



Career Counselling

CALENDAR OF EVENTS/DEADLINES

May 2010

Remember, you can also find copies of this newsletter on my Counsellor website:
<http://www.pbhs.ca/Career%20Counselor.php>

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SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS:

Coalhurst High School Phone: 403.381.4812	Tuesdays :	8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Picture Butte High School Phone: 403.732.4404	Mondays & Wednesdays: Fridays:	8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Noble Central School Phone: 403.824-3817	Thursdays:	8:30 – 3:30 p.m.

PDF Versions of this newsletter are posted on my website.

If you would like a copy emailed to you, please send me an email: sherryl.loman@pallisersd.ab.ca and let me know. I'll add you to my email list.

Congratulations to all graduands of this year's CLASS of 2010



Graduation ceremonies for Palliser High Schools will be held on the following dates:

Coalhurst High School – Friday, May 21
Picture Butte High School – Saturday, May 29
Noble Central School – Friday, June 4
County Central High School – Saturday, June 26
Kate Andrews High School – Wednesday, June 30

1-May-2010	<p>Keyera Energy Peter J. Renton Memorial Scholarship Award: Maximum \$6000 over two years Eligibility: Canadian citizen and Alberta resident. Must have completed Alberta graduation requirements and plan to enroll fulltime in an Alberta post-secondary degree or diploma program in a field of study related to the oil and gas industry. See Mrs. Loman for an application form.</p>
3-May-2010	<p>Alberta Never Stop Milk Scholarship (ASAA) DEADLINE FOR PBHS/CHS Applicants Any students from Picture Butte High School and Coalhurst High School who are submitting an application for this scholarship MUST have their application in to Mrs. Loman by May 3. One female and one male recipient from each school will be chosen by the awards committee and forwarded for provincial selection. See Mrs. Loman or go online to: http://www.asaa.ca/new/documents/ASAAScholarshipApplication2009.pdf for an application form.</p>
14-May-2010	<p>2010 Monsanto Canada Opportunity Scholarship Program Award: \$1500 Eligibility: Students must be from a family farming operation with plans to enter their first year of post-secondary education in agriculture. Students must have demonstrated academic excellence, leadership capabilities and active involvement in their local community. Complete applications, including an application essay, must be post-marked no later than May 14, 2010. See Mrs. Loman or visit: www.monsanto.ca for an application form.</p>
14-May-2010	<p>Ayn Rand Novels Essay Contest Award: \$2000 Eligibility: Essays will be judged on both style and content. Judges will look for writing that is clear, articulate and logically organized. Winning essays must demonstrate an outstanding grasp of the philosophic meaning of Ayn Rand's novels. Go to: http://essaycontest.aynrandnovels.com/AynRandNovels.aspx?theme=blue</p>
14-May-2010	<p>2010 Opportunity Scholarship Award: \$1500 Eligibility: Available to farm family students who are enrolled in their first year of post-secondary studies in an agricultural based program. Based on academic standards and leadership in the community. Go to: www.monsanto.ca/about/scholarship/opportunity.asp</p>
15-May-2010	<p>Art Bareham Memorial Scholarship – Noble Central Students ONLY Award: \$1000 Eligibility: Grade 12 student <u>pursuing a Bachelor of Education</u>, a <u>Bachelor of Science – Kinesiology</u> or a <u>Bachelor of Arts - Kinesiology</u> (or a combined degree in either or both of the above). Must have strong academic standing (honors average is not necessarily required). Involvement in athletics is preferred. Student should possess strong leadership qualities and involvement in the school community and/or volunteer work. Students must include a 250 word essay describing their positive impact on the Noble Central School community and what would make them a worthy candidate of this award. See Mrs. Loman or Mrs. Allen for an application form.</p>

31-May-2010	<p><i>National Scholarship Program</i> Award: \$1500 Eligibility: Applicants must be Canadian residents studying in Canada and expect to enroll in a post-secondary program of at least two years. High school students must be in their last year or second-to-last year of secondary studies. (Grade 11 or 12). Applicants must be sponsored by a CFG Member Store. More info go to: http://www.cfig.ca/scholarship.asp</p>
31-May-2010	<p><i>Knights of Columbus State Scholarship Program</i> Award: 15 awards of \$500 each Eligibility: Open to Knights, their children and grandchildren, and wives or widows of a member of the Knights of Columbus and a well-rounded student who is continuing their education at a post-secondary level. See Mrs. Loman for an application form.</p>
1-June-2010 (This is when the application needs to be submitted for money to be awarded by November 2010)	<p><i>Alexander Rutherford Scholarship</i> Award: Varies Eligibility: Canadian citizen and Alberta resident. Has completed high school and meets the mark average criteria. Course requirements: http://www.alis.gov.ab.ca/pdf/scholarships/rutherfordcourserequirements.pdf Application form: http://alis.alberta.ca/pdf/scholarships/Rutherford%20Scholarship.pdf There is NO DEADLINE to apply for this award. Recommended to apply by June 1 for distribution of award in November 2010. The new application forms are here. See Mrs. Loman for a copy.</p>
1-Jun-2010	<p><i>Alberta Milk Never Stop Scholarship</i> Award: 2 Awards (1 Male, 1 Female) of \$1000 each Eligibility: Excellence in sport, academics, leadership, community service, and sportsmanship (The deadline for school application for this award was May 3) See the ASAA website: http://www.asaa.ca/new/index.php</p>
7-Jun-2010	<p><i>Stuck at Prom (Design and build prom attire out of Duct Tape!)</i> Award: \$3000 Eligibility: Students who are attending a high school prom (graduation) in spring of 2010. Contest participants must enter as a couple (two individuals). Each couple must attend a high school, home school association or other school-sanctioned prom held in the spring of 2010, wearing complete attire and/or accessories made from duct tape ("Duct Tape Prom Attire"). The attire must be an original work created by the couple, and may not copy, incorporate or be based on the work of a third party — any entry as such is subject to disqualification at the discretion of Sponsor For more info: http://www.duckbrand.com/Promotions/stuck-at-prom.aspx</p>
12-Jun-2010	<p><i>Rogers Sugar (Lantic Inc.) Scholarship Award Program</i> This scholarship is open to sugar beet growers or the children of sugar beet growers. See Mrs. Loman for an application form.</p>

<p>15-Jun-2010</p>	<p><i>The Canadian Medical Hall of Fame Scholarship</i> Award: The value of the scholarship is \$1000 per year toward a four-year undergraduate degree at any accredited Canadian university. Eligibility: This scholarship opportunity is available to high school students who are aspiring to a career in medicine or the health sciences. Visit: http://www.cdnmedhall.org/studentprograms/scholarships/scholarship_application.pdf for the application form.</p>
<p>22-Aug-2010</p>	<p><i>Royal Canadian Legion – Ladies’ Auxiliary Bursary</i> Award: \$500.00 (multiple awards) Eligibility: For students in grade 12 who are entering their first term of post-secondary studies. These awards are intended to assist children, grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews and great nieces & nephews of Ex-service personnel, as well as children and grandchildren of current serving personnel, RCMP, Reserve personnel and Firefighters (paid or volunteer) who have serviced a minimum of one year, in advancing their education. Children and grandchildren of Auxiliary and Branch member are also able to apply. (These are not for mature students – students over 20 years of age). Application forms are available by calling 403-289-0610 or website: www.laabnwtlegion.com. The application must be accompanied by a letter of reference and a letter from the student explaining why the money is needed and the reason for selecting the course. A statement of high school marks must also be included. For more info, see Mrs. Loman</p>
<p>Summer 2010</p>	<p>Online Summer School 2010 St. Paul’s Academy is once again offering online summer school for students. A variety of high school courses will be offered from: June 30 to July 23. The application deadline for registering for courses is June 25. Seating is limited. Visit their website to register or for more information: www.stpaulsacademy.ca</p>
<p>Summer 2010</p>	<p>ACCA: Co-operative Youth Program 2010 ACCA’s Co-operative Youth Program provides an opportunity for young people to develop their leadership skills, learn how to develop their community while creating lasting friendships and having a lot of fun. These seven day programs take place at Goldeye Centre, located near Nordegg, Alberta. This beautiful, remote setting provides the perfect environment to build friendships, discover hidden talents, learn new skills and truly enjoy you. For more information, visit: www.acca.coop</p>
<p>Summer 2010</p>	<p>MED VET Summer Academy If becoming a doctor or a veterinarian is your passion, you may be interested in an opportunity to attend a 10-day high school or college-level Summer Academy session at St. George’s University in Grenada (West Indies) to learn what it’s like to be a doctor or veterinarian. Go to: http://sgu.edu/summeracademy or call 1-800-899-6337 ext. 9 319 for more information.</p>

<p>Summer 2010</p>	<p>Canada World Youth -- <u>Youth Leaders in Action</u> and <u>InterAction</u> programs. Canada World Youth is an international nonprofit organization dedicated to providing dynamic youth, ages 15-29, with an opportunity to learn about other communities, cultures and people while developing leadership and communication skills. The Youth Leaders in Action is a six month program that brings 9 Canadian youth and 9 youth from another country together to share a common experience. The InterAction program is a 2-6 week intense and educational experience. If you are interested in more information in these programs or other programs offered by Canada World Youth, visit their website at: www.canadaworldyouth.org.</p>
<p>31-July-2010</p>	<p><i>June Callwood Harmony Scholarship</i> Award: 10 awards of \$1000 The June Callwood Harmony Scholarships recognize the outstanding achievements of youth in promoting harmony and diversity across Canada. Apply for a scholarship today if you are a graduating high school student who will be attending a post secondary institution in the fall. Go to: www.studentscholarships.org</p>
<p>1-Oct-2010</p>	<p><i>Earl and Countess of Wessex – World Championship Athletics Scholarship</i> Award: Two awards of \$3000 Eligibility: Must join the Track & Field team within one year of registering at one of the following post-secondary institutions: U of Calgary, U of Alberta, or U of Lethbridge. Must have completed grade 12 the same year they apply for the scholarship, and must meet all requirements of the university they plan to attend. Visit: http://alis.alberta.ca/pdf/scholarships/Wessex_app.pdf to download the application form.</p>

The following websites are great places to go to search for additional available scholarships:

<http://www.scholarships.com>

<http://www.studentawards.com>

<http://alis.alberta.ca/et/fo/scholarships/connections.html>

Summer Job Opportunity

The Town of Picture Butte has two positions available for **GENERAL LABOURER** to begin work immediately. The position would be part-time until school is finished and then full-time for the summer. Job duties include a wide variety and may include the following: String Trimming (Gas powered trimmer), Lawn Mowing (manual mower), Washing Vehicles, Concrete and Sidewalk work. **Valid Driver's License is required.** The work involved requires strength and stamina. Requires a **hard-working, dedicated** employee. If you are interested, see Mrs. Loman as soon as possible!