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### EVERY STUDENT, EVERY DAY WATER BREAK CONTEST – FINAL CHANCE TO SUBMIT

LAST SPRING, *EVERY STUDENT, EVERY DAY* was excited to work with schools across the territory to provide each and every Yukon student with a water bottle donated by Victoria Gold and *Every Student, Every Day's Water Break Contest* was launched.

This exciting territory-wide Initiative brings together improved hydration and health, which leads to greater activity levels and therefore increased engagement in school; all the while supporting Yukoners' - and Victoria Gold's - values to reduce plastic waste and help protect our valued environment.

As the *Water Break Contest* approaches its entry deadline on **September 30**, Yukon youth aged five to 18 are encouraged to submit a photo of themselves with their *Every Student, Every Day* water bottle as they enjoy their favourite activity or hobby for a chance to win prizes. First place winners will receive an iPad and runner up winners will receive a gift card from a Yukon business in three contest age categories.

"There is almost a week left to enter the contest, so we highly encourage all Yukon students to submit a selfie with their water bottle or with the *Every Student, Every Day* logo," says Victoria Gold Yukon Student Encouragement Society President Tara Christie. "As we work together, through *Every Student, Every Day*, to help increase engagement and attendance at school, it is heart-warming to see the level of participation so far, and we want to ensure that all students in all Yukon communities have a chance to win by submitting their photo before the contest ends next Thursday.

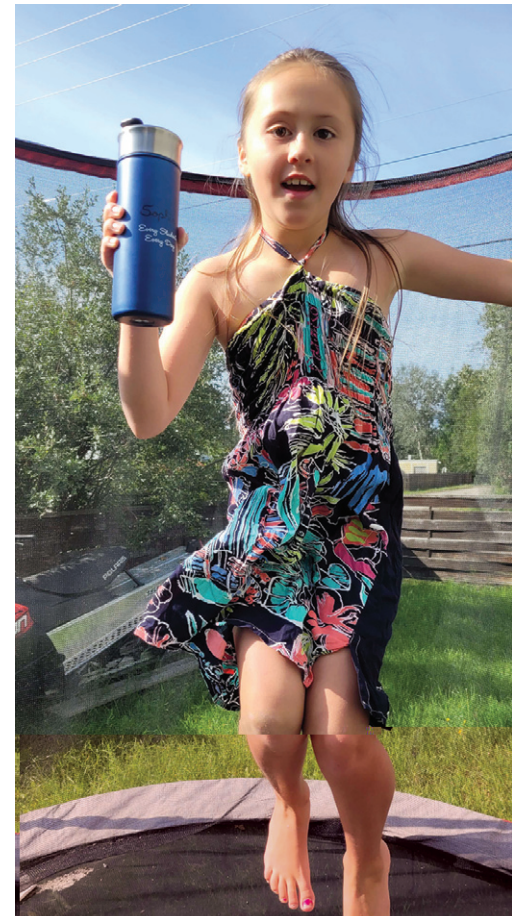
The *Every Student, Every Day Water Break Contest* deadline is **Thursday, September 30**. For contest information and instructions to submit photos and/or download *Every Student, Every Day's* logo, please visit [everystudenteveryday.ca](http://everystudenteveryday.ca)

Please find *Every Student, Every Day* Water Break Contest details at [www.everystudenteveryday.ca](http://www.everystudenteveryday.ca)



Nathan, taking a dip this summer in the Yukon River between Minto Landing and Fort Selkirk is 6, and attends Holy Family Elementary School in Whitehorse.

Nathan's photo - a contender in the contest - demonstrates how you can include the *Every Student, Every Day* logo, instead of your water bottle, in your photo.



Sophia is 8 and attends J.V. Clark School in Mayo.

A contender in the contest, Sophia, is enjoying a beautiful summer day on her trampoline in Mayo loving her water bottle "that she takes everywhere with her!"

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The Eagle Gold Mine, now in production, is part of Victoria's 100-per cent-owned Dublin Gulch Property located approximately 375 kilometres north of Whitehorse and 85 kilometres north, northeast of the Village of Mayo within the traditional territory of the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyak Dun. The property is accessible by road year-round and is connected to Yukon Energy Corp's electrical grid. The mine is a significant contributor to the Yukon economy employing 350-400 people.

