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Laurier Brantford welcomes students, parents at largest open house *Prospective students get chance to see what life at the Brantford campus is like*

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BRANTFORD – Laurier Brantford anticipates a record number of students and their parents will attend its third annual March break open house. Next Wednesday, starting at 10 a.m., the campus will open its doors to provide a closer look at the campus and its programs, and offer an opportunity to talk to students and professors.

An increase in applications of 236 per cent from last February is leading organizers to prepare for a larger turnout than at previous open houses. But the goal remains the same: to show the campus's spirit of personal attention, community atmosphere and academic excellence.

“We have a number of new programs starting this September that students may want to learn more about,” says Holly Cox, recruitment and public relations coordinator. “This is an opportunity for students and parents to see what the campus can offer – both academically and on the student life side. Our current students are playing a big role in this open house, so visitors can learn about Laurier Brantford directly from them.”

Laurier president Bob Rosehart and campus dean Leo Groarke will welcome students and parents, and introduce them to Laurier Brantford. Visitors can attend information workshops run by faculty/student teams, tour the growing campus and ask questions at an interactive, one-on-one university fair.

For more information on the Laurier Brantford open house please visit
www.wlu.ca/~wwwbrant/pages/openhouse.shtml.

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