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Royal West Academy Student Bulletin

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Annamie Paul (born 1972)
Canadian politician, activist, lawyer and leader of the Green Party of Canada since October 3, 2020. First Black Canadian and first Jewish woman to be elected leader of a major federal party in Canada.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- February 28-March 4 – Spring Break

WATERLOO MATH COMPETITION (ALL Sec 3, 4, 5s) (NEW)

Students will write the Waterloo Math Competition on February 23rd during period 1 and part of period 2. **On the day of the contest, students are asked to go to homeroom and then head to their period 2 classroom to write their contest (see table below)**. Required materials: pencil (NO pens), eraser, scientific calculator (NOT graphing). Scrap paper will be provided. The contest is 60min. If you finish early, you may read a book or do homework quietly.

ROOM	COURSE	PERIOD 2 TEACHER
101	SCI34-04	MAGEE
104	ENGL56-06	TZOVANIS
107	FRAN44-04	LOUISSANT
108	FRAN46-11	MOREAU
112	FRAN44-02	GOUIN
117	PPO-06	MACLEOD
201	PHYED5-02	LAPIERRE
204	PHYED5-01	AIKEN
205	ETD3-05	VAMVAKAS
212	ENGL46-03	WILSON
214	ENGLI3-03	STEWART-REID
215	ENGLI3-02	CHRONOPOULOS
304	CHEM54-04	FOGEL
305	SCI44-06	KISSIN
307	SCI44-05	LISCIO
311	ETHIC5-05	DIACOUMACOS
313	HIST3-01	PULICE
314	WORLD-03	POMENTI

SEC 1 AND 2 ROOM CHANGES (NEW)

Some Sec 1 and 2 classes will move rooms on **February 23rd during period 1** due to the Waterloo Math Competition. Please see the table below.

STUDENTS	ORIGINAL ROOM	NEW ROOM	TEACHER
FRANC2-03	112	113	GOUIN
ETP2-01	205	206	VAMVAKAS
ETHIC2-02	313	315	PULICE
ENGLI1-06	215	213	CHRONOPOULOS
GEOG1-04	314	306	POMENTI

TCBY THURSDAY

Support your grads! TCBY will be sold this Thursday February 24 at lunch in the main lobby and 1st floor west wing. Cost is $2.50. **(NEW)**

Youth Ambassador Program
NDG Youth Ambassador consists of two intensive weekends of training, hands-on workshops and tours on what it's like to participate on a Board of Directors and how decisions are made in their neighborhood and in their city. These two weekends will take place on April 2 and 3 and May 7 and 8, 2022. Between the two weekends, participants will have to participate in a virtual networking evening in order to choose the organizations that interest them and that they would like to visit.
To underline the involvement of the participants, the program offers them a certificate of participation as well as a seasonal pass for La Ronde. In addition, they have the chance to receive one of two scholarships worth $2,500.
To participate in the program, young people must be between the ages of 12 and 16 and be a resident of Montreal. To register please write a short text describing your motivations for participating. Please email caroline.gauthier@cje-ndg.com for more info. **(NEW)**

Flag Football Girls: Tryouts are starting on Thursday February 24th in the new gym for grade 10 and 11 girls. Please sign up on the list outside the new gym before tryouts. **(NEW)**

Social Justice Club
Thursday, February 24th, at lunch in room 215, there will be a special guest speaker providing us with a workshop for Black History Month. Come with your lunch and don't be late. Ms. Chronopoulos **(NEW)**

Ski/Snowboard Club: Grades 10 and 11 (NEW)
Our final outing to Mont St. Sauveur (night skiing) is happening on Friday, March 11th! You can pick up an official registration form as of recess today. Forms will be available outside of office 224 in the second floor west wing (near the water fountain). Please read the instructions on the form carefully and follow proper instructions for handing them in. If you have any questions, you can speak to Ms. Colannino or Mr. Zigby.

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16U boys basketball team for this summer's JCC Maccabi! (NEW)
SUNDAY, MARCH 6th NOON
Location: Sylvan Adams YM-YWHA
Eligibility
The mission of the JCC Maccabi Games states that the program is a Jewish event for Jewish teenagers with the intent to foster long-lasting memories and identification with organized Jewish community groups as well as identification with Israel. The JCC Maccabi Games aim to foster a strong Jewish identity among all of its participants.

To participate in the Games, athletes must be at least 13 years old and CANNOT have turned 17 years old as of July 31 the year of the Games.

Boys Rugby
Boys Rugby is still recruiting boys from all grades for our three teams. Signup sheets are still outside the New Gym office. Please see Mr. Lapierre in 310 for more information. Our next practice is Thursday 24 February in the Boys' Gym at 3:10pm. Water bottles, masks and mouthguards are required. (**NEW**)

Ultimate Frisbee. Sign up sheets are posted. The first try-out will be on Friday, March 11 in the new gym. (**NEW**

Lit Mag - Open for Submissions
Here at Lit Mag, this month's theme is mystery! Unmask your creativity and impress the lit mag crew! Dear Watson and Sherlock will be collecting all DNA, fingerprints and submissions. Help us put the pieces together and have an awesome publication this February! Be careful though: Scooby Doo and his crew will be coming after you if you don't get your submissions in on time. The due date is February 23rd! Send your work into rwalitmag@gmail.com . We can't wait to take out our magnifying glasses to read over your mystifying submissions! Featured pieces are eligible to win a gift certificate at Chapters/Indigo.

Floor Hockey
Next floor hockey sessions: March 14, March 23, April 1st. M. Ohayon

Plant Club
Do you have a green thumb? A green finger? Or maybe even a green toe (we don't judge)? Whether or not you have a green appendage, if you're interested in plants you should join **Plant Club**! We learn and interact with all types of plant life. Plant Club meets every Thursday after school in the cafeteria. E. Newton and M. Dupaul.

Midget Boy's basketball practices this week: Wed morning @ 7:30 AM in the New Gym & Thurs after school @ 3:10 PM in the New Gym