

# 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

- Mar. 26 – 28 – Social Justice Week
- Mar. 29 – Holiday
- Apr. 1 – Holiday
- Apr. 5 – Dessert Concert
- Apr. 8 – Ped Day
- Apr. 9 – Grade 7 Public Speaking
- Apr. 10 – Grade 11 UN Debate
- Apr. 12 – Variety Show
- Apr. 15 -19 – Sec. 3 Washington Trip
- Apr. 17 – Sec. 5 FLE Sortie Culturelle
- Apr. 18 – Sec. 1 Classe Verte
- Apr. 19 – Ped Day



NEW!

### Variety Show Performers and Organizers

There will be a mandatory meeting in room 106 on Tuesday, April 2nd.

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### Green Bean Café

Today's Green Bean desserts available for purchase in room 104 at lunch are: chocolate egg nests, chocolate oat bars and mini cherry cheesecakes back by popular demand.

- Green Bean

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### GRAD CEREMONIES

Traditionally, when a grad walks across the stage to receive their diploma, three things appear on the big screen behind them: (1) their name as written in Mozaik, (2) their grade 7 photo (or the photo of their starting year at RWA), and (3) their grad photo. If you have any concerns about any of the three aforementioned pieces, please speak to guidance or your VP as soon as possible so we can make arrangements.

### Beginners Italian

Reminder: We are meeting Thursday, March 28 during lunch in room 307.

### Blacksmithing

If you have given in your form, then you are officially in, more details to follow soon. If you want to join, there are still some spots left so see me in room 204 to get/hand in forms.

- Mr. Girardin

### GUITAR CLUB

It is back! Sign up sheet is outside room 315, sign up asap for your spot in the beginner or intermediate guitar club sections. Right hand guitars available during sessions.

- D. Dupuis

### Variety Show Executive

To all variety show executives, there will be a mandatory meeting on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup> at lunch in room 312.

### Swim Team Sweaters

If you're interested in ordering a sweater, please come to Room 305 to pick up an order form. They will be due back this **Friday, March 29th**.

### Pickleball

We have two sessions reserved, in the Foundation Gym, from 3-5, on April 11 & 18. Open to all; grade 7-11, plus staff. Thank you

**Grad Bake Sales**

Grads are going to be hosting bake sales on the following dates: April 4th, April 25<sup>th</sup> and May 16<sup>th</sup> during lunch. Please drop off your bake goods before homeroom in 102. Grads read your Instagram post for more info. Come and support your Grads 2024 and get a delicious treat on these dates!

**UN Debate Runners needed**

We are recruiting runners to help with the Model UN Debate happening on Wednesday, April 10 (Day 2). Runners help passing microphones, notes and completing other important tasks, and will get an inside look at what the school's Model UN Debate is like. If you are responsible student in **grade 10** and would like to sign up, please see Ms. Holloway in Room 211. Runners will need to attend a information session at lunch on Wednesday, April 4 in 211. A community or cultural ECA credit offered.

- Ms. Holloway and Ms. Belina

**Girls Basketball**

Calling all girls who are interested in fine tuning their basketball skills! Any ability and all grade levels are asked to sign the sign-up sheets outside the Physical Education offices. These are not try outs but simply a way to practice your skills or even be introduced to basketball. Skill sessions will begin in early April so please sign up today!