

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.)

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov. 2 Term 1 ends
- Nov. 3 Term 2 Begins
- Nov. 7 Sec. 5 Remembrance Day Ceremony P.4
- Nov. 9 Remembrance Day
- Nov. 9 Virtual Assembly P.3
- Nov. 13 Report Card Uploaded
- Nov. 14 Blue Shirt Day
- Nov. 14 Calculus Competition

<u>№EW!</u> RWA Beehive

Please meet me in room 204, Friday, Nov. 3 at lunch. We will be heading out on the roof to clean the area around the beehive. See you then!

Mr. Girardin

NEW!

Set Building ECA:

If you are interested in helping construct sets for RWA theatrical productions, please see Mr. Bateman to sign up. Building, assembling, painting moving...After school, mostly Thursdays, but some Saturdays may be necessary closer to the production in February.

November 6- Late Entry and Cafeteria Service

Please note that in light of the upcoming strike on Monday, November 6, BREAKFAST AND RECESS SERVICE IS CANCELLED IN ALL SCHOOL CAFETERIAS.

THE RWA CAFETERIA WILL BE OPEN FOR LUNCH AT THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED TIME. Exceptionally, the menu on that day will consist of only one hot or cold meal choice.

RWA will only open its doors at 10:45 am (this limits access to the entire building) and students will proceed directly to Period 3 at 11:00 am. The remainder of the day will follow the normal schedule for Day 2.

Should students be absent on November 6, we ask that parents enter the absence on the **Mozaik Parent Portal** or call the school and leave a message at any time.

NEW!

Mon pays ce n'est pas un pays, c'est un SAMOSA !!

TODAY, RECESS

Track and Field

Try-outs will take place Thursday afterschool -outdoors. Please dress appropriately for the weather.

Anonymous Report Box + Suggestion Box

The Anonymous Reporting Box is located across from the caretaker's office on the way to Memorial gym. This is an opportunity to report incidents of bullying anonymously by dropping a report into the box at your convenience. The box is checked regularly by the behavior technicians who then follow up on the reports.

The purpose of this Reporting box is expanding to include a general Suggestion Box. RWA is excited to hear any suggestions you have for school improvement. The more details you can share, the more effectively we can follow up.

Voices of Olympia

Please see Ms. Bateman for your Consent forms ASAP. All Teams must send a progress update to Ms. Bateman by Friday, Nov. 3rd.

<u>Trivia Club</u>

Do you binge Jeopardy? Maybe you're a fan of Trivial Pursuit? Test your knowledge at RWA's trivia club! Sign-up sheet outside 211 (Ms. Bateman's room).