

Monday April 28th, 2025

GRADE 12 WEEKLY LETTER 16

Hi there Grade 12s!

- **FULL DISCLOSURE**
- **CHECK YOUR MARKS!**
- **VALEDICTORIAN DETAILS**
- **RAINBOW PROM**
- **SCHOLARSHIP ALERT: AVIATION**
- **THE TRADES REPORT**

COMING UP IN THE NEXT WEEK...

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| 28 | 29 | 30 11:00 AM Deadline to email Mr. Fraser that you're interested in being the valedictorian (see requirements below!) APPLICATIONS FOR THE KEN TURNER MEMORIAL AWARD AND THE ROTARY SKILLED TRADES AWARD DUE TO GUIDANCE | 1 | 2 FULL DISCLOSURE |

FULL DISCLOSURE IS ON FRIDAY!

After Friday, if you drop a course, your mark will show up on your transcript. Make an appointment with your guidance counselor if you're thinking about dropping a course this week!

IT'S TIME TO CHECK YOUR MARKS!

Marks have been uploaded to OUAC and OCAS. Log in, check your midterm marks and ensure everything is reported correctly. If any marks are incorrect or missing, please come to Guidance and speak with Mrs. Indelicato or Ms. Steele.

Are you interested in being the Valedictorian?

- All members wishing to self-nominate must email Mr. Fraser (rlfraser@hwdsb.on.ca) by 11 AM 30 April. Email to include the following
- How you would represent the Graduating class of 2025
- A sample paragraph (approximately 250 words) of what you might say in a Valedictorian speech
- Two teacher references

RAINBOW PROM

Would you like to attend Rainbow Prom this year? We have 11 tickets reserved for DVSS students (to start). Please come to Guidance or the main office to pick up the Prom Contract. Bring it back signed to get access to a ticket.

Here are the details:

Date: Wednesday May 28th

Time: 6:15 PM - doors open

7:15 PM – doors close (there will be no re-entry)

10:30 PM - event ends

Location: Hill Park Learning Centre

465 E 16th St. Hamilton, ON L9A 4K6

Cost: \$30 to be paid by cash to Ms. Lewin in the main office or through School Cash Online

SCHOLARSHIP ALERT: AVIATION

Exciting News!

The **RCAF Scholarship application** went live on **April 22, 2025!** [Student Scholarships – RCAF Foundation](#)

Designed to support Canada's future aviation and aerospace leaders, these **\$1,000 - \$2500 scholarships** are open to students **25 years old or younger** who are entering or currently enrolled in a post-secondary institution in Canada. The scholarships aim to encourage students pursuing **S.T.E.M. studies** in college or university with aspirations for a career in aviation or aerospace.

Application Requirements

To apply, students must submit an **essay or video** answering the following questions:

1. Tell us about yourself and why you are pursuing a career in aviation and aerospace.
2. How will your career path and goals make a meaningful contribution to your chosen field or community?

AND FINALLY... CHECK OUT THE TRADES REPORT WHICH IS ATTACHED TO THIS EMAIL!



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Have a wonderful week!

Your guidance team...

Ms. Warren, Mr. O'Connor, Ms. Steele, and Mrs. Indelicato