

A BI-MONTHLY PUBLICATION FROM ANCHOR ACADEMY // JAN-FEB. 2018

# THE **anchor**

Training boys and girls to love and serve Jesus Christ

*Happy*  
NEW YEAR  
2018



*Anchor  
Highlights*

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# CALENDAR & NOTICES

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**Jan. 8**

Anchor Academy re-opens. Honour Roll Certificates mailed to you.

**Jan. 15**

Registration deadline for Jona, Hawaii STM

**Jan. 19**

(DL 10-12) End of Second Quarter. Last date to send quarter course work to teachers. All mail should be sent directly to teacher's home address.

**Jan. 19**

Donation deadline for Chemwa Christian Academy playground. See page 10

**Jan. 22**

Scripture Memory Contest #1 ends (send form to Anchor Academy office).

**Jan. 22**

Second Semester starts (DL).

**Jan. 22-26**

Provincial Exams

**Jan. 26**

End of Second Quarter (International Program) Mail tests, Progress Report Information, and PE. forms to Anchor Academy office.

**Feb 9**

Report Cards posted on ASIS (D.L. Grades 8-12).

**Feb 9**

Deadline for enrolment of new students receiving Special Education funding (midyear).

**Feb. 12**

Family Day. Anchor Academy office closed

**Feb. 16**

(International Program) Report Cards, Honour Roll Certificates mailed to you.

**March 2**

End of Second Term (D.L. Grades K-7; Special Education - Modified - Grades K-12) All mail should be sent to your teacher's home address.

**March 19-29**

Spring Break



Are you interested in short term missions?  
Do you have a desire to serve and bless others?  
Do you want to spread the GOSPEL & LOVE of JESUS to the world?  
*Anchor Academy* is hosting an STM to Kona, Hawaii!

**MAY 10-22, 2018**

# HAWAII

**DEADLINE TO APPLY = JANUARY 15, 2018**

Staying and serving at the YWAM  
Ships base

**COST-\$2000**

## CONTACT

**TRACY STALKER**

**tracy@ark.net**

**1.888.917.3783**



# HIGH SCHOOL CORNER

## NEW GRADUATION ASSESSMENTS

Graduation assessments are changing to align with the new curriculum. As part of the updated graduation requirements, students in the 2018 Graduation Program will have to complete two provincial assessments. They will focus on the demonstration and application of numeracy and literacy.

### NUMERACY

The numeracy assessment will be introduced in June of the 2017/18 school year.

### LITERACY

The literacy assessment will be introduced in Jan 2020 (all Language Arts 12 examinations will continue until that time).

Contact High School Vice Principal,  
Tracy Stalker, [tracy@ark.net](mailto:tracy@ark.net)  
for more information.

## English 12 & Communications 12

Students taking English 12 or Communications 12 this year, will still need to write the provincial exam for these courses. To start the registration process, please contact your course teacher.

## NEW STUDENT TRANSCRIPT SERVICE

The Ministry of Education has just launched the Student Transcripts Service (STS), a new online application for students to view their marks, scholarships, and transcripts, and forward transcripts to post-secondary institutions and third parties.

To access the service, students go to the Ministry of Education's transcripts and certificates website at [www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca](http://www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca). Please note that all students must register for a B.C. Government account (a BCeID). After registering for a BCeID, students follow the system prompts and register for STS. Finally, they log in to the Student Transcripts Service using the BCeID.

# GRADUATING STUDENTS

Now is a great time to start applying for Post Secondary Institutions and Scholarships.

If you are interested in applying for any of these, please contact Tracy before the dates given.

**\*Jan. 30, 2018**

**Schulich Leader Scholarship** - \$80,000 - \$100,000 for students intending to pursue a career in STEM

**\*Jan. 30, 2018**

**BC Excellence Scholarship** - \$500

**\*Jan. 30, 2018**

**Pathway to Teacher Education Scholarship** - \$5000

**\*Feb. 15, 2018**

**District/Authority Scholarship** - \$1250

**\*April 30, 2018**

**Anchor Academy Christian Post Secondary Bursary** - approx \$2500

Check entrance scholarships for the Post Secondary Institution to which you are applying.  
<http://www.scholarshipscanada.com/> | <https://www.bcscholarships.ca>





## Graduates of Anchor Academy

Jalving, Brandon (Distributed Learning, Honours), June 2017

Jones, Merry (Distributed Learning, Honours), October 2017

Port, James (Distributed Learning, Honours), October 2017

Weiss, Leah (Distributed Learning, Honours) - September 2017

Weiss, Benjamin (Distributed Learning, Honours), September 2017

## Honourable Mentions

**CONGRATULATIONS TO Emily Jurek and Maggie Wong**

Both of these *Anchor Academy* students graduated last year (June 2017) and received a \$1250 Achievement Scholarship from the Ministry of Education.

WHAT IS THE  
**G O S P E L ?**

MISSIONS FEST VANCOUVER 2018

Vancouver, B.C. January 26-28, 2018  
Vancouver Convention Centre / General Admission Free  
[www.missionsfestvancouver.ca](http://www.missionsfestvancouver.ca)



# PREVIEW WEEKEND

## VISIT CAMPUS

Oct 20-21, 2017\*

Nov 17-18, 2017\*

Dec 1, 2017 (View Day)

Feb 9-10, 2018\*

Mar 22-23, 2018\*

Apr 6, 2018 (View Day)

\*Overnight hosting available

# TWU

**Trinity Western University**  
Discover what it's like to be a TWU student!

Stay overnight in dorms, attend class, and meet professors and current students. You'll also learn about our academic and student life programs. We also offer a flight reimbursement program for out-of-town guests.

Our application is also free and we are doing early admissions and scholarships now if you have Grade 12 students interested in exploring TWU as an option.

The application is at [www.twu.ca/apply](http://www.twu.ca/apply)

## Millar College of the Bible

is a Christ focused Bible school with a campus in Pambrun, Saskatchewan and a new campus in Sunnybrae, British Columbia.

Our vision is to develop passionate, relevant servants of Jesus Christ who are shaped by the entire Scriptures.

**TO APPLY:**

[www.millarcollege.ca](http://www.millarcollege.ca)

# Millar

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TWO CAMPUSES  
PAMBRUN, SK  
SUNNYBRAE, BC

DEVELOPING PASSIONATE, RELEVANT SERVANTS OF JESUS CHRIST

*Character Competence Commitment*





# PRBI

"This is a youth experience that will engage your heart with Jesus! Everything from Friday Night Live, icebreakers, skits, intros, worship rallies, gifted speakers, incredible community, PRBI classes, sports, dessert nights, music events, intramurals, and time spent getting to know Jesus are all part of the eView action!

We love Jesus, and want you to join us in how we live out our faith in Him! Come experience, before you decide."

**Cost: Free**

Register at: [prbi.edu/eView](http://prbi.edu/eView)

## Peace River Bible Institute



# eView

EXPLORE – EXPERIENCE – ENGAGE

**MARCH 8-10, 2018**

REGISTER ONLINE

**GRADE 10+**

780-568-3962  
[www.prbi.edu/eview](http://www.prbi.edu/eview)  
9601-100 Street / Sexsmith, AB



# Prairie Bible College

At Prairie, we want to do everything possible to help you in discerning God's will for your future education. We know that deciding on a college is a big decision. Whether you are looking for a 1-year foundational program or something longer, we welcome you to come for a campus visit.



# PRAIRIE

To Know Christ and Make Him Known



**CAMPUS VISITS**

**March 9/18**  
**April 14/18**



*New*  
**YEAR**  
*New*  
**HOPE**

**“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.” *Jeremiah 29:11***

What does the New Year hold? Often our lives and futures hold many unknowns - unknowns that many of us find unsettling. We tend to slip on the icy slopes of worry, and the cold drifts of uncertainty quickly bury our hopes and dreams.

As Christians we can look forward to the future with joy because the Lord declares, “I know my plans for you”. The Lord knows our future, He holds us in the palm of His hand, and encourages us with the hope of “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future”.

When we cannot see through the grey skies, or when the sunshine of understanding just doesn't seem to be streaming through, remember that God knows your tomorrows.

*He knows what 2018 holds, and He declares “I know the plans I have for you”.*

At Anchor Academy, we strongly believe that we have been given the great privilege to work with students, through our Distributed Learning, Homeschool Registered, and International programs.

We are encouraged, knowing that students are gaining an education while become immersed in the Word as well.

Our Scripture Memory Contest is one way in which Anchor students become drawn into the scriptures, thereby gaining a strength and hope for their futures.

Our vision is to “Train boys and girls to love and serve Jesus Christ.” By doing so, our desire is to give our youth a bright future, with their foundation in Jesus Christ.

Romans 8:31 says, What shall we then say to these things? If God be for us, who can be against us?

May your New Year be one that is greatly blessed!



# Scripture Memory

## OCTOBER 2017

Andersen, Nansen  
Anderson, Stephen (Principal)  
Beach, Carson  
Beach, Cassie  
Beach, Connor  
Beattie, Dominic  
Bienert, Bailey  
Bjorn, Alissa  
Bjorn, Sophia  
Bullert, Olivia  
Bullert, Fabio  
Boyd, Nasya  
Bungag, Daphne  
Cardinal, Jessica  
Casson, Ian  
Casson, Jasmine  
Chapman, Elliott  
Chapman, Sophia  
Cram, Christianna  
Dreves, Hadassah  
Dreves, Taleah  
Duffy, Cathleen  
Duffy, Elijah  
Dyck, Ashley  
Foucher, Joanne  
Fox, Jesse  
Fox, Kiera

Fox, Levi  
Franklin, Andrew  
Franklin, Hannah  
Gauer, Rebekka  
Gauer, Richelle  
Hanlon, Ella  
Herbert, Arlen  
Herbert, Laurie  
Herbert, Weston  
Ilic, Cathy  
Ilic, Matthias  
Ilic, Tiara  
Johnson, Prescott  
Johnson, Tirzah  
Kuebler, Kevin  
Kuebler, Luis  
Lass, Jaylene  
Lee, Suzanna  
Martin, Linda  
Martin, Thomas  
Merritt, Kendra  
Merritt, Kevin  
Merritt, Kirsten  
Metcalf, Caleb  
Metcalf, Danae  
Metcalf, Kendra

Metcalf, Micah  
Nemeth, Samaira  
Nemeth, Samson  
Neufeld, Austin  
Neufeld, Jesse  
Neufeld, Shona  
Neufeld, Tristan  
Peake, Otis  
Peake, Tulia  
Ross, Anna  
Ross, Elizabeth  
Ross, Jonathan  
Ross, Joshua  
Ross, Rebecca  
Saunderson, Micah  
Saunderson, Tianna  
Skinner, Micah  
Straub, Alexander  
Thomas, Eliana  
Thomas, Malachi  
Thomas, Sariah  
Vanderschaaf, Alex  
Vanderschaaf, Tyler  
Wetzstein, Bethany  
Wetzstein, Justin  
Wilson, Selah  
Wingerter, Oshen

## NOVEMBER 2017

Andersen, Nansen  
Anderson, Stephen (Principal)  
Beach, Carson  
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Ross, Elizabeth  
Ross, Jonathan  
Ross, Joshua  
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# Student Page

Faith Koscielny, Grade 6



These art pieces were done by students who attend the **AA Innovative Centre**.

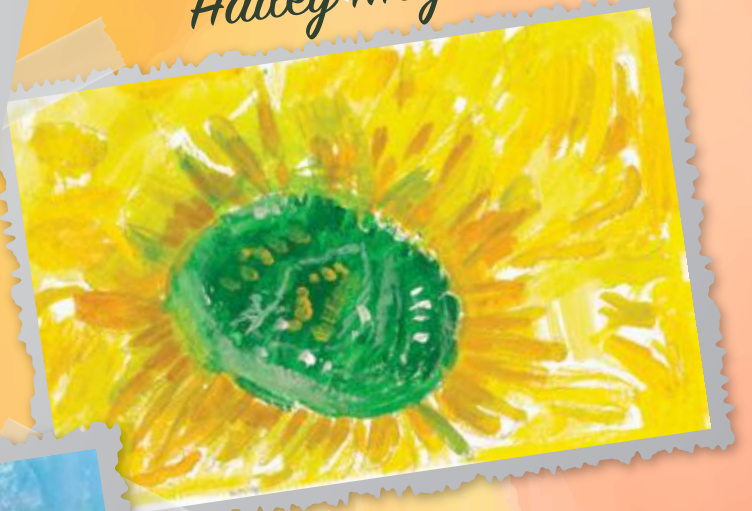
The Centre offers art lessons for students as well as many other activities and fieldtrips.

The Centre runs **Tuesdays & Thursdays**, in **Salmon Arm at Anchor Academy**.

If you live in the area, and would like to participate, **PLEASE CALL**

**Vasso at 1.844.855.5211**

Hailey Moyes, Grade 12



Dalton Biggs, Grade 4



# CHEMWA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY PLAYGROUND UPDATE

In the November/December 2017 Anchor magazine, an appeal for gifts totalling one thousand dollars was made to enable Chemwa Christian Academy in Kenya, to construct a simple playground for its young students. How grateful we are to report that to date donations totalling \$335 have been received, providing an exciting start to this project.

As this issue is going to the printer, we again invite you to consider supporting this endeavor with a financial gift. Because funds are transferred to Kenya on a monthly basis, we request that your gift be received at *Anchor Academy* on or before January 19, 2018.

Cheques may be made out to *Anchor Academy* Society with CCA indicated on the memo line. A tax-deductible receipt will be issued for each gift of ten dollars or more.

Parents, would you consider sharing this opportunity with your son or daughter who may enjoy participating with us in this bite-size project?

A big thank you to each contributor, whether your gift is large or small!

**“God loveth a cheerful giver.” 2 Corinthians 9:7**





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