

Parent/Guardian Community E-Bulletin

Inspire Learning!



Markville Secondary School E-Bulletin



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Student Activity Council

Markville's November spirit week hosted by MSAC was a hit!! Every day from November 22nd to November 26th, students had a chance to express their creativity and showcase their spirit.

From no-backpack Monday, Tourist Tuesday, to dress-up/dress-down day, Markville students were able to bring smiles to each others' faces and make memories. Students who dressed up were awarded with stickers and candy as well as spirit points for their grade.

Parking

In order to support safe school crossings and address community concerns regarding traffic on Carlton Rd, the City of Markham will be updating the parking and stopping restrictions directly in front of Markville SS. The attached map outlines the changes to be implemented.

Please circulate the attached map to your school community so families are aware of the changes. Bylaw will be around periodically to check compliance activity on the street and ticket as needed.

In regard to a timeline of when the signs will change, the city may have already installed the signs or it will be happening later this week.



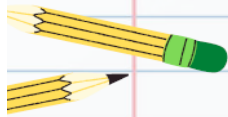
Peer Tutoring

Do you need extra help with your courses? Are you looking for a dedicated peer to help you stay focused and motivated with course work? Markville's Peer Tutoring Club is back and ready to support YOU!

Students can **drop-in** when help is needed or request for a **weekly 1-to-1 peer tutor**. Peer tutoring sessions will be **virtual, after school Monday-Thursday from 3:30-4:30 pm**.

- To request a **1-to-1 peer tutor**, students must submit this application form: bit.ly/1to1peertutor. Students will receive an email confirmation of their peer tutor match once the request is processed.
- No application is needed for **drop-in** peer tutoring—just join via Zoom when you need help! **See schedule and Zoom links below**.

All Peer Tutoring information including sign up form, schedule, and Zoom links can be found at bit.ly/msspeertutorinfo.



PEER TUTORING

1-on-1 OR Drop in
BOTH ARE OFFERED!

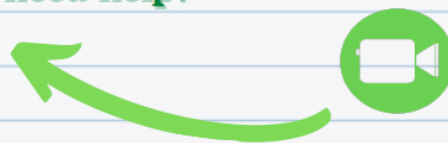
**MONDAY-
THURSDAY
3:30-4:30PM**

via Zoom

To request a 1-on-1
tutor, visit:
bit.ly/1to1peertutor



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School Notices

Upcoming Dates

Nov. 25-30	Mid-semester Reports distributed electronically
Dec. 1	SMACT Meeting(after school) (2:40-3:30pm)
Dec. 6-14	Festive Food Drive
Dec. 13-14	Photo Day
Dec. 20-31	Winter Break (School Closed)
Jan. 3	School Resumes

Tweet of the Week



York Region DSB
@YRDSB



This week is [#CanadaHistoryWeek](#) and this year's theme focuses on Indigenous History: Learning about Indigenous leaders, language revitalization, and cultures.

To honour the week, we'll be sharing 3 videos that share learning on Indigenous leadership, language and culture.



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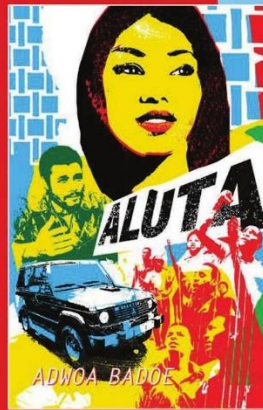
Community Events

Meet Adwoa Badoe author of *Aluta* & *Between Sisters*

Part of the Ancestral Voices Author Series



Photo: John Wood



Thursday, December 9, 2021 7:00 p.m.

- Join Adwoa Badoe, author of acclaimed Young Adult novels *Aluta* and *Between Sisters* for an engaging author event for ages 14 and up

Adwoa Badoe is a storyteller who has published young adult novels, as well as the collection, *The Pot of Wisdom: Ananse Stories*, and several picture books for young children. She is an oral storyteller, specializing in the folktales and legends of Africa. Adwoa has also taught and performed African Dance and practiced medicine. Adwoa will be showcasing her book *Aluta*.

Ancestral Voices is an author series presented by NPL, in collaboration with Maxine Gordon Palomino and Kim Wheatley. It features Canadian authors of Indigenous, Caribbean and African ancestry and descent.

Join us for this free online program. For more information
905-953-5110 Ext. 4770. Register at <http://bit.ly/nplbadoe>

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