

# LFAS GRAD 2010 to 2011

**From the Grad File...**

**October 2011**

If you did not receive this newsletter by email it is because you have not sent your parents and your own email address to [brobson@sd35.bc.ca](mailto:brobson@sd35.bc.ca)

If you did not attend the parent night please go to Langley Fine Arts School Website and click on Graduation.

<http://www.sd35.bc.ca/lfa/graduation.html>.

You will find everything you need for applying to any college in North America and how to gain scholarships etc.

If you cannot find the answers in this newsletter and you wish to contact me directly then I prefer it if you emailed me. I am not able to speak with you on the phone as I am often with students. So please email me if you can.

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## Up Coming Events

- Parents wanting to be involved in the grade 12 year-dry grad needs to get going immediately
- Gown measuring –Grads will come to the office to be measured. This also applies to any Grade 11's who think they might be graduating early.
- Grad photos by Life touch Date January 2012 Grads will have to sign up for an appointment at the office and the photo sessions will be held in the Music Portable at the back of the school. Every Grad needs their picture taken for the yearbook and composite picture.
- Grad Cruise January 20th 2012(tickets on sale in November and guest passes are needed)
- Portfolio day --Friday May 4th 2012
- Grad Rehearsal and BBQ-- June 12th 2012 10:30 am at LFAS in the theater. All grads are required to be there to pick up your grad gown.
- Graduation Commencement at Christian Life Assembly –Wednesday June 13th 2012 5.30pm be there for 3.30
- Dinner Dance at Newlands --Wednesday June 27th 2012 5.00pm

**Check the LFAS events calendar on the website for all dates of holidays, music nights etc [www.lfasbc.com](http://www.lfasbc.com)**

## Post-Secondary Information

### *Apply to Post Secondary University*

<http://www.bccampus.ca/applybc/>

- Apply for at least three places through applybc for BC institutions.
- If you have no idea how to go about choosing—make an appointment to come and see me with a credit card. . Bring a friend or a parent to help you. All colleges and Universities are now open for you to apply.

### *Kwantlen*

<http://www.kwantlen.ca/futurestudents.html>

- Kwantlen Polytechnic University will accept applications early. Try to send your application on the first day, to ensure acceptance to your chosen program). Kwantlen now has several bachelor's degree programs. The earlier you are the more likely you are to get your courses.

### *LPI*

[http://www.lpitest.ca/03\\_LPI\\_Test.html](http://www.lpitest.ca/03_LPI_Test.html)

- The language proficiency exam should be taken if you are doing sciences at UBC!  
Not needed for U Vic.

### *SAT Exam*

- Students can apply to write the SAT exams needed for academic programs in the U.S. at [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org). Look for international dates. Our school code required on the application is 821149.

### *Capilano College*

<http://www.capilanou.ca/home.html>

- Capilano College is now granting full degrees (4 year programs) in Bus. Admin., Tourism Management, Jazz Studies, and Music Therapy.

## *UVIC*

<http://www.uvic.ca/>

1. University of Victoria does not require a language 11 except in humanities. So Science, Social science, History in Art, Child and Youth Care, Engineering, Writing, Commerce, Drama, Visual Art, music etc do not require a second language. They also accept comparative civilization as one of the four acceptable grade 12 provincially examinable courses even though there is no provincial exam. An average mark to get into a program at U.Vic is @ between 75-80% depending on which program you are entering. (The Bachelor of Fine arts in Writing require 90 %.) The faculty of Business offers a Bachelor of Commerce program straight from high school. The faculty of Engineering requires Math 12, Chem. 12, English 12 and one other grade 12 provincially examinable course. Scholarships to U Vic are based on marks alone. It is done by the University so no separate application process. Lots of support and help with finances from the staff at U. Vic check out the info on the parent website at U Vic <http://transition.uvic.ca/parentsupdate/>
2. **Self reporting is now open**  
Students in grade 12 can apply now at [www.uvic.ca/apply](http://www.uvic.ca/apply) for September 2012 admission to UVic. By applying now, your students will be able to self-report their final grade 11 marks online at [www.uvic.ca/self-reporting](http://www.uvic.ca/self-reporting) and may be considered for early admission.
3. **LPI requirement changes**  
As of May 2012, the current Undergraduate English Requirement will become the Academic Writing Requirement (AWR). The new regulation passed by UVic's Senate includes the ability for students to make their own first-year English course selection without an LPI or other placement test. Further information can be found at [www.registrar.uvic.ca/awr](http://www.registrar.uvic.ca/awr).
4. **Tours for future engineering and computer science students (November 9, 2011) - register online now**

The Faculty of Engineering is hosting their annual engineering high school tours day on **Wednesday, November 9, 2011**. This is a great day to bring prospective high schools students who are interested in exploring the Faculty of Engineering to campus. Current faculty, students and staff open the doors to prospective students to explore the fields of engineering and computer science through hands-on activities, guest lectures, department fairs and a pizza lunch. This is a popular event so please register early. Interested participants must register for either

## *SFU*

<http://www.sfu.ca/>

- They have several kinds of scholarships some of which you have to apply for. (One year two students from LFAS got a total of \$54,000 from SFU) Check out the website for more info on this. Please give your name to Ms De Little if you wish to be nominated by February 1st 2012 A selection process will then take place by February 14th 2012
- <http://students.sfu.ca/entrancescholarships/>

*UBC-Lots of new info-----*

<http://www.ubc.ca/>

- It is easier to get into UBC Okanagan campus than the Vancouver campus.
- You need four academic courses and a personal profile. So acceptance is not just on marks. If you have circumstances that have prevented you from being able to do volunteer work then they want to know about that as well.
- Applications must be in by January 31<sup>st</sup>
- Wait until next newsletter for more info about the major entrance Scholarship applications. We can only nominate two from our school
- Zoology degree at Okanagan UBC,
- Land food and sustainability at UBC Vancouver as part of Faculty of Land and Food systems Applied Bio!!!
- Go to <https://you.ubc.ca/ubc/events/events.ezc?pageID=1405> for more information on events for future students of UBC Vancouver and Okanagan and how to go and visit UBC
- Engineering Open House Fair, Saturday, November 26<sup>th</sup> 9am-4pm. Your one-stop shop. Find out all about Engineering at UBC. Cool demonstrations, fascinating lab tours, and informative presentations. Talk to advisors, professors and current students about all your options. Learn how engineering can make a world of difference. Bring your friends and family to explore.

RSVP is not compulsory, but if you would like to win our grand prize (and get updated info), please fill in our RSVP

here: <http://www.surveymethods.com/surveys/wsb.dll/s/1g8e2>

2332 Main Mall, Fred Kaiser building, 1st floor Atrium, UBC Vancouver Campus

- Major Entrance award—need to be nominated? Let Ms De Little know by February 1st 2010. The decision as to which two students to be nominated will be done by February 14th 2010
- Parents check your UBC website <https://you.ubc.ca/ubc/vancouver/parents.ezc>

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**Media Arts Open House - Saturday, November 19**

Come to our Media Arts Open House on Saturday, November 19 from noon to 4 p.m. in the Library building (3rd floor) at our North Vancouver campus. Learn more about the Interactive Design, Commercial Animation, Digital Animation, Digital Visual Effects and the Illustration/Design: Elements & Applications (IDEA) programs. Check out student work, tour studios and labs, and get feedback on your portfolio.

[Media Arts Open House](#) | [Fine & Applied Arts programs](#)



**Explore Capilano Night - Monday, November 21, 2011**

Learn about all of Capilano University's programs at *Explore Capilano*, our regularly-scheduled general information night held at our North Vancouver campus. Meet faculty and learn about student life, financial aid, admission requirements and more. The next info night will be held on Monday, November 21 at 7:15 p.m. in the Library building, room 322.

[Explore Capilano Night](#) | [Visit Capilano](#)



**Open Studio Day - Tuesday, November 22, 2011**

Capilano University's School of Visual and Performing Arts invites you to Open Studio Day at our North Vancouver campus on Tuesday, November 22. The full-day event features our Theatre, Studio Art, Textile Arts, Music, and Arts and Entertainment Management programs. Visit our studios, see students perform, check out the Textile Arts sale and attend workshops and program information sessions.

[Open Studio Day](#) | [Fine & Applied Arts programs](#)



**New Performing Arts degree**

Capilano University, Douglas College, Langara and Vancouver Community College are partnering to offer a unique Bachelor of Performing Arts degree. The nine-month program offers a degree completion pathway for students who have already earned credit from a public or recognized and accredited private post-secondary institution in the disciplines of music, dance, theatre, stagecraft, film arts, arts and entertainment management, musical theatre or digital media. The program is ideal for those who want to practice as a professional performing artist, arts manager, administrator or cultural entrepreneur, or those who wish to continue on to graduate studies in the performing arts. Applications are currently being accepted. The program starts in May 2012 at Capilano University.

[Bachelor of Performing Arts degree](#)



### **New Digital Visual Effects program**

Capilano's School of Motion Picture Arts launched a new Digital Visual Effects program in September. The two-year diploma program covers everything from 3D modeling, texturing and compositing to matchmoving and green-screen removal - essentially everything necessary to create amazing computer-generated effects merged with live action footage. To learn more, come to an open house on Saturday, November 19 from 1 to 4 p.m. in the Library building, 3rd floor, North Vancouver campus.

[Digital Visual Effects program](#) | [Flyer \(pdf\)](#)



### **LSBA and ECCE receive approved degree path for elementary education**

Capilano's Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies (LSBA) and the Bachelor of Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE) degree programs have both been confirmed as acceptable degree paths into the Elementary Education stream in the Faculty of Education at Simon Fraser University. Both Capilano degree programs include students who plan to pursue careers as elementary school teachers.

[Bachelor of Arts of Liberal Studies degree](#) | [Bachelor of Early Childhood Care and Education degree](#)



### **Geneskool returns to Cap this December for Grades 9-12**

Genome BC and Capilano University are once again teaming up to deliver a unique workshop series in December 2011 and April 2012. Genome BC Geneskool is travelling outreach program that introduces high school students to the fascinating world of molecular biology and genomics. Like an episode of the popular CSI television series, these full-day workshops allow students to become crime scene technicians. Designed to complement the high school biology curriculum, Geneskool labs deliver a hands-on experience based on a murder mystery. One-day workshops will be offered December 12-16, 2011 and April 16-19 & April

23-26, 2012 at the North Vancouver campus of Capilano University. For safety reasons, each workshop can accommodate 24 students. To book a workshop, call 604.675.1022 or send an [e-mail](#). [Geneskool on the Road](#)

### **Summer philosophy course for Grade 11s**

Students in Grade 11 will have the unique opportunity to take a three-credit university level philosophy course in August 2012. PHIL 110: Critical Thinking is a condensed course offered from August 13 to 24 from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at our North Vancouver campus. Through a clear step-by-step method of practical reasoning, students are taught how to think impartially and neutralize invisible biases that limit freedom of thought and action. [Critical Thinking course for Grade 11s](#) | [Philosophy department](#)

### **Upcoming program information meetings**

(All information sessions are held at Capilano University's North Vancouver campus unless otherwise indicated)

[Accounting Support program](#)

Tuesday, November 15, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Fir building, room 503

Wednesday, December 7, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Fir building, room 502

[Arts & Entertainment Management](#)

Tuesday, November 22, 6-7:30 p.m., Library building, room 194

[Business Fundamentals Program](#)

Tuesday, November 15, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Fir building, room 503

Wednesday, December 7, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Fir building, room 502

[Early Childhood Care and Education](#)

Thursday, November 17, 7:30-9 p.m., Cedar building, room 141

[Interactive Design program](#)

Wednesday, October 26, 7 p.m., Arbutus building, room 209

[Legal Administrative Assistant program](#)

Tuesday, November 15, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Fir building, room 212

[Music Therapy program](#)

Wednesday, November 23, 7 p.m., Fir building, room 119

[Other program information sessions](#)

**Take a campus tour**



Discover Capilano University on a guided tour led by a student leader. Tours are offered at our North Vancouver campus throughout the fall and spring terms. Upcoming dates: Oct 27, Nov 3, Nov 8, Nov 17 and Nov 24.

[Campus Tours](#) | [Visit Capilano](#)

**Contact Us**

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## Scholarship Update

Currently available in the Counselling Centre or online:

- University Of Alberta - [www.registrar.ualberta.ca/awards](http://www.registrar.ualberta.ca/awards)
- TD Canada Trust Scholarship - [www.tdcanadatrust.com/scholarship](http://www.tdcanadatrust.com/scholarship),

Try searching these sites also for more scholarship information:

- [www.scholarshipscanada.com](http://www.scholarshipscanada.com)
- [www.studentawards.com](http://www.studentawards.com)
- [www.aett.gov.bc.ca/studentsservices](http://www.aett.gov.bc.ca/studentsservices)

Students please do not leave your signatures and references to the last day for scholarships. You cannot expect teachers to write you a reference in a hurry. Give yourself plenty of time so that you do not stress over them. Make sure you write out all your information using the forms on <http://www2.sd35.bc.ca/lfa/scholarship.html> Do not rely on the post getting your scholarship application to the final destination in 24 hours!

BCEGU \$3000 for full time students at post secondary and for students with an IEP you do not have to write an essay.

[www.bcgeu.ca](http://www.bcgeu.ca)  
for more details.

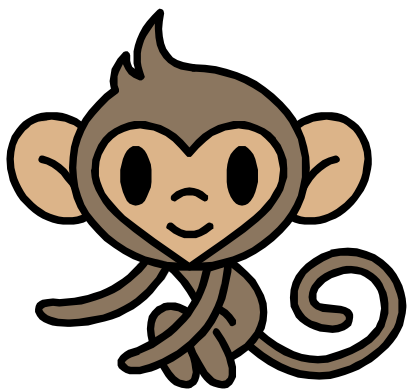


## ***HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL***

Don't forget to come and help out at the Halloween Carnival October 29th



*Design touches everything High School design  
Competition  
[www.dx.org](http://www.dx.org)*



## **HIGH SCHOOL FUNKY MONKEY**

**NOVEMBER 19TH 6.30PM**

Auditions - Wednesday

November 3rd, Thursday 4<sup>th</sup>, Friday 5th  
3.30 pm in the Dungeon (Mr. Bryson's  
classroom)

See Kathrynne Wyne to help

### *Credits to Graduate*

I will come into your B2 block over the next few weeks to go over every credit you have since grade 10 to ensure that you have 80 credits and all the correct courses. You can add all your achievements outside of school if you want, but it is not necessary unless you are short some electives.

### *P.E.N. Number-*

This is needed for many forms. It is on the top right hand side of your report card.

### *Student Secure Web site*

<https://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/exams/tsw/tsw/student/welcome.jsp?>

Set up an account using your P.E.N. and a password. You can access your exam marks and it is needed to let your college or University know your marks.

### *Social Insurance number*

Apply for a Social Insurance Number, if you don't already have one. This is necessary for many scholarships and bursaries.

### *You're Resume/Bio*

Begin to compile a short biography and letter describing all your achievements, goals, extra-curricular activities, and service to community and school. This will be useful for job applications post-secondary and scholarship applications. Go to the link below to see the forms that are to be filled out if you wish to ask a teacher for a reference.

<http://www2.sd35.bc.ca/lfa/scholarship.html>

### *Counselling Office*

I am at school Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday only this year. I invite you to come and book a time to talk about your post secondary choices. I have a signup sheet outside my office. Come in and browse the calendars for all the post secondary options and work opportunities. My role in the school is to support all grade 10 to 12 students, so please do check this newsletter or go online to the calendar for the answers to more simple questions so that I can spend my time wisely with all of you.

## Grad Council News

Here are the dates for our annual events. We meet every Wednesday in the counseling room. First meeting is on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> 2010.

1. October 29<sup>th</sup> 3-5pm Halloween Carnival in the Gym. All the school is invited.
2. November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Funky Monkey auditions 3.30-5.30 pm dungeon. (Mr. Bryson's drama room.
3. November 19<sup>th</sup> Elementary Funky Monkey theatre 6-10pm
4. December 16<sup>th</sup> 6.30 am-9.30 am Breakfast with Santa in cafeteria
5. February 11<sup>th</sup> 7-10pm Senior Funky monkey- no audition if known to Grads.
6. June 10<sup>th</sup> 2011 'Best of show' ((run and organized by grade 12's comprising their favorite pieces from the majors)
7. Grad sleep-over T.B.A.

## MORE INFORMATION ON GRADUATION

[http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/graduation/grad-transitions/grad\\_planner.pdf](http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/graduation/grad-transitions/grad_planner.pdf)

## LFAS CALENDAR

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