

Parent/Guardian Community E-Bulletin



Markville Secondary School E-Bulletin

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Please keep in mind any information provided in this bulletin is subject to change and is accurate at the time of distribution.

GTB bioregional eco market Spotlight

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CELEBRATE
MOTHER EARTH AND YOUR MOTHER
AT THIS UNIQUE LOCAL MARKET

GTB
bioregional eco market

Just in time for Mother's Day

Handcrafted gifts, art cards, cookies and pastries, maple syrup, organic cider, honey, chocolate, fresh vegetables, seedlings, and more.
Try hands-on eco experiences and discover inspiring regenerative stories.
Bring your whole family!
You'll receive a Market Passport to win gifts.

TICKETS ARE FREE – SATURDAY MAY 11, 1-5 PM
Markham Museum, Transportation Hall
9350 Markham Road, Markham, Ontario

MARKHAM MARKVILLE SS **Legacy³**

TICKETS AT [GTBMARKET.EVENTBRITE.CA](https://www.eventbrite.ca/gtbmarket)

Message from Guidance

TIMETABLING

MSS has moved onto the next stage of developing the 24-25 Timetable, using student selections from February and recent Course Change opportunities. At this time, there is no possibility of making any further changes to next year's selection. Students who need a PATHWAY change (require a course that is a pre-req for Gr 12 or post-secondary, or Applied to Academic/Academic to Applied, or College to Uni/Uni to College) should reach out to Guidance for planning.

SUMMER SCHOOL

Going forward, students who choose to register for a course that is IN their timetable have been cautioned that they will now receive a course that is available in that time slot to replace it. For students who wish to still move forward, or for those who wish to register for a course NOT in their timetable, students are reminded to BOTH register on myBlueprint AND complete the Google form. Summer School Registration will CLOSE on June 7th. It will still be open to students who are eligible for Credit Recovery or Credit Strengthening. Please see below for more information.

Credit Recovery (in myBlueprint as Reinforcement) and **Credit Upgrade** (in myBlueprint as Credit Strengthening) have been updated in myBlueprint for students to now select. Please note:

Credit Recovery / Reinforcement is for students who were unsuccessful in a course and have been granted the opportunity to recover the credit. If you are not sure if your child is a candidate to recover a credit, please reach out to [Guidance](#).

To register, please select a school (closest are Bill Hogarth, Milliken Mills, Pierre Elliott Trudeau), and a 2 week session (ex. **S1** - MTH1W**5**, **S2** - MTH1W**6**). A sample of Credit Recovery / Reinforcement in myBlueprint looks like:

[De-Streamed Math \(Reinforcement - Session 1\)](#)

MTH1W5 • Destreamed • 1 Credit

If a student is doing 2 Credit Recovery / Reinforcement courses, they must choose Session 1 and Session 2. **S1 - July 3 to July 15, S2 – July 16 to July 26**

Credit Strengthening is for students who were successful in a course, but are seeking to improve their foundation. Grade 10 or 11 students are encouraged to re-take the *whole course* (Acceleration) instead of Credit Strengthening to ensure achieving greater foundation (and not just a higher mark), if going into the next grade of the same level course.

A sample of Credit Strengthening in myBlueprint looks like:

De-Streamed Science - Credit Strengthening (S2)

SNC1W4 • Destreamed • 1 Credit

If a student is doing 2 Credit Strengthening courses, OR a combination of Recovery and Strengthening, they must choose Session 1 and Session 2. **S1 - July 3 to July 15, S2 – July 16 to July 26**

NOTE: If a student requires 2 Reinforcement/Strengthening courses, they MAY have to choose at 2 different schools, depending on the combination.

POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION

Please see the attached Flyer for **FAST TRACK - Career Expo**. This is a highly informative event, taking place on May 22nd.

Reminder that students accepting an offer from OCAS (Ontario Colleges), must accept by May 1st - that is WEDNESDAY. OUAC (Ontario Universities) must accept by June 1st.

The upload to OCAS and OUAC has occurred. Students must look to make sure all courses are in and accurate. Semester 2 Midterm marks are visible to Post-Secondary institutions. Full Disclosure is May 7th.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Your Guidance Team~



MSS Mental
Health Resource

This is a mental health resource that will appear in the E-Bulletin weekly that was created by past and present Markville students.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zxvp0ngpV22ikM7Fow2FNIMxX2wErCF5/view?usp=sharing>

Markville Guidance Website Wellness Page:

<https://sites.google.com/gapps.yrdsb.ca/markvilleguidance/wellness>

TRANSLATE A DOCUMENT USING GOOGLE TRANSLATE - How-To Video

School Notices

Upcoming Dates

April 25-27	Midterm Report eDistribution
May 6	PA Day (School Closed to Students)
May 20	Victoria Day Holiday (School Closed)

Community Opportunities Site!

We would like to remind you of our [Community Opportunities Site](#) linked to our school home page where students, families and all community members can access up-to-date information about workshops, seminars, scholarships and more.

The screenshot shows the Markville Secondary School website. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links for Markville S.S., School Information, News & Events, Departments, Specialty Programs, Parents, Students, Guidance, Library, and School Council. Below the menu, there is a calendar of events for November, including a SR Boys Volleyball Tour on Friday, 3 November, and a Guidance Event on Monday, 6 November. To the right, there is a contact information section for Markville S.S., including the address, phone, fax, and email. A callout box at the bottom of the screenshot explains that clicking on the Community Opportunities icon will bring families to a webpage with up-to-date links to YRDSB sponsored events and resources for students, families and community members. The callout box also states that the information is updated weekly.

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Markville Secondary School
MARKVILLE SECONDARY SCHOOL
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Markville S.S.

Friday, 3 November
7:45am SR Boys Volleyball Tour
12:00pm Cross Country Team OF

Monday, 6 November
Guidance Event: Gr 12 Post Second
1:40pm Varsity Hockey Game @
2:20pm SR Boys Volleyball Play

Wednesday, 8 November
OSSLT Days (Library)
Sem 1 Term 1 Ends
8:00am JR Boys Volleyball Tour

Grade 8 Information Sessions

Contact Information
1000 Carlton Rd., Markham L3P 7P5
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Fax: (905) 940-8895
Email: markville.ss@yrdsb.ca
Bell Times: 8:20 AM - 3:00 PM

School News Trustee Message

Community Opportunities

Parents/Guardians: Enter your e-mail address to subscribe to electronic communications of a commercial nature.

Clicking on this **Community Opportunities** icon will bring families to a webpage with up-to-date links to YRDSB sponsored events and resources for students, families and community members.

*****UPDATED WEEKLY*****

Message from Peer Tutoring:

Are you stressed about tests and assignments? Are you looking for extra help with your courses? Maybe you need help with your homework, or studying before a test? Don't worry, Markville's Peer Tutoring Club is back and ready to support YOU!

Peer Tutoring Sessions will be offered during **lunch** and **after school**. Students can drop-in as needed and/or request a weekly 1-on-1 peer tutor. **No application form is needed for drop-in. To request a weekly 1-on-1 tutor, submit an application at bit.ly/msspeertutee2024.** Look for the Peer Tutoring posters around school and follow msspeertutoring on IG for updates!

YRDSB Communications

Student Mental Health and Addictions Newsletter April 2024

[☰ Markville-April Newsletter 2024](#)

Supports for Students with Autism and their Families

This session will support parents, guardians and families with:

- Understanding Autism
- Process for diagnosis
- YRDSB referral process
- School supports
- Community resources

Date: Wednesday, May 1, 2024

Time: 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Location: **Unionville High School, 201 Town Centre Blvd, Markham, ON L3R 8G5**

Please **register** by Apr. 28, 2024.

This free information session is organized by Inclusive School and Community Services in partnership with Student Services of York Region District School Board.

For more information, please email shani.blake@yrdsb.ca or pauline.guo@yrdsb.ca

Please note that Childcare will not be provided.

Community Events

Markham Youth Expo

Date: May 4, 2024

Time: 3 to 8 PM

Location: Aaniin Community Centre

Each year, this event serves to showcase the diverse talents of youth and recognize their active participation in our diverse local community. Drop in anytime to celebrate our community!

Event highlights:

- Entertainment
- Food trucks
- Carnival games
- Markham's Got Talent show
- Basketball Tournament
- Robotics Competition
- Recreation Job Fair
- Prizes and more!

[Apply now](#) to Markham Mayor's Youth Award

