEARBOOK

**Attention Grads:** Deadlines are looming!! Buy a yearbook by March 31 and your copy will be embossed with your name on the front at no extra cost! Bring \$30 (cheque or cash) to the office.

\*\*If any students would like to take pictures for the yearbook please see Mrs. Senneker.

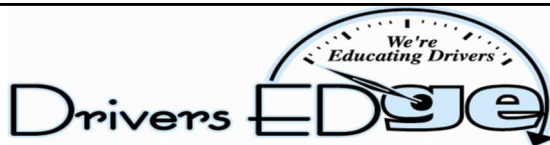
## LIBRARY

The library is getting new books all the time so make sure to stop by and check them out. Please return or re-sign out library books that are overdue. Don't hog them as they are meant for everyone to enjoy!

Also, any textbooks you may have from last semester are way overdue. Please return them immediately! The fee for a lost textbook is \$100!

## FINE ARTS GALA

On Wednesday, March 16, our school, along with VES, is hosting a Fine Arts Gala in the elementary school gym. There will be displays of art as well as entertainment by some very talented students from both schools. For tickets, or more information, please contact VES at 403-654-2422



The spring session of Driver's Edge is scheduled for the week of April 11-14. The classroom session runs Monday through Thursday. The total cost is \$710, but please note, there is a \$100 deposit required at the time of sign up and **fees must be paid in full** by April 11th. Please make cheques payable to Driver's Edge. There is a sign up sheet in the school office. Driver's Edge can only accept the first 6, 9 or 12 students who sign up as the driving portion is done in groups of three. For more information, please call Driver's Edge at 1-866-999-9505.

## Vauxhall Skating Club Annual Carnival

Going on



**When:** March 4, 2016

**Where:** Vauxhall Skating Rink

**Time:** 7:00 pm

Admission at the door. There will be a raffle table, 50/50 draw and of course, a fabulous show put on by all our fantastic skaters!

## Gr. 8 OUTDOOR ED.

The Grade 8 Outdoor Ed class has entered a contest to win an all expenses paid trip to Jasper National Park. The class entered the contest by making a video on one of Canada's National Parks, they chose Waterton Lakes National Park.

The grade 8 class wrote the script, recorded the music that plays in the background, filmed the video and did most of the work themselves.

**Please vote for them at [www.myparkspass.ca](http://www.myparkspass.ca)** Vote every day as the video with the most votes wins! Search for our video under "Outdoor Ed.8" or "Vauxhall H.S." Voting starts on February 29th and goes until March 18th.



*"To beef up security, nobody can gain access to our computers until they complete a sudoku puzzle, answer a fifth-grade math question, and explain how to program a VCR."*

## JOB SHADOW INFO

**Grade 11 & 12** students interested in completing a Job Shadow day this semester should attend the Job Shadow Registration Meeting on March 3rd at 1:55 in the afternoon in Mr. Reiling's room.

Talk with Mr. Mouland if you can not attend or if you need more information.

## SCHOLARSHIP INFO

**March 9**

**ReMax Quest for Excellence**

16 Awards of \$1000

- Write an essay that includes information on:
  - ✓ Community volunteerism like the time you raised money for \_\_\_\_\_, or volunteered to help \_\_\_\_\_ or worked with special needs children or the time you cared for seniors.
  - ✓ Explain your motivation to help and include something about what you learned about leadership and communication skills.

See [remaxwestern.ca/quest-excellence-application](http://remaxwestern.ca/quest-excellence-application) for information and application form.

Application forms are also available at the career office.

**Please talk to Mr. Mouland for information on many other available scholarships!**

# Graduation









## Important Dates...

- Important Parent Meeting will be held sometime in March. The date has yet TBA. **Please watch for information coming home and plan to attend this meeting.**
- Pictures for the grad video are due. Please bring them in ASAP!
- The **Program Information Sheet** is past due and **Grad Guest List** for the Banquet needs to be completed in full and returned to Mrs. Finlayson by **March 11<sup>th</sup>**.
- Grad Fees this year are **\$150**. **This and ALL School and sports fees need to be paid in order to participate in graduation.**
- Appointments for pictures with D&H School Photos can be made anytime with Mrs. Finlayson.

# MARCH

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2  Sr. Basketball League Playoffs Boys @ Home Girls @ Bow Island Games start @ 6:00	3 	4	5
6	7 P.D. Day No School	8	9	10 Progress Reports	11	12
13	14 School Council Meeting 7:15 pm	15	16	17 	18	19
20	21	22	23  Travel Club leaves for Costa Rica	24	25  <i>Good Friday</i> No School	26
27	28  <i>Easter Monday</i> No School	29 No School	30 No School	31 Travel Club returns from Costa Rica No School		

**ENTER TO WIN!** Newsletter clip-off.

Now that you have read this month's newsletter, complete and clip out this coupon and return it to the office by Friday, March 4th. Your child will have a chance to win a FREE HOT LUNCH!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ (entries MUST be signed by a parent or guardian)