

Parent/Guardian Community E-Bulletin



Markville Secondary School E-Bulletin

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November 15th, 2024

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Message from Guidance

YOU ARE INVITED TO
Markville Secondary School's
Gr.8 Open House

COME AND LEARN ABOUT...

- Specialized Programs
- Experiential Learning Opportunities
- Modern Learning Facilities
- Leadership and Extra-Curricular Activities
- Student Services and Supports
- Guidance and Pathway Planning
- And more!

Join Us!

November 27, 2024
6:15pm–8:30pm
Family presentation begins @ 6:30pm

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Unionville, ON

A graphic for the Gr.8 Open House flyer. It features a blue background with white stars and a large, semi-circular cutout showing a group of students in pink shirts posing in front of the Markville Secondary School building. The text "MARKVILLE SECONDARY SCHOOL" is visible on the building in the background image.

We are including the **Gr 8 Open House** flyer that can be shared with families and friends in our area.

GUIDANCE FYIs:

Gr 10 Post-Secondary RESEARCH presentation will be delivered to Gr 10 students virtually in the Gr 9/10 Google Classroom on **November 25th @ 3:30pm** (apologies, we had previously posted the 22nd in error), to provide an abundance of information regarding post-secondary in advance of the February Course Selection. This will ensure students are informed and can do research prior to choosing Gr 11 courses.

Relevant to Gr 11s and 12s:

- ❖ Note: **Full Disclosure is November 27th.** Courses removed prior to this date do not appear on a Transcript. Reminder that post-secondary institutions do NOT say no to students based on Gr 11 achievement, they will simply wait to see how Gr 12 progresses.
- ❖ Grade 12 marks will be **uploaded to OCAS on November 15th, and OUAC on November 19th.** Gr 12s were aware of their marks on November 11th, and report cards will be distributed on November 20th.

IMPORTANT:

- ❖ Grade 12 students currently taking a course *in Private School need to ensure that their Private School uploads their Mid-Term mark to OCAS/OUAC*, or have at the very least uploaded that the student is currently *in the course* (colleges/universities will bypass a student for consideration if they do not see a course projected). It is the responsibility of the Private School to upload their courses and grades to OCAS/OUAC.
- ❖ Students should also ensure that Guidance is aware that they are taking a Private course, as **they will need to have the Private School directly provide a final mark to Guidance at the end of the semester for Transcript purposes.**
- ❖ **ALL students taking a TDSB or Catholic School eLearning/Night School course, must provide Guidance with their Mid-Term mark for upload to OCAS/OUAC once the upload occurs on the 19th.**

UPCOMING COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY & APPRENTICESHIP:

Reminders of upcoming events that are on the horizon:

- Skilled Trades Event:
 - We have a great **in-house opportunity** for **Exploring a Career in the Trades** coming up to help students design a career path in the Trades on **November 21st in Ps 4&5**. Students can register with the [form](#) or email [Jesse Bramer](#), in order to participate or get more information.
- MSS will host a **College Degree Panel** for students on **December 4th from 12-1 in the MSS Library**, where we will be visited by representatives from our local colleges. This is an opportunity to investigate all of the degree options at college for students, and ask questions.

NOVEMBER STUDENT WELLNESS *Spotlight*

MENTAL-HEALTH WEBINAR OPPORTUNITY:

Please note that **York Hills offers FREE Webinars** regularly to York Region Families. Please see their [website](#) for registration and details. This is an excellent resource for families. New webinar topics are being added continuously.

"By Your Side" Mental Health and Wellness Video Series

This video series is a great resource for learning more about mental health and wellness for students, parents and caregivers alike. This time of year can be very busy for students in terms of midterm assignments and tests. These videos include tips for how to support your child/student.

[Newsletter Translation Instructions](#)

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

November 15th	PA Day (School Closed to students)
November 18th	Grad Photos
November 19th	School Council Meeting (7pm-8:30pm)
November 20/21	OSSLT Group 2
November 27th	Grade 8 Open House 6:30 pm

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.



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Markville Secondary School
MARKVILLE SECONDARY SCHOOL

Staff: --Select an Application--
Students: --Select an Application--

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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


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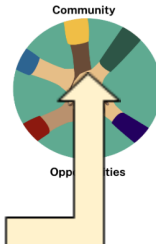
Grade 8 Information Sessions

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Bell Times: 8:20 AM - 3:00 PM


School News


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Community Opportunities

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

You may also choose to [unsubscribe](#) at anytime.

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*****

"Hey Mavs! Feeling stressed about tests and assignments? Need some help with your courses? Want a fun and engaging place to learn? Look no further—Markville's Peer Tutoring Club is back and ready to support YOU! Tutoring sessions will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays during Periods 3 and 4 in room 305, and on Wednesdays after school in the library.

Whether you're looking for quick help or ongoing support, we've got you covered! You can drop in whenever you need help, or sign up for weekly 1-on-1 tutoring by filling out the tutee form at bit.ly/peertutor2025

Look out for Peer Tutoring Club posters around the school, and follow @msspeertutoring on Instagram for updates! See you there!"

YRDSB Communications

■ Social Media and Mental Health.pdf

LAMPS Parent/caregiver series Social Media and Mental Health

The YRDSB Central Mental Health Team is proud to be offering a ***Learning about Mental Health Presentation Series (LAMPS)***. The objective of the series is to promote and enhance mental health literacy. The session is “**Social Media and Mental Health - A Presentation for Parents and Caregivers**” and will occur virtually on **Wednesday January 15th, 2024 from 6 - 7 p.m.** Some topics covered in this presentation will include understanding what social media is, the risks and benefits of social media use, some general strategies to support your children in managing their social media use, and resources.

These virtual sessions are offered to any parent/guardian. Text Translation will be provided in a limited number of languages. If your preferred language is not offered, we recommend watching with a friend or family member who is able to translate.

To register please visit [this link](#).

Please Register by January 13th, 2024

■ SEVA Gurburab and Langar Dec 4, 2024.pdf

Families, students and educators, are invited to join the SEVA Affinity Group in a Gurburab Celebration: An Evening of Learning and Langar on Wednesday, December 4, 2024, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Emily Carr Secondary School.

This event will honor the founder of the Sikh faith, Guru Nanak Dev Ji

■ Pathways to Skilled Trades and Technology Poster.pdf

The Pathways Team in Curriculum & Instructional Services in collaboration with the York Catholic District School Board invites families of students in Grades 9-11 to attend a Skilled Trades and Technology Career Planning Information Night. The goal of this event is to inspire students to take their first step towards a career in industries that are constantly innovating, on the cutting edge of emerging technologies, and making a critical difference in people's lives. Students will have the opportunity to learn about some of Ontario's 140+ trades through presentations and information

booths. They will hear directly from the YRDSB Pathways team, tradespeople and local employers about life-changing career opportunities.

This event is taking place on Monday, December 9, 2024, from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. at Richmond Hill High School (201 Yorkland Street, Richmond Hill, ON, L4S 1A2).

Registration Process:

- Students, their families and YRDSB educators are invited to register through our YRDSB [Skilled Trades and Technology Open House Registration](#).

📎 The Jewish Rainbow Alliance - Fall 2024 flyer.pdf

📎 TCC Heritage Month Video Essay Competition - 2025 Call for Entries!.pdf

📎 YRPH-Building-Healthy-Kids-Campaign.pdf

Last week's flyers

📎 SEAS Networking Meeting Nov 2024.pdf

📎 BFCN Scholarship Application Workshop Flyer - YRDSB - November 2024.pdf

📎 CBSE-Info-Session--Flyer-Nov.pdf

📎 Roots Ruach and Resilience 2024.pdf

[November - Centre for Black Student Excellence Newsletter](#)

📎 Nov 26 Transition Info Night Flyer.pdf

[Student Mental Health and Addictions Newsletter - November 2024](#)

Community Events

A promotional poster for 'The Nutcracker' by the Victoria Ballet Company. The central image shows a male and female ballerina in a romantic pose, with the woman in a white tutu and the man in a blue and white costume. They are set against a large, glowing snow globe. To the left of the globe is a large, detailed nutcracker soldier. The background is a dark blue night sky with falling snow and silhouettes of snow-covered trees. The title 'The Nutcracker' is written in large, ornate, golden letters across the top. Above the title is the Victoria Ballet Company logo, which features a stylized ballerina figure and the company's name.

 Victoria Ballet Company

The Nutcracker



- December 14, 2024 at 6 PM
- December 15, 2024 at 2 PM

Richmond Hill Centre for the Performing Arts
10268 Yonge St, Richmond Hill, Ontario | Box Office: 905-787-8811