



ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE | MARCH 10

St. Patrick's Day, honoring the patron saint of Ireland, is celebrated annually on March 17. The holiday has evolved into a global celebration of Irish culture. In Halifax, the St. Patrick's Day parade is a lively event with colorful floats, music, and enthusiastic participants. It's a fun-filled celebration where people gather in green attire to enjoy the festive atmosphere and showcase Irish pride. [Info HERE](#)

2024 JUNO AWARDS | MARCH 24

Established in 1970, The Juno Awards are Canada's most prestigious annual music awards that celebrate the diverse talent of Canadian artists and serve as a platform to showcase their contributions to the global music industry. Halifax will host a lineup of JUNO Week events from March 20-24, culminating with the 53rd Annual JUNO Awards at Scotiabank Centre on Sunday, March 24, 2024. [Info HERE](#)



NOVA SCOTIA SPOTLIGHT: SKI MARTOCK & SKI WENTWORTH

Calling all skiers and snowboarders! Nova Scotia boasts two great skiing locations: Ski Martock and Ski Wentworth. Ski Martock is located just 55min from Halifax. It has seven trails including a terrain park, beginner bowl, quad chairlift, T-bar lift and a Magic Carpet. All downhill trails including the terrain park are lit for night skiing and snowboarding. Ski Wentworth is 1hr 40min from Halifax, and has 20 alpine trails, 2 terrain parks, ski/snowboard cross and a variety of trails that will challenge any skier. Don't miss your chance to hit the slopes before spring arrives! [Martock Info](#) [Wentworth Info](#)

STAFF SPOTLIGHT: NICK CANTAR | UBP

Hometown: Erin, Ontario

Favourite thing about Halifax: Being near the sea and beaches!

Fun Fact: I studied English and journalism

Favourite Hobby: Writing fiction short stories

Language Learning Tip: Strike up conversations with native speakers. Don't be afraid to make mistakes!

Current Obsession: Painting landscapes of Nova Scotia



Lunar New Year Paper-Cutting Workshop

Our GEP students enjoyed a Lunar New Year paper cutting workshop to celebrate the Year of the Dragon, led by a special guest from China. They learned traditional techniques and crafted intricate designs symbolizing luck and prosperity. It was a fun and culturally enriching experience for all.



Halifax Curling Club

All of us had a blast learning to curl at the Halifax Curling Club, diving into Canada's unique sport and culture. Amidst laughter and excitement, students embraced the challenge of sliding stones and sweeping brooms. It was a memorable experience that brought everyone together while celebrating a beloved Canadian tradition.

Board Game Night

A group of us spent an evening at the Board Room Game Cafe for a night of competition and camaraderie. The cozy ambiance made for a memorable experience as we rolled dice, strategized moves, and shared laughs and snacks. It was a fantastic opportunity to connect and unwind.



Ski Martock

Students, friends, and children had a wonderful time hitting the slopes at Martock. The winter air was crisp, the scenery was stunning, and everyone enjoyed the thrill of skiing and snowboarding. Excitement filled the slopes as beginners bravely tackled their first runs and seasoned skiers showcased their skills.