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BURNABY STUDENTS PARLER FRANCAIS BIEN!

Burnaby schools students were successful in multiple grade levels and categories at the Canadian Parent s for French, Provincial Concours d'art oratoire. First place finishers included Hamish Clinton (Alpha), Arshia Shirbani

from across the country in Gatineau Québec. Burnaby Schools Hamish Clintor 2nd in the Grade 12 Early Immersion category with his speech, "La crise globale de l'eau." Hamish has been offered scholarships from the University of Ottawa, l' de Saint -Boniface, the University of Moncton and l'Université St Anne.

SKILLS CANADA GOLDEN MOMENT

The results are in for the 2016 Skills Canada National Competition that was recently held in Moncton, New Brunswick. Burnaby North's Calvin Leung who attends the Cisco Computer Networking Technician Program at Burnaby South ret urned home with a

LIGHTS, CAMERA, SCIENCE!

What do soap, addiction, BPA (bisphenol A) and menstruation have in common? They were all winning topics in the District's first ever Science & Technology video contest. Initiated by Science & Math Program Consultant Ron Coleburn, four teams of students from two schools, Moscrop and Burnaby North captured their science savvy on film. Each team member rec eived a gift card and a District certificate of achievement. Their winning films will soon be posted online.

IT TAKES A VILLAGE....

Education is everybody's business and we are appreciat e the following organiz ations for their support of public education in Burnaby schools.

Second Street Elementary was a runner -up 2016 Indigo Love of Reading Foundation's Literacy Fund grant program. T he school received more than 1,500 new books that were gener ously donated by Disney Worldwide Publishing, Marvel Press, Disney Press, Lucasfilm Press, and Hyperion Press. These books will enhance the school