

## What's Your Passion Lunchtime Speaker Series Lakeview Campus

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**February 14th, 2017**

### **Dr. Erica Johnson - My Journey to Becoming a Veterinarian**

Dr. Erica Johnson grew up here in Calgary, Alberta. After graduating from high-school, she went on to receive her Bachelor of Science in Zoology from the University of Calgary.

She then applied to attend to the Western College of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Saskatchewan. After not being accepted, she decided to go to Olds College to become an Animal Health Technologist.

She did this job for about 4 years, before deciding to try again to apply for veterinary school. After an initial rejection, she applied once more and was finally accepted.

Since graduating in 2006, she has been working as a veterinarian at Fish Creek Pet Hospital.

Outside of work, she loves spending time with her family and friends and hanging out with her three cats Marley, Mattie and Joey

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**February 21, 2017**

### **Alessia Marchesan - High School: Life beyond CGS**



Hello! My name is Alessia Marchesan, and I'm a Grade 11 student at St. Francis High School. I attended CGS for 4 years, and graduated the school in 2015. I am currently part of the Improv Club, Rugby Team and Youth Volunteer Core at my school. Outside of school I am part of Girl Guides, and do a lot of camping and outdoor

adventuring. I plan to attend post-secondary, but am still undecided about which field of study I will be going into. I hope to speak to you guys about High School and all it's quirks, as well as help to answer some questions about what school after CGS is really like. See you there!

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**March 9, 2017**

**Nancy Lowery, Lead People Whisperer  
The Natural Leader**

<http://www.TheNaturalLeader.ca>

Nancy always wanted to work with horses when she grew up, it just took a while to get here. It was during her job as a Project Manager that her horse helped her understand - you manage projects but you lead people.

Nancy now operates The Natural Leader a Leadership through Horsemanship program, partnering corporate leaders and managers with horses to understand that difference. You can't MAKE a horse do anything!

Starting her own business was the most gratifying, exciting, terrifying and hardest project she has ever participated in. It's an everyday, 365 day a year commitment.... even when it is -30. She can't imagine doing anything else.

Nancy will share a bit of her journey with you.... Leadership with Horses wasn't an option when she graduated from high school. What hasn't been created yet that might be your passion?