

Royal West Academy

Student Bulletin

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- *September 19 - ID photo retakes*
- *September 20 - ECA Fair*
- *September 22 - Car Free Day*
- *September 23 - PM Ped day*
- *September 26 - Extended Homeroom*
- *September 30 - Orange Shirt Day*
- *October 3 - Ped Day*
- *October 5 - Sec 1 parent seminar*

NEW!

OPEN HOUSE VOLUNTEERS

A huge CONGRATULATIONS and THANK YOU to all the student volunteers who contributed to the Open House. The feedback thus far from prospective students is incredibly positive. Specifically, families were blown away with all the current student leaders and helpers. Way to go! We appreciate all your time and effort!

NEW!

ATTENTION TRAIN PASSENGERS

This is a reminder to be mindful of your behavior on the train and respectful to all passengers. You are ambassadors of RWA and we want to be proud of your comportment. Please respect designated quiet spaces on the train, allow passengers to get off the train before you enter the train car, and be cautious on the platform. Make us proud!

NEW!

ID PHOTO RETAKES

If you missed ID photos due to absence or if the administration has asked you to retake your photo, please see the schedule below. **Retakes are TODAY in room 102.**

9:15 a.m. Sec 1-3

9:45 a.m. Sec 4-5

NEW!

WELLNESS CLUB

Our **first meeting will be Thursday September 29th @ lunch in room 215.** Looking forward to seeing you then! Still a few spaces left if you are interested, please sign up outside room 224. Looking for a calm zen space at lunch? Looking for ways to improve your wellbeing or want to drop in for short meditations? Are you interested in wellness, want to make a difference in creating healthy habits and practices for your wellbeing and others, would like to create a more positive school environment? Thursdays at lunch this club is open to Secondary 3-4 and 5 students who have an interest in promoting wellness and awareness on mental health. Together we'll be brainstorming ways to educate and inspire our school community.

For more info, please see Ms. Wineberg (225), Ms. Di Pietro (226) or Ms. Trehin (112B).

NEW!

Bouldering:

If you have signed up for bouldering, please make sure to have the waiver filled out and sign. You must also come and get a permission slip from room 214. All permission slips must be signed and returned.

Mr. Stewart

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MATH COMPETITIONS CLUB

We will be meeting today (Mon. Sept. 19th) in Rm 201. Bring your lunch for our first session!

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Seniors Robotics Club - (GRADE 9 - 10 - 11)

CRC Robotics club are looking for students who are interested in the following areas for the 2022-2023 school year:

- Video production (Directors, script writers, editors, etc.)
- Robot building and programming
- Website Designers
- Art displays

If you're interested, there will be an important meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 21st at 12:30p.m. in room 208. Bring your lunch!

RWA School Song

We need a new school song! This song should come from the RWA community, so we are looking for YOUR input. If you want to contribute ideas for lyrics or a melody, please contact Ms. Purdy so you can be added to the TEAMS group. Depending on the hours you contribute, part or full ECA credits will be given.

gpurdy@emsb.qc.ca

Second Juvenile Boys Soccer Tryout

The second tryout for Juvenile Boys Soccer Team will be Monday September 19th after school at 3:30 at Hodgson's Field. See you there.

LGBTQ+

If you're looking for a safe space to discuss LGBTQ+ issues, participate in community projects and events, and learn how to be a great ally, come join the LGBTQ+ club! Meetings are every Day 6 at lunch in Room 209 beginning on Tuesday, September 20. All students are welcome.

Variety Show

Do you have a talent that you've been dying to share with the world? Have you been sitting on an untapped ability? Come join this year's unforgettable Variety Show! We are looking for all types of acts! If you are interested in auditioning here is what you need to do. Sign-up sheet will be located outside room 224 (bulletin board). Looking forward to seeing all the talent in this school! Good luck! Auditions will be held afterschool on Monday October 17th -in the music room

Variety Show Committee

If you are interested in helping out with the Variety Show please see Ms. Di Pietro (226), Mr. Linton, or Mr. Todi (resource room). ECA credit available.

Bantam Girls Volleyball

Our next tryouts will be held in the new gym on:

Wednesday morning (Sept. 21) at 7h15 and Friday afternoon (sept. 23) from 2:30 to 4:30.

Breakfast Program

Royal West is happy to announce the start of our new **Breakfast Program** on **Tuesday, September 20th**.

A Healthy and tasty breakfast will be sold in the RWA Cafeteria beginning at 7:45 am each morning. A full breakfast will be sold for just **one dollar**. The Breakfast Program is open to all RWA students.

We encourage all our students to start off their school day right with a balance breakfast!

Science Fair 2023

The Science Fair is back at RWA on February 9th, 2023!

The Science Fair is a great opportunity to develop research skills that are essential for working in all fields of science at any levels of academia. Top projects are given the opportunity to participate in regional and perhaps even national science fairs with other students from all across the country!

This year, the Science Fair is **optional** for students in grades 8-11. Participation will give you **2 credits** related to the research you choose to do.

If you think you would like to participate in the Science Fair, please follow the link below and fill in the required information before September 23rd, 2022. **All students planning on participating must fill in the form, regardless of whether you are working with a partner or individually.**

<https://forms.gle/3ftBC88x54NfSGKQ7>

If you have any questions, please direct them to your science teacher. Looking forward to seeing all of your amazing minds in action!

The RWA Science Department.

Music Room /Memorial Gym/ Caretaker Entrance

Students and staff are asked not to use the Music Room /Memorial Gym/ Caretaker entrance or the bike rack that is located in that area. **An additional bike rack was added on the walkway leading to the front entrance.** The area beyond the gates is for construction workers and vehicles only. For your safety, please stay away from this area at all times. Please do not move the gates. This includes evening activities.

Debate Team – No after school practice this week

Due to the Ped Day on Friday, there will be no debate team practice on Friday. Our next lunch meeting will be on Wednesday, Sept. 21st, when we will do a run-down of how competitive debating works. It is not too late to sign up. Check out the practice info, MS Teams code, and sign-up sheet on the door to Room 211.

– Ms. Holloway

SWIM TEAM!!

Are you ready to join the Swim Team? Please sign up outside the Foundation (New) Gym and attend the Information meeting **Tuesday, September 20th** in Room 305 at lunch.

Bonne  Journée