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RBC On Campus

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Wondering on how you will be paying for tuition this year? Don't know how a credit card works? Need help getting familiar with campus?

Never fear, RBC on Campus is here!

We are here to help you no matter your needs.

Need some help with homework? Check!

Need to grab some cash with no fees? Done!

Our RBC advisors know the campus like the back of our hands, as most of us are recent graduates and understand the struggles of our fellow students.

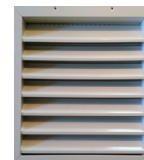
So whether you need financial advice or someone to talk to, come visit us. We look forward to meeting you!



Check us out at our pop up location in the Quad at 105 Pond or our advice location coming soon 95 Pond Road!

Message From Health and Safety

Remember there is no smoking within 9 metres of any building entrance or intake vent



Financial Literacy

Writer: Shrey Rao, New Beat Editor

On October 23, 2018 New College held a financial literacy workshop hosted by Professor Jodi Letkiewicz of the School of Administrative Studies. To those who missed it here are the highlights of the workshop that will give you a better understanding of how to handle finance as a student.

1. Live within your means:

Living within your means is one of the most important factors to financial stability. Do not spend money on things you cannot afford and make sure you focus expenditure on needs rather than wants.

2. Keep track of spending:

Keeping track of your spending is the best way to understand your financial status. Set a regular time such as every week or every month to review money coming in and money going out. Not only will this help keep your finances clear, it will reduce stress!

3. Savings:

Saving is a crucial step towards financial balance. Utilizing items like a Tax Free Savings Account (TFSA) is one of the easiest ways to make sure you are prepared for any sort of financial shock. Even saving as little as \$10/week can go a long way.

4. Use credit cards wisely:

Credit cards are one of the biggest things students should be aware of. Getting a credit card is important because it allows you to build

credit, however, abusing it will create long term consequences. It is recommended to get a credit card and to use it semi-occasionally for minor purchases to build credit. The longer you keep this card the stronger your credit score will become. Always remember to pay off your credit balance at the end of the month!



Peer Health Mentor

Writer: Cristian Kuyten-Thomas, NCC President

Hey Eagles! With great pleasure I would like to inform you that we have hired a peer health mentor specifically for New College. This individual will be trained in multiple avenues and have connections with many resources on campus revolving around health education. If you have any questions feel free to email president@newcollegecouncil.com

New College Alumni Network

Writer: Shrey Rao, New Beat Editor

Alumni networks are an amazing way to grow your connections and increase opportunities. New College is fortunate enough to have its very own Alumni Network. I recently interviewed the Chair of the New College Alumni Network (NCAN), Daniel Audisho, to ask him a few questions about the network. These are questions that are aimed to give students a better understanding of the purpose of the Alumni Network and its benefits.

1. What is the New College Alumni Network?

“The New College Alumni Network (NCAN) is an organization that exists to foster student-alumni relationships, alumni-alumni connections, and opportunity creation. We accomplish this by hosting events that bring New College alumni together, and/or by connecting them with current students.”

2. How can the Alumni Network Help Students?

“NCAN is a resource for current, high-potential students with an interest in expanding their network and being mentored by people in positions they aspire to be in. Look out for NCAN’s involvement with the York student community during the winter semester!”



3. Who is part of the Alumni Network and how do people become part of the Alumni Network?

“NCAN operates informally. NCAN programming is open to all New College alumni. NCAN is operated by the network leads (Daniel Audisho, Jen Beltran, Kevin Cao) with support from York University’s alumni relations group.”

Be sure to stay on the lookout for all opportunities NCAN has to offer in the coming months!

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