

# This Week @ Oak Bay Nation

Week of February 9—13, 2015



## QUESTIONS ABOUT COURSE SELECTION?

Our school counsellors are available during **TAP time this Friday morning from 8:30 to 9:26 a.m.** in the east cafeteria for students who need help with or have questions about course selection for next year.

More information about course selection at Oak Bay High School is available in our [Course Selection Handbook 2015/2016](#).

## UVic's 4th Annual "Idea Fest"

### Co-op 180: The transformative impact of experiential learning through co-op

Co-op and Career Services is hosting an upcoming event during UVic's 4th annual "IdeaFest" - <http://www.uvic.ca/ideafest/> called "Co-op 180: The transformative impact of experiential learning through co-op" that may be of interest to grade 11 and 12 students as they begin to think ahead to post-secondary education (and their parents too). Here is the link to the UVic Co-op website <http://www.uvic.ca/coopandcareer/events/home/events/coop180>

Here is a summary of the event: For students, hands-on learning can engage and inspire research, creativity, and transformation—in the workplace, in the classroom and beyond. Hear from students, an employer and a co-op coordinator about standout co-op experiences in a panel discussion moderated by Co-op and Career Executive Director Dr. Norah McRae. Dr. McRae's recent PhD research explored transformative learning during co-op work terms, a form of experiential learning.

## St. George's Med/Vet Summer Leadership Academy

St. George's Med/Vet Summer Leadership Academy offers the opportunity of a lifetime for high school students (age 15-17) interested in the field of medicine or veterinary medicine. On a campus that covers the beautiful True Blue peninsula overlooking the Caribbean Sea, this exceptional program has balanced a challenging academic program rooted in SGU's nearly 37 year history with extracurricular activities selected to highlight the culture and innate beauty of Grenada.

**Parent Information Meeting**  
**Wednesday, February 11 at 7:00 p.m.**  
**Oak Bay Secondary, East Building Cafeteria**

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Program Website: <http://www.sgu.edu/future-students/summeracademy.html>

## DATES OF INTEREST

### February 12

Valedictorian Assembly in am

### February 12 –20

District Student Transfer Process

### February 16

Deadline for Baby Grad Submissions

### February 18 (note date change)

Winter Semi-Formal Dance 7-10 pm in the new big gym.

### February 19

Official End of Term 2

### February 20

Non-Instructional Day

### February 20—28

School Musical—Beauty and the Beast

### February 26 (note date change)

District Career Fair at SJ Willis Centre

### February 23

PAC Meeting, 7 pm in the Cafeteria

### March 4

Report Cards go Home

### March 9—20

Spring Break—School not in Session

## LINKS OF INTEREST:

[MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS](#)

[OAK BAY ATHLETICS](#)

[OAK BAY HIGH WEBSITE](#)