

# the TALON

Weekly e-bulletin April 1, 2022

## **DATES AT A GLANCE**

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Apr. 2	Ramadan
Apr. 15 - Apr. 18	<u>Easter</u>
Apr. 15 - Apr. 23	<u>Passover</u>
Apr. 19	School Council Mtg
Apr. 21 - Apr. 29	Ridvan
Apr. 22 - Apr. 24	Orthodox Easter
Apr. 25	Graduation Awards Due
Apr. 28	Mid-Semester Report Cards
May 2	<u>Eid-ul-Fitr</u>
May 6	PA Day
May 8	Mother's Day
May 16	Wesak
May 23	Victoria Day - No Classes
Jun 5 - 6	<u>Shavuot</u>
June 7 -8	Gr. 9 Math EQAO
June 9	Prom
(SFD)*	Significant Faith Day

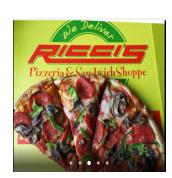
## **MESSAGE FROM ADMINISTRATION**

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Earlier this week YRDSB communicated to all families course offerings for Virtual Schooling in the 2022-2023 school year. Families and students are encouraged to review the Course Offerings link for more information. Families will need to make a decision by April 7 if they would like their child to attend virtual school next year. For more information please review the email sent from YRDSB.

## **PIZZA LUNCH**

We are pleased to announce that beginning on Wednesday, April 6, and every Wednesday moving forward, students will have the opportunity to purchase pepperoni or cheese pizza slices from Ricci's for \$3/slice in our cafeteria. On the first day, pizza will be sold on a first-come-first-serve basis. For the following weeks, to ensure that we have sufficient pizza available, students/families will be able to use schoolcashonline to pre-pay for a 10-week pizza package (2 slices per week). \$60 will provide 10 weeks worth of pizza. More information regarding purchase will be provided in the e-Bulletin next week.



#### PHOTOS OF THE WEEK:



Crapes in Mr. Sartor's Grade 12 Food Lab



LEAD's Scrunchie Sale Proceeds & Student Council's Bake Sale Proceeds Donated to a Local Women's Shelter

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

We would like to thank you for your continued patience and understanding as we navigate through the pandemic. As a reminder, on a daily basis, parents/guardians of students under 18 and students over 18 are responsible to review and adhere to the COVID-19 School and Child-Care Screening Tool (please click on Check for Symptoms Daily), prior to entering the school daily. Below are some also important reminders to note:

- Note YRT requires that student riders must wear a mask, though yellow school buses are mask-optional.
- Household and non-household close contacts of a COVID-19 case or symptomatic individual (even if not required to isolate as per the requirements in the screening tool) must self-monitor and wear a well-fitted mask (type non-specified) for 10 days (from last exposure) in school and child care settings.

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## **HELPFUL LINKS:**

ECSS Website
YRDSB Website
ECSS Twitter

ECSS Calendar

**ECSS Instagram** 

# **SCHOOL COUNCIL**

emily.carr.ss@sc.yrdsb.ca

**York Region Public Health** 

<u>Tips For Speaking With Your</u> <u>Child - COVID-19</u>

**Mental Health Supports** 

School Mental Health
Ontario

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## **PROM**

We are happy to share that our ECSS Prom, 2022 will be happening on Thursday, June 9th. As soon as we have any updates, we will share them in our e-bulletin, our ECSS Prom 2022 Google Classroom (Code: v34nyxo) and our ecssprom2022 Instagram account.

## MESSAGE FROM SCHOOL COUNCIL

Dear families, There is an upcoming School Council meeting on Tuesday, April 19th. Please join us! If you have any questions or concerns please have them ready for our meeting or you can email us emily.carr.ss@sc.yrdsb.ca.

<u>GAPPS PROFILE PICTURE</u>: Please review the linked poster regarding what image students can post on their GAPP Profile Picture.

## **GRADUATION AWARDS**

Nominations for Graduations Awards are NOW OPEN. Potential Graduates can access the information in their Potential Graduate Google Classroom under the section called "Graduation Awards 2022". The deadline for students to apply is by 3:00 pm on Monday, April 25th.

## **GRAD HOODIES**

The 2022 Grad Hoodies are here! There are two options to choose from:

- 1. Black hoodie with CARR class of 2022 embroidered on the front.
- 2. Black hoodie with Emily Carr SENIOR class of 2022 screened onto the front.

Please see SchoolCashOnline for purchase

#### **GRADUATION GOWNS**

If you have purchased your graduation gown, please remember to keep it in a safe place as you will need it for graduation on Monday, June 27th. If you have not ordered a graduation gown and would like to purchase one, it is available through School CashOnline until April 15, 2022.

# MESSAGE FROM YEARBOOK

We are extending the purchase deadline ONE LAST TIME! Students now have until Friday, April 29th to purchase the 2021-2022 yearbook using SchoolCashOnline for \$45.00.

## STUDENTS WORKING ALL TOGETHER (SWAT) MENTOR APPLICATIONS

All interested grade 10 and grade 11 students may apply to become a SWAT Mentor for the 2021/2022 school year. Students will receive an email to their GAPPS account with Google Form instructions. Applications are due no later than Friday, April 22nd.

# **ECSS LIBRARY SUPPORTS - LEVEL UP STUDENT SUCCESS**

Students are encouraged to access the Library/Learning Commons before school and at lunch for top notch assistance with research, printing, project fabrication, or simply to relax. The Library has great reads, puzzles, chess boards, computers, chromebooks, and plenty of space to be with friends and participate in study groups.

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