CAMPUS CONNECTIONS

A Newsletter for Burman University

Thursday, 06 February 2025

Gookie The sweetest way to say "I love you"! OP Dreorder now for February 13th link in bio! @ BurmanBakingClub

The deadline date to order is Friday, the 7th of February!

IMPORTANT ACADEMIC DATES

Feb.4 - Mar.4 50% Tuition Refund for full term courses in effect

February 25 Second 1/2 term begins

February 27 Last day to add any second 1/2 term course

Applications accepted for 2025/26 graduation **starting January 20.** Are you planning to graduate December 2025, April 2026 or August 2026? Apply now before the **\$25 late fee** is in effect on **April 1, 2025**.

See Academic Dates for further information.

Week at a Glance

Sunset: 5:33 pm

Friday, February 7 @ 7:30 PM

CAYA

Speaker: Dr. Dilys Brooks **Roots and Rhythm** College Church

SABBATH

ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL 9:15 AM Singspiration

Veronica Chang, Vera Wiebe **Superintendent:**

Jonathan Campbell

Adult Sabbath School Sanctuary Teachers
Sheldon Bailey, Nwamiko Madden, Henrique Silva

UNIVERSITY SABBATH SCHOOL

9:45 AM **Social Eyez**

CHURCH SERVICE 11:00 AM Speaker: Dr. Dilys Brooks

Coming up....

Saturday, February 8
@ 6:15 PM
Black Tie Dinner
Choral Union

@ 7:00 PM

Burman Bobcat Blackout

Burman PE Centre

Sunday, February 9
Sunday@ 4
ORENTES GUITAR TRIO
College Church

Monday, February 10 @ 7 PM HERR LECTURE SERIES

Guest Speaker Dr. Ghada Ageel

Palestine Revisited: Unveiling the Historical Roots

of Palestine's Struggle for Justice

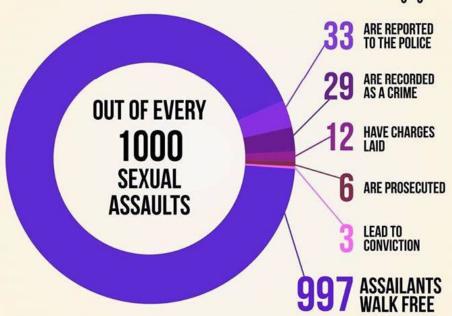
Lacombe Memorial Centre

Tuesday, @ 11

PowerUp - Chapel

Admin Chapel

THERE ARE 460,000 SEXUAL ASSAULTS in Canada every year





FEB 6TH, 2025

INTRODUCTION TO SEXUAL VIOLENCE

Join the Sendero Centre and the SSC for an informative introduction to sexual and gender-based violence.



WHEN:

Feb. 6th

11:00 - 12:30

WHERE:

Room A041

Lunch will be provided

Sign up using the QR below



Everyone is welcome

Questions?

Contact the SSC





DR. DILYS BROOKS

"Roots & Rugther"

FRIDAY | FEBRUARY 08 | 7:30 PM | College Heights SDA

FEATURING BU CAMPUS MINISTRIES GOSPEL CHOIR

JOIN US FOR

AFTERGLOW

"RHYSISE"

FEBRUARY 08, 2025 | ADMIN CHAPEL | 9:30 PM

SABBATE SGHOOL



@SOCIAL EYEZ

TIME | 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

08.02.2025



JOIN US FOR

BIBLE STUDY

SATURDAY, 08 FEBRUARY | 4 PM | @SOCIAL EYEZ

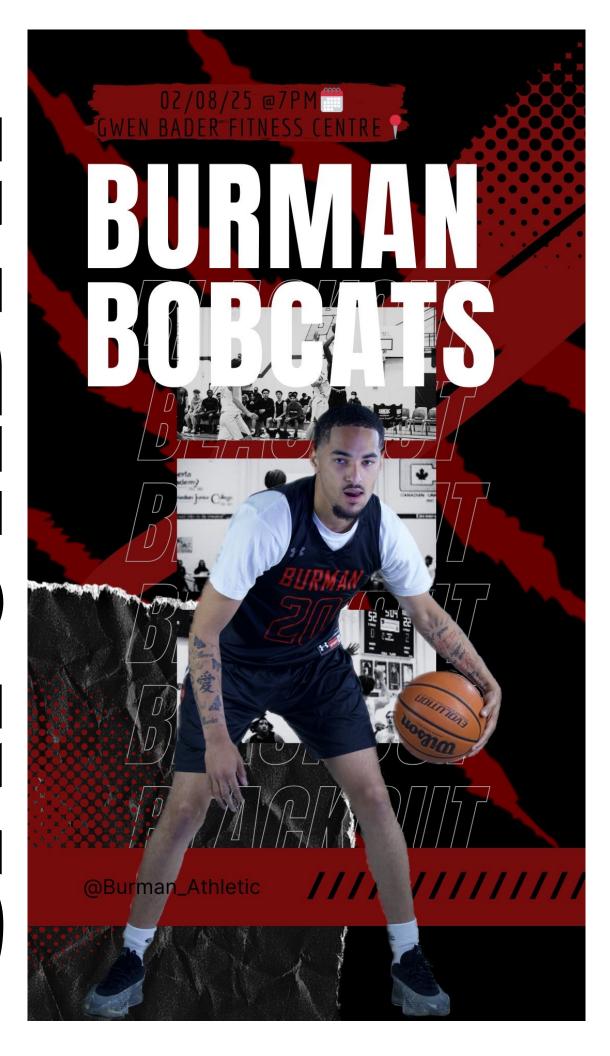
snacks & insightful convos provided

















SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9 @ 4PM

COLLEGE HEIGHTS SDA CHURCH (BURMAN UNIVERSITY)

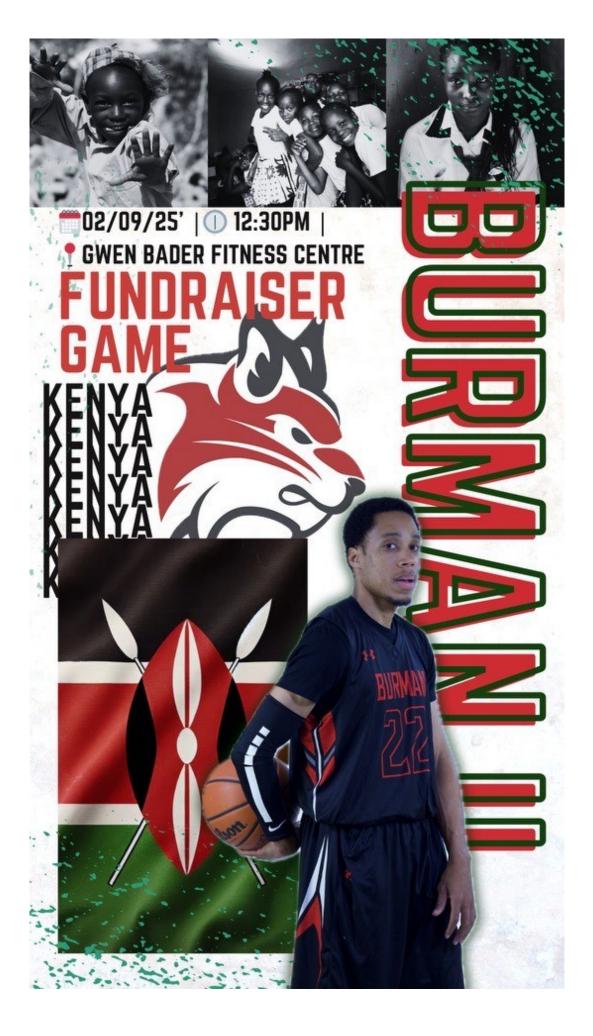
ORONTES GUITARISTS: CLASSICAL GUITAR TRIO

Gaby Al Botros I Owra Al Sharaa I Mohammed Mir Mahmoud

SCAN THE QR CODE FOR CONCERT TICKETS

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT WWW.BURMANU.CA/SUNDAYAT4







HERR LECTURE SERIES: "Palestine Revisited"

With Guest Speaker Dr. Ghada Ageel.

Palestine Revisited: Unveiling the Historical Roots of Palestine's Struggle for Justice

Monday, February 10, 2025 | 7:00 pm County Room, Lacombe Memorial Centre Reserve your seat HERE

Dr. Ageel is a third-generation Palestinian refugee. From 2000-2006 she worked as a translator with *The Guardi-* an newspaper, and is currently an Assistant Lecturer in the Faculty of Arts at the University of Alberta. She is editor of *Apartheid in Palestine: Hard Laws and Harder Experiences*, as well as co-editor of *Women's Voices from Gaza*, a seven-book series documenting life in Palestine before and after the 1948 Nakba as recounted by the women who lived through the experiences.

Dr. Ageel's knowledge of the Middle East conflict is both scholarly and personal. Born and raised in a refugee camp in Gaza, she still has family who live in the conflict zone as internally displaced persons. Her PhD dissertation explored the historic and contemporary role of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency (UNRWA) in addressing durable solutions for Palestinian refugees.

With personal testimony and academic rigour, Dr. Ageel seeks to share the story of Palestine -- then and now -- through a uniquely Palestinian lens.

BROWN BAG LUNCH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12.

Dr. Jonathan Campbell will be presenting some fascinating research at our Brown Bag Lunch titled "Ancient Documents, Digital Tools: New Methods for Studying New Testament Manuscripts"

Abstract: The New Testament that we read today did not appear out of thin air. For the centuries before the invention of the printing press, scribes undertook the painstaking work of hand copying every word. Because such copying introduces the possibility of error, scholars of the New Testament text compare these ancient manuscripts to come to a better understanding of what each book originally said. This presentation gives an overview of this reconstructive work, highlighting the digital tools that have brought the field of New Testament textual criticism into the 21st century.

Plan to spend lunch with us next Wednesday and learn about the important research happening in our own Religious Studies program!

DID YOU KNOW?

"Repeated Courses - Cumulative GPAs are calculated using the highest grade received in repeated courses; however, permanent records include a complete listing of all the courses attempted and the grades received. Students are allowed a maximum of three final grades in an individual course."

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PEDAGOGY

Pedagogy refers to the method and practice of teaching. Both an art and a science, teaching shapes the way knowledge is transmitted and transformed across generations. Great teachers do more than impart facts—they inspire curiosity, cultivate critical thinking, and adapt their methods to meet the diverse needs of learners. Rooted in both theory and practice, effective pedagogy balances structure with flexibility, integrating research-based strategies with the human touch of mentorship. Great teachers empower their students, igniting a flame within them to reach their goals. The evolution of teaching reflects the ever-changing landscape of education. In this symposium, we celebrate teachers and their invaluable role in educating the minds of tomorrow.

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THANK YOU FOR COMING

SPECIAL THANKS

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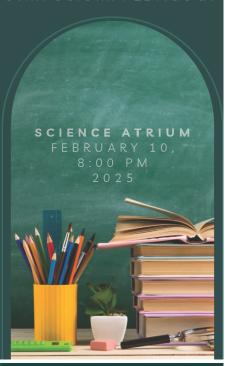
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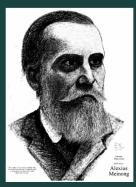
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THE LIVES OF GREAT TEACHERS

SYMPOSIUM: PEDAGOGY



TEACHERS





SKETCHED BY DR. TENNYSON SAMRAJ

PROGRAM

WELCOME

TERESA BRUCE & DENORA TAHINU

HONOURING

ELDER FITCH DR. WENDOLIN MUNROE DR. WENDY MARKOSKY ADAM DEIBERT

INTRODUCTION

DR. OTIENO

"PEDOGOGY: THEORY AND APPLICATION"

DR. LOREN AGREY

"LULLABY BY REBECCA CLARKE

ALYSSA DE GIER

"A MATTER OF IDENTITY"

DR. CHLOE WEIR

"I WISH YOU LOVE" JADEN MANUEL

"THE HEART OF EDUCATION: WHY INCLUSION

AJ FRANK

"ANDANTE MODERATO BY CARL STAMITZ"

ALYSSA DE GIER

CLOSING REMARKS

JOSHUA LANG

TEACHERS





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Rethink, Reframe and Stand against Gender-Based Violence

Lakeview Community Worship Feb. 12th, 2025

Join the SSC as they host a short TedTalk presentation and discussion related to gender-based violence.

refreshments will be served





FACULTY EXCELLENCE AWARDS

SUBMIT YOUR
NOMINATIONS FOR
EXELLENCE IN
TEACHING,
SCHOLARSHIP, AND
SERVICE

NOMINATION DEADLINE TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2025

SCAN THE OR CODE OR CLICK HERE FOR THE NOMINATION FORM





Feb 27th, 2025 Supporting Survivors

Join the Sendero Centre and the SSC for a presentation on how to support survivors of sexual and gender-based violence.



WHEN:

Feb. 27th

11:00 - 12:30

WHERE:

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Mriting Centre

APPOINTMENTS AVAILABLE

TUE

4:00-8:00 PM

WED

2:45-4:45 PM

THU

5:00-8:00 PM

Book now at https://appt.link/WritingCentre/WritingCentre

For inquiries or virtual meetings email wcdirector@burmanu.ca



MONDAY TO THURSDAY

BREAKFAST 7:30AM - 9:00AM

LUNCH 11:30AM - 1:30PM

DINNER 5:00PM - 6:30PM

SATURDAY

LUNCH 1:00PM - 2:00PM

DINNER 5:00PM - 6:0PM

SUNDAY

BRUNCH 11:30AM - 1:00PM

DINNER 5:00PM - 6:00PM

Feel free to contact Miusia (Cafeteria Senator) at miusiamuto@burmanu.ca for any concerns.



Are you looking for a summer ministry opportunity in Canada where you can also earn money? Check out the Canada Youth Challenge (CYC) program. It's one of the most challenging ministry you may ever be involved in, but it's also one of the most rewarding with the greatest growth. Reach out to our CYC Rep. Fabricio for more information at 416-897-7356.



FOR RENT

A nice one-bedroom (with den) apartment for rent on College Avenue. The apartment includes a kitchen, living room, full bath and den. Comes with one bay of a detached garage and has shared laundry facilities. Private entrance. Ideal for a mature, clean and quiet individual who appreciates living in a quiet complex.

No pets and no kids allowed. Available March 1, 2025, or possibly earlier. If interested, please contact Wayne at w-pschafer@shaw.ca for more details