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.)

There are so many beautiful reasons to be happy.

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Dec. 4 8 Food and Toy drive
- Dec. 4- 8 Tyndale Week
- Dec. 6 Sec 5 FLE Sortie cinéma
- Dec. 6 Voices of Olympia Opening Ceremony
- Dec. 7 Dress Down Day
- Dec. 12 Calculus Competition
- Dec. 13 Sec. 5 Art Museum Trip
- Dec. 18 Sec 1-3 Cyberbullying Assemblies
- Dec. 21 Locker Clean Up
- Dec. 22 Holiday Accessory Day

#### NEW

### **Holiday Lunch**

Date: December 19th, 2023

Place: Cafeteria

# Menu

# Entrée:

Turkey Roast Mashed potatoes

Stuffing

Gravy

### **Vegetables**

Peas and Carrots

Special Dessert

Milk, juice (200ml) or Water

Price: \$5.50 (meal card or cash)

Happy holidays from the cafeteria staff!

#### NEW!

#### **SEC 5 NYC**

Thank you for filling out your Activity Choices and Room Selection. Please be sure that your parent/guardian has indeed registered for the Omni Tour Payment Platform, no later than today, as the first payment is on December 8th. there is no first payment, we cannot guarantee your spot on the trip.

- Ms. Cayer and Ms. Suarez

#### NEW!

### Tyndale 206

Feeling like you need a bit of a boost? Want something to perk your day up? If so, then head to room 206 at lunch to send out an inspirational Candygram to a student in another homeroom, or if you want, you can buy it for the most important person in your life; YOURSELF =) 1 cand, 50 cents or three for a \$1 =)



NEW

Congratulations to the winner of the first ever Mr. Macpherson Photoshop Contest, Malika Alexander!

Thank you to everyone who participated! All the submissions were excellent.

Mr. Macpherson

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### **Hot Chocolate for Tyndale!**

Come to the foyer before homeroom and during recess + lunch for a delicious hot cocoa!

\$2 for a plain hot chocolate

\$3 for an all-dressed hot chocolate (whipped cream, sprinkles, marshmallows and a candy cane)

Special offer: \$5 for 2!

Please note: Due to an event at the PAC on Wednesday, we will be selling hot chocolate next to the foyer, in front of Room 102. We will be back in the foyer on Thursday.

#### NEW!

### Science Games Club

Reminder, we meet Thursday, Dec. 7 at 12:30. If you didn't come last week, you can still join!

#### NEW!

### GRADE 7 WALK & TALK – Wednesday Group

Yes 'walk & talkers' you've finally made it! It's time for our annual end of group celebration. Only <u>for all those of you in the Wednesday group</u> who have fulfilled the attendance requirement, please meet today in room 304 at 12:26 sharp for one last time to have a nice lunch together. It's indoors so no jacket required! See you

H. Held - Student Services

#### NEW

soon!

#### SAMOSAS THURSDAY

Hark Samosas, Angel's sing

Glory to the west wing!

Veggies so good and spices mild

Dieters with carbs are reconciled

Joyful all the students be

Eating potatoes cooked tenderly

With cumin and curry spice,

Profits for TYNDALE are pretty nice

Hark samosas, angels sing

Thursday recess, in the west wing!

### NEW!

### TYNDALE APPLE GRAB!

Come to room 216 to see if you have the skills to grab an apple with a claw from a bucket of water while BLIND-FOLDED! Chances to win the apple AND a very large chocolate bar! (Ms Kuch)

#### NEW

**Tyndale:** Warm, soupy Ramen bowls on sale today for \$2.50 during lunch Room 307.

#### NEWI

Homeroom 212 - Auction

Disclaimer Alert – Immature Content

Stop, children, what's that sound? EV'rybody look what's goin' down at Homeroom 212's auction. Was that the sound of a toilet flushing? A farting Domo? Chinese musical spheres? Scatological humor abounds at this year's auction. Plunge your savings away for our Toilet Piggy Bank, Yoda Doll, Farting Domo, SnowMan Coffee Mugs, and soo much more. Stay tuned to tomorrow bulletin for what else comes down the pipe (ummm ... chimney) just in time for our Auction. See y'all this Thursday during lunch in room 212.

The RWA music department proudly presents its annual Holiday Concert on December 7th at 7 pm. This concert will feature the RWA Winds, the RWA Jazz Band and the Honour Band. Tickets are \$15/ adults and \$10/ students and seniors and can be purchased in advance from the music department or at the door on December 7th. We hope to see you there!

#### TYNDALE BADMINTON CHALLENGE

Think you can challenge coach Isaac to a game of badminton? Well now you can! Come to open gym at lunch all week for the chance to face me

3\$ for 1v1, 5\$ for 2v1. For every point YOU score, I'll donate \$0.25.

First come first SERVE ;)

### Light & Sound meeting

Light & Sound will be meeting this coming Thursday at 12:30 PM sharp in Room 308. All members, including new members who were recently interviewed and received invitations to join Light & Sound, are expected to attend.

- Mr. Manstavich & Mr. Magee

### PIZZA PIZZA – HR 305

Oh yeah, you know it...pizza from PIZZA PIZZA is BACK and at a great price! Come by Room 305 to get yours and then pick up a pack of fresh minty gum to cover the yummy tomato garlic sauce breath. Come check out the specials for 1 slice, 2 slices, ½ a pizza or a full pizza!

#### **OPEN BADMINTON THURSDAY**

This Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup>, after school in the New Gym, there will be open badminton! 3-4:30pm All students are welcome! Don't forget your racket and your shoes!

### Tyndale - Office Activity

And from the corner of your eyes comes the main office with their Tyndale activity leaving every other homeroom in the dust!!!! Pass by the office and pick up one of our blank holiday ornaments for only \$2. The fun part is you can decorate it on the spot and hang it on our Christmas tree at the office or bring it home with you. Hurry before they run out.

Also, you know when you're sitting in class and craving a cold pop? If so, pop by the office and pick up one of your favourite can drinks for only \$1.25. Don't forget to recycle! *All proceeds go towards Tyndale St. Georges* 

**PENNY WARS:** The New Treasure Hunt Activity- There are twenty white envelops hidden around the school with TYNDALE 2023 written on them. Each envelop contains a piece of paper with a number on it. This number could be worth as much as 1000 points toward your grade's total or as little as zero points. You have to pay \$1 to see what you number is worth. You pay your money; you take your chance. But no downside because all the money goes to Tyndale!!

If you find an envelope, bring it to the Big Buckey Station located in the First Floor West Wing and present it to one of the Penny War Coordinators (Emma, Isabella or Mr. Bateman)

### Room 210 Challenges

Come one, come all, and try your hand at the room 210 challenges. students will be competing against you every lunch this week at mini games to raise money for Tyndale. Bring your change and come have some competitive fun. Prizes for all winners! Example: Arm Wrestling against Mr. Rafael for 5\$

#### Tyndale Candy-Grams HR 214

Come by homeroom 214 at lunch on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday to buy a candy cane for a friend, staff member or yourself for \$1. You'll be able to include a personalized note with your delivery. Candy-grams will be distributed during homeroom the following morning. Spread some holiday cheer for a good cause!

### Teacher Karaoke for Tyndale - HR 308

See your favorite member of staff on stage singing their heart out for a good cause! Buy a ticket to see the show or pay a bit more and CHOOSE THE PERSON or CHOOSE THE SONG or BOTH! If your favorite teacher hasn't signed up, put some pressure on them with a write-in nomination. Tickets and nominations can be purchased at room 308 before school and at lunch all this week. Our all-star singing show will take place at lunch, Monday, December 18 in the Performing Arts Centre.

#### **Holiday Food Drive**

Every year, RWA supports several John Grant families by providing them with food baskets for the holiday season. The food drive will take place from Monday, December 4<sup>th</sup> to Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup>. All non-perishable goods are appreciated, but this year the following list of foods are in high demand: pasta and sauce, canned/dry beans, canned vegetables, soups, rice, peanut butter, jam, oil, and spreads -snacks and bars. Let's make this holiday extra special for everyone! The HMRM class with the most food collected will receive a free pizza lunch. Give the gift of food this holiday season!

#### HR 114 Tyndale Morning OPEN GYM!!

Everyone is well to come for morning OPEN GYM during Tyndale week, December 4<sup>th</sup> to 8th. Get the day off to a great start by getting the blood pumping and the muscles moving. Start planning it with your friends!! \$1 per person, per day.