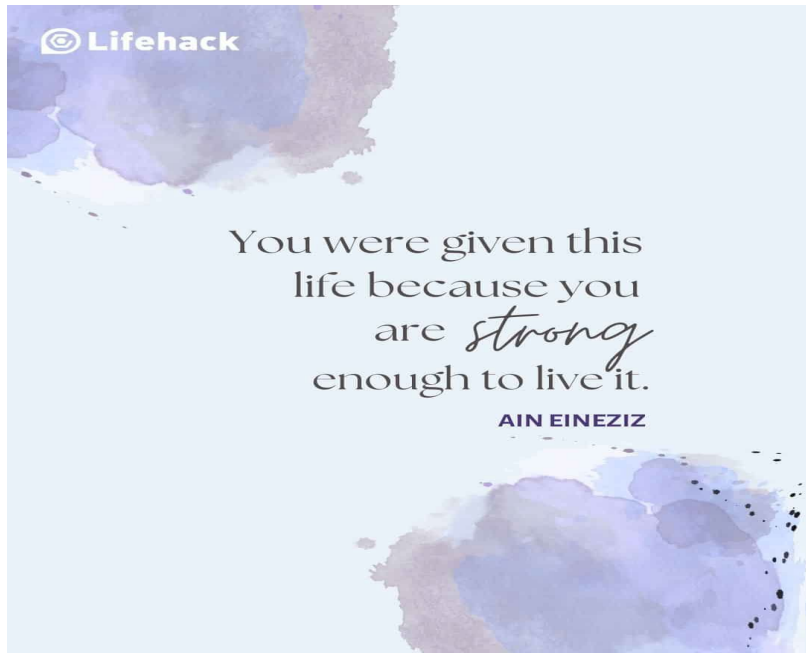


Royal West Academy

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.)



UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov. 28 – Sec. 1 Parent Seminar
- Nov. 29 – Home & School Meeting
- Dec. 1 – Regional Ped Day
- Dec. 4 – 8 - Food and Toy drive
- Dec. 4- 8 – Tyndale Week
- Dec. 4 – RWA Brass Quintet Performance P. 3 & 4
- Dec. 6 - Sec 5 FLE Sortie cinéma
- Dec. 6 - Voices of Olympia Opening Ceremony
- Dec. 8 – Dress Down Day

NEW!

Track and Field

Practice/Try-outs for high jump Tuesday November 28th during lunch in the Boys Gym.

NEW!

Avalanche Hockey Kidz -Volunteers Needed

Avalanche Hockey Kidz is a unique multifaceted non-profit program that uses the sport of hockey to educate and empower under-resourced youth and youth with special needs (ages 4 to 13). This program is a learn to skate, as well as a developmental hockey program. Avalanche Kidz involves students from local high schools to help on ice and mentor the children.

(2 ECA's credits offered -16 hours total). Please see Ms. Di Pietro in room 226 if interested or for more information.

Key Details:

Be able to skate

Be committed to the whole season (April 2024)

1 hour a week on Sunday at 11am to 12pm at Arena Brebeuf

Be able to have a 1-on-1 skating session with our special needs children

Build bonds and be a role-model and mentor

NEW!

Tyndale Week meeting for Grade 7's

All Grade 7 students are asked to come for a brief presentation in the PAC on Wednesday, November 29th @ 12:45 PM. The presentation will deal with the upcoming Tyndale Week event happening at our school during the week of December 4th. The presentation will be given by Mr Sean Day, Director of Tyndale St. Georges. We ask all Grade 7's to eat their lunch before this meeting and be present at the allotted time. Please keep in mind that NO food or drink is permitted in the Performing Arts Center so please do not bring anything into the area.

As well, we also encourage all new teachers to RWA to attend as well so that they can be made aware of the importance of Tyndale week at our school.

Lastly, Grade 7 homeroom teachers are also welcome to attend if they would like to.

Ice Packs

RWA is happy to provide ice packs when students request them at the office. It is however important that all ice packs are returned so they may be used by other students. If you forgot to return the ice pack, please do so as soon as possible.

Grads with Siblings

Please make sure to read the email you were sent about your family photo for the yearbook. We will begin taking photos this week.

Sec 1 Art Rotation

As of today, **Nov 27th**, your Arts class will be at the same time in your schedule, but you will go to a **different classroom** to do a **different subject** with a **different teacher**. Follow the rotation below (if you don't know which section you are in, please ask your current teacher).

DRAMA Section 01 with Ms. Kuch is moving to MUSIC with Ms. Macleod in room 117.

DRAMA Section 04 with Ms. Vlogiannitis is moving to MUSIC with Ms. Macleod in room 117.

ART Section 03 with Ms. Suarez is moving to DRAMA with Ms. Kuch in room 216.

ART Section 06 with Ms. Suarez is moving to DRAMA with Ms. Vlogiannitis in room 209 (and then you'll be shown how to get to the auditorium).

MUSIC Section 02 with Ms. Macleod is moving to ART with Ms. Suarez in room 113.

MUSIC Section 05 with Ms. Macleod is moving to ART with Ms. Suarez in room 113.

GRADE 8 SKI TRIP - Stoneham reminder

Please sign up and complete all the forms on Classroom by November 30th.

Please bring cheques to me. Rooming choices should be done once all 4 participants are signed up and paid for.

GRAD PHOTOS

Grad photos are scheduled for February 1st and 2nd.

OurSchool Survey

All RWA students will be given some class time to complete the annual OurSchool Survey. This survey is an opportunity for students to provide anonymous feedback to help improve the school. Students will use ERC, EPT, EdTech, PPO, or Financial Education class to complete the survey before December 4th. In the designated class, each student will receive their own password to login to the survey. Students will use a school device for the survey to ensure proper wifi. If you need more time than what is allocated at school to complete the survey, you can login at home to finish.

Grads 2024

It is time to write your grad blurb. This is the message that will be displayed next to your grad photo in the yearbook. This could include memories, accomplishments, acknowledgements, and a favourite quote. Remember that someone might read your quote in 20 years, and you don't want to be embarrassed 😊. The deadline is **November 29th**. Be careful of what you write, all blurbs will be reviewed by a staff member (no emojis or movie/show stamps).

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