

# Royal West Academy

## Student Bulletin

We would like to acknowledge that Royal West Academy is located on unceded Indigenous lands. The Kanien'kehá:ka\* Nation is recognized as the traditional custodians of Tiohtià:ke/Montréal\*, which has long been a site of meeting and exchange for many First Nations and is currently home to diverse groups of Indigenous and other peoples. We are grateful to live, work, and learn here and recognize the important role of education in reconciliation. (and in maintaining connections between the past, present, and future.)



NATIONAL  
CHOCOLATE  
CUPCAKE DAY  
OCTOBER 18

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct. 18 – Sec 4 CEGEP presentation
- Oct. 23 – 27 – MindPOP ELA
- Oct. 23 – 27 – Waste Reduction Week
- Oct. 24 – Sec 1 Camp de Bon Départ
- Oct. 25-26 – EMSB Career Fair Sec. 5
- Oct. 25 – Sec. 1 Parent Seminar
- Oct. 27 – RWA Spirit Day
- Oct. 31 – Dress Down Day
- Nov. 1 – Sec. 3 Visual Arts Museum Trip
- Nov. 1 – Sec. 3 Vaccinations

**NEW!**

#### **CADET BOYS BASKETBALL**

Reminder that there will be a practice TODAY (Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup>) in the Memorial Gym at 3pm!

**NEW!**

#### **BASKETBALL SCOREKEEPERS!!**

The basketball season is just around the corner! There is a signup sheet outside the New Gym office for all those interested in scorekeeping basketball this year and earning a community credit.

There will also be a brief information meeting at 3:15pm in the New Gym this Friday October 20<sup>th</sup>.

See you there! –Isaac

**NEW!**

FEM CLUB will be on Thursday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023, and will be every day 4.

**NEW!**

#### **LGBTQ+ HISTORY FACT OF THE DAY**

Homosexuality was a crime in Canada until 1968. It was decriminalized in 1969.

**NEW!**

#### **RWC 2023 update**

The RWC enjoyed its best ¼ final weekend ever this past weekend. You could spend years watching sports and not see sporting events that matched the intensity, physicality, toughness, skill and excitement of those rugby games. 4 teams remain, England vs South Africa and New Zealand vs Argentina. Who will make it to the final? The only way to know is to tune into TSN on Friday and Saturday afternoon and watch.

**NEW!**

#### **Attention RWA rugby players**

We have received an invitation from McGill Men's Rugby to attend their homecoming game against Bishop's this Saturday. A link to purchase tickets online has been posted to rugby Team's page and is at the end of this announcement. This is not a team event for us. There is still one RWA alum playing for McGill: Brad Hunger.

<https://mcgillathletics.tuxedobillet.com/main/redbirds-rugby-vs-bishops>

**NEW!**

#### **Ping Pong and Bouldering**

You heard it! Table tennis (Ping Pong) and Bouldering will begin in the Memorial Gym at lunch on day 4 and

7! Whether you prefer the fast-paced action of ping pong or the physical challenge of bouldering, both activities can help you improve your skills and have a great time!

NEW!

**Track and Field**

Just a reminder that track and field practice will take place Thursday afterschool outdoors. We will meet near the New Gym.

**ÉQUIPE DE PUBLICITÉ DU COMITÉ ENVIRONNEMENTAL**

Notre rencontre de demain est annulée, on se revoit la semaine prochaine.

- Mme Deschênes

**Juvenile Boy's basketball**

Final Juvenile Boy's bball tryouts happening on Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup> @ 3:15 PM in Foundation Gym.

**Club de BD et chocolat chaud pour les 9-10-11ièmes**

Notre deuxième rencontre du club aura lieu ce mercredi (le 18 octobre) sur l'heure du midi. Venez avec votre lunch a 207 au début du diner.

- Madame Guoin