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Gloria and Gallery 2016!

Gloria and Gallery Opening
Silent Auction and Students' Art
Band and Choir Concert
Connect with other parents and enjoy a treat before
the concert

Doors open at 6:00 pm
Tickets are just \$10

Our goal for this Spring Fundraiser is \$35,000.
Take home a piece of Student Art and you will receive
a tax deductible receipt. Make a great purchase in
the Silent Auction and support your school programs
this year.

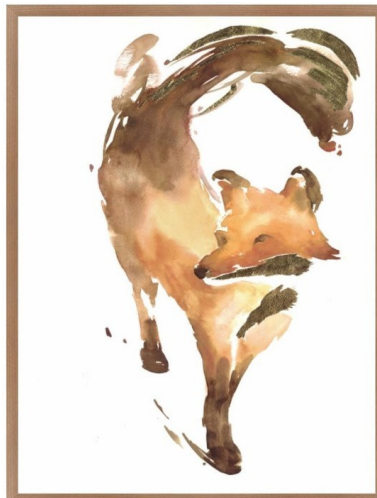
Awesome Auction Items:

- *Gift Baskets with different themes*
- *GC for \$50 off your Carver Uniform purchase*
- *Kotobuki Owl mug sets – great gifts!*
- *A framed and signed photo of Vancouver Canucks, #16 Jared McCann*
- *Tickets to the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra, BC Lion's Football, Science World, Museum of Anthropology, Cineplex Theatres, and MORE!*

We also have special culinary experience offerings:

- *Indian Dinner of 10 by Mrs. Ana Das*
- *West African Groundnut Stew dinner for 10 by Principal Paul Tigchelaar*

We've got a Milano dining table, a Golden Fox giclee and a Felix den chair!



We will take a free-will offering during the concert.
Come and support Christian Education at Carver this year!

CARVER CHRISTIAN SCHOOL PRESENTS
GLORIA
CONCERT &
FINE ART
SHOW

"BENEATH THE SURFACE"
Faith. Redemption. Promise. Hope.

Tickets: \$10
Available at
Carver, JKCS & VCS

Friday
April 29
7650 Sapperton Avenue, Burnaby

Track and Field 2016

Congratulations to Lauren Vanee, Grade 11, who won top Senior Girl Aggregate Award 2016: 1st in Javelin (new record), 1st in 400m hurdles, 1st in 110m hurdles



Overall, Carver placed 5th among the schools that participated. Some noteworthy results:
Gr.8 Girls Shot Put: 1st Jessica Wauran, 2nd Hellen Chu, 3rd Annika See, 4th Eunice Barcelona
Gr.8 Boys Shot Put: 2nd Tim Kung, 3rd Chris Le
Triple Jump: 4th Matthew Chu
Discus: 3rd Chris Le
Race Walk: 4th Macklan Linke
400m: 2nd Andy Fei
Jr. Girls Discus: 2nd Deirdre Bos



Course Selection Session on April 12



This one-time session held by Mrs. Lo-Voo, Vice Principal, was well attended by parents of students who will be coming to Carver for Grades 7 to 9 for the September 2016 to June 2017 school year.



Student-Teacher-Parent Conferences



Student-Teacher-Parent Conferences are as follows:

- Thursday, May 05 from 9.00 a.m. to 7.30 p.m. for Grades 8 and 9 [Gr.8-9: No morning and afternoon classes | Gr.10-12: Morning classes from 9 am to 12.25 pm]
- Thursday, May 05 from 2.00 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. for Grades 10 to 12
- Friday, May 06 from 1.00 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. for Grades 8 to 12 [No morning and afternoon classes for Grades 8-12]

Please click on the following link to sign up:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050c4aa8aa28ab9-may2016>

John Knox Christian High School Update

Without doubt it has been a full and eventful year. Our admin team and JKCS committee and board members have been significantly focused on advancing our high school building project. We recently launched our capital campaign; if you visit our school you will see the newly installed "Fundraising Thermometer" which will visually track our journey toward meeting our campaign goal.

In consultation with Carver's admin, we continue to refine our architectural plans so that they will robustly support the programming needs we anticipate in our high school. We are presently working with the city of New Westminster to secure a modification to our current church/school zoning status so we can build a school that is large enough to support educational programming for 406 high school students. The architectural plans displayed in our lobby will be periodically updated. We welcome interested parents, teachers and students to check out our Capital Campaign and Building Project displays in the school foyer.

Vancouver Christian School Building Update

It has been a whirlwind of activity at VCS! We are still on schedule to start building in September and our capital campaign is reaching towards a total of \$2.6 million. DGS Construction will be building the school and bring lots of school experience to the table. We are currently working towards the completion of our working drawings and continue to gain valuable input from Carver and VCS staff. One of our greatest challenges is finding a temporary home for VCS in the midst of one of the most challenging real estate markets in the world. By God's grace, three Vancouver churches have offered us a home for the next year and a half. There are still a few roadblocks ahead but we are very thankful that the City of Vancouver is pushing us through the process quickly. If you have donated to our capital campaign, you can expect a more detailed newsletter in the next week or so and if you wish to know more about how to support us, please contact Jenn Milley at jmilley@vancouverchristian.org.

We appreciate your prayers as we continue the journey.

Encounters With Canada (EWC)

Carver has created a unique and wonderful opportunity for all its students aged 14 to 17 to attend a week in Ottawa alongside other students from across Canada. We are gearing up for applications from YOU for programs running all next school year, beginning with Arts and Culture (August 28 to September 5, 2016). The cost is \$675 and includes airfare, room and board and a once-in-a-lifetime exciting experience in a program unique to their interests. Applications will be formally accepted in May (stay tuned to this spot for more details!) and will consist of a paragraph outlining why you want to go and what benefit you see yourself deriving from this experience. Have more questions about EWC? Please check: <https://www.ewc-rdc.ca/pub/> (If you are interested in attending, please consider the following - family vacation times, sports and extra-curricular commitments and provincial exam schedules). Are you a new or first generation Canadian? There are still some spots for **Experience Canada** June 26 to July 2, 2016, at a cost of only \$550! Read more about Experience Canada at <https://www.ewc-rdc.ca/pub/en/node/955> (Note: You must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada to attend this week). You do NOT need to wait to apply internally for this EWC week! Please email Carver's EWC coordinator Andrea Dresselhuis at adresselhuis@carverchristian.org to get your code for Experience Canada.

Announcements

HELP! Own a truck or a van that can have the bench seats removed? We require a parent's assistance on April 27 to pick up the choir risers from John Knox and bring them to Carver for the Gloria on April 29. Please let Linda Smythe know as soon as possible by emailing lsmythe@carverchristian.org.



Twelve Angry Men: Drama 10-12 needs your HELP! We are still looking for volunteers to help with our set design for our upcoming play on May 19. This play involves one scene: A jury room. Set design includes three walls, a door and a window. If you can spare any time and man power, please email Rebekah Loconte at rloconte@carverchristian.org.

Carver Green Thumb Club: Do you have any old gardening tools you want to donate to the Carver Green Thumb Club? Yes, that's right! Carver is starting a school garden. We are looking for donations of: garden tools, planter boxes, ceramic pots, vegetable seeds, and any other gardening related materials you can spare!

School Calendar

April 2016	May 2016	June 2016
22 — Marking Day	5 — Student Teacher Parent Conferences	13 — Graduation Ceremony
26 — Chapel: Vancouver and Thailand Cultural Outreach Teams	6 — Student Teacher Parent Conferences	16 — Awards Ceremony/Athletic Banquet
29 — Gloria and Gallery 2016!	10 — Chapel: China and Costa Rica Cultural Outreach Teams	17 — Student Council Day
	19 — Drama Production: Twelve Angry Men	20-27 — School Final/Provincial Exams
	23 — Victoria Day (no school)	28 — Marking Day/Yearbook Day
	26 — SAGM at VCS at 7.30 p.m.	29 — Marking Day for Team Leaders
		30 — Staff Meeting