

# 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


- Apr. 22-26 – Earth Week
- Apr. 22-26 – MindPOP ELA
- Apr. 23-26 – EMSB Leadership Camp
- Apr. 25 – 28 – Honour Band Trip
- Apr. 29 – Ped Day
- May 3 – Sec 1 & 2 – Drama Theater Outing
- May 6 – Ped Day
- May 6 – Holocaust Remembrance Day
- May 7 – Hispanic Cultural Day
- May 7 – Lunch ends at 1:26 PM
- May 8 – Book Fair 8AM-8PM
- May 9 – Book Fair 8AM – 1PM
- May 10 – SLA Elections



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THE EARTH—IT IS  
OUR JEWEL!

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**NEW!**

 **Bike trip Saturday May 18<sup>th</sup> to Sunday May 19<sup>th</sup>** 

RWA's Bike Trip is gearing up for another cycle! This is a *weekend trip* with one night of camping (and lots of biking).

Join the RWA bike club on Google Classroom (**code: ajm6n3r**) and come to a meeting in Room 301 on Wednesday April 24<sup>th</sup> at lunch to find out more. This trip is for students in Grade 8 to 11 only.

- L. Partington

**NEW!**

### **Women's Self-Defense:**

Hands-On" Self-Defense Workshop with Attack Simulation for Sec IV and V girls will take place on May 15 at 3pm, if interested space is limited (20 spots available), sign up outside Rm 307 on Monday, April 22 and come to a short meeting to pick up your permission forms on Tuesday, April 23 during lunch - Rm 307. For more information see Ms. Liscio.

### **Lights and sound**

Meeting on Tuesday April 23<sup>rd</sup> in room 308 at 12:35 pm.

### **Diversity Caravan**

**Trip 2: Historical Walking tour of Little Burgundy- Monday May 6<sup>th</sup>** (spaces are limited). Discover Montreal's connection to Black History and its impact on today's society. Please pick up your permission forms from Mme. Ferland-Turcotte in Rm.111 and return as soon as possible to reserve your spot. **"Let's Discover Together!"**

### **Beginner's Debate**

Do you want to improve your public speaking and argumentation skills? Do you always have more to say in ethics class, but don't know how to say it? Join us to learn the basics of debating at lunch in room 211, every Day 3. Sign-up sheet on bulletin board next to 211.

- Anya, Victoria, and Ms. Holloway

### **Grad Committee 2025**

Sign up sheet is now posted outside of room 102 for grade 10 students that would like to apply to be part of Grad Committee. If you enjoy fundraising and event planning, this is for you.

### **Outdoor track - throwing events**

Next practices for throws are Monday April 22<sup>nd</sup> and Wednesday April 24<sup>th</sup> at lunch. Meet on the back field.

### **Rugby meeting**

There will be very important meeting on Monday 22 April at 12:30 in 310 for all juvenile and bantam rugby players. If you can't make it you must contact Mr. Lapierre in advance.

Come and join the Charities and Volunteering Club in supporting Cedars Cancer, an organization dedicated to funding cancer research, on Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, and Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>.

Register for one or more 2-hour shifts of grocery bagging and earn volunteer hours while making a meaningful impact! ✨

Simply scan the QR codes located around the school for the sign-up sheet or:

Click on this link for the sign-up sheet:

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/13dUu\\_OBp9z3k56XIBmRFRgimC8yxqrEPLr59tIR6DT0/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/13dUu_OBp9z3k56XIBmRFRgimC8yxqrEPLr59tIR6DT0/edit?usp=sharing)

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