

# Royal West Academy Student Bulletin

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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. 26 – Arts Rotation 2 Begins
- ❖ Nov. 26 – Sec. 2 Westmount Park Reading Day
- ❖ Nov. 26 – Grad Photos (A – Ci + All museum students)
- ❖ Nov. 27 – Grad Photos (Co-Z)
- ❖ Nov. 27 – Sec 5 Visual Arts Museum Visit
- ❖ Nov. 28 – Parent-Teacher Meetings
- ❖ Nov. 28 – ED @ 2:06 PM
- ❖ Nov. 29 – Ped Day
- ❖ Dec. 2 – 6 – Food Drive
- ❖ Dec. 2 – 6 – Tyndale Week
- ❖ Dec. 3 – Hertzl Clinic Presentations
- ❖ Dec. 4 – Sec 1 Parent Seminar

**NEW!**

### **BADMINTON TEAM TRYOUTS**

Reminder that the first tryouts will be held today, Tuesday the 26<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm in the foundation gym for cadet and juvenile girls, and tomorrow, Wednesday the 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm in the foundation gym for cadet and juvenile boys. Bring your phys. ed. uniform and shoes, and a racket if you have one.

**NEW!**

### **Film Club**

All scriptwriters- the last writing workshop will be on Thursday at Lunch in room 210. *From Mr. Rafael & Mr. Northey*

**NEW!**

### **Junior Robotics**

Junior Robotics is **Cancelled** on **Thursday** November 28th due to Parent Teacher Interviews. Anyone from the Thursday group is welcome to join us on Tuesday.  
- Mr. Macpherson

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### **Trivia Wednesday:**

**In mathematics, what is the name for a number that is not a prime number and has more than two factors?**

Trivia Club will meet in 216 on **Wednesday, Nov. 27th**, after school.

All are welcome.

Please join the Google Classroom for regular updates: rnzucyq

- Ms. Bateman & TCE

### **Senior Ski Trip**

There is a brief meeting in room 306 at 12:30pm on Tuesday November 26<sup>th</sup> for any student in grade 10 and 11 that would like to participate on the Senior ski trip March 14 -16<sup>th</sup>.

### **Track and Field**

Next track practice will take place afterschool on Tuesday November 26<sup>th</sup> in the memorial gym. Please see Mr. Rafael to sign-up for your events.

### **Grads 2025**

It is time to write your grad bio/quote for the yearbook. These words will forever be associated with your picture in the yearbook. You may write up to **80** words. Please use the opportunity to share memories and to thank friends and family. **No time stamps or emojis.** All grad bios will be proofread by teachers before being allowed in the yearbook. If your bio is not accepted, you will be notified and will have to resubmit.

Along with your grad bio you must submit a baby photo, a teacher quote (something fun a teacher has said over the years) and a remember when. More info can be found on the google form.

Please use the following **updated link**: <https://forms.gle/JZ3Jfz1e7vmzUiqB9> (using your school email only) to write your bio/quote for the yearbook. Read the instructions carefully and submit your answers by **Monday, December 2nd**.

- Yearbook Committee

### **Wrestling Team:**

Any boy or girl in any grade interested in trying out Wrestling? We will be holding a training camp after school today in the Memorial Gym. We will have some guest athletes and coaches present as well as the an opportunity to take a picture with the UFC belt won by the former UFC Champion George St-Pierre. See you there!

### **Musical Set Building ECA:**

If you are interested in helping build sets for the school musical please see Mr. Bateman for details and to sign up.

### **Yoga**

All students needing to complete their yoga assignment for P.E. class have the following options, both in the Memorial Gym: December 2 from 4:30-5:15 OR December 3 from 7:30-8:15. Make sure to be present for one of the two sessions.

### **Cadet Boys Futsal:**

First tryouts will be on November 27 at 7:15am in the Foundation Gym. Come ready to run.

- Mr. Aiken & Ms. Belina

### **Wellness Committee:**

Join the Wellness Committee! Are you passionate about creating a healthier, happier school environment? The wellness committee is looking for students who want to promote well-being and positive change in our school community. Meetings will take place once a week during lunch on Tuesdays. Sign-up sheet outside room 224. For more info. please see Ms. Wineberg (225) or Ms. Di Pietro (226).

### **TWELFTH NIGHT PERFORMANCE**

The Theatre ECA has rescheduled the after-school performances. We will now be performing Shakespeare's **Twelfth Night** on Wednesday, **December 18** and Thursday, **December 19**. It's the perfect way to celebrate the upcoming holidays! More details will come in December!

### **Holiday Bake Sale**

Come by the school store on December 11, 2024 and support our annual holiday bake sale.

### **Secondary 1 Arts Rotation**

The last day of the first Arts Rotation ends Monday Nov 25. As of **Nov 26<sup>th</sup>**, 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).

Group 01 leaving Visual Arts with C. Suarez and **going to Music with S. Macleod in room 118**

Group 02 leaving Drama with S. Amro and **going to Visual Arts with C. Suarez in room 113**

Group 03 leaving Music with S. Macleod and **going to Drama with S. Amro in the PAC**

Group 04 leaving Visual Arts with C. Suarez and **going to Music with S. Macleod in room 118**

Group 05 leaving Drama with E. Kuch and **going to Visual Arts with C. Suarez in room 113**

Group 06 leaving Music with S. Macleod and **going to Drama with E. Kuch in room 216**