

# RICHMOND HILL HIGH SCHOOL

HOME  
OF  
RHHS  
RAIDERS



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Grade 9 Students:

It is my pleasure to welcome all new students to RHHS for the 2017-2018 school year. We are looking forward to an exciting year and encourage all students to strive for excellence in academics and get involved in athletics, arts and citizenship.

The 2017-2018 school year will begin on Tuesday, September 5th 2017 for all Grade 9 students. There will be no Registration Day, all registrations will be done online. See below for the procedure.

### NEW ONLINE REGISTRATION PROCEDURE!

Starting July 10th, parents can confirm that their child will attend RHHS and pay for school fees through School Cash ONLINE. For payment details click the School Cash button on the RHHS School Website at: <http://richmondhill.hs.yrdsb.ca>; and select the "get started today" button.

Timetables for the 2017-2018 school year will be sent out on August 28th via email to parents email address & students yrdsb gapps account.

### Below is a list of possible fees for Grade 9-12 students.

#### STUDENT FEE: \$50

There is a Student Fee collected to allow for Student Council events which occur throughout the year. Such events include assemblies, dances, guest speakers, clubs, and other student-sponsored activities.

#### PHYSICAL EDUCATION UNIFORM: \$45

All students taking Health and Physical Education are required to wear the prescribed athletic uniform for class (one dry-fit long sleeve T-shirt, two cotton T-shirts, and one pair of shorts). Students will receive their uniforms in the HPE class.

#### YEAR BOOK: \$31

The yearbook will be a great memory of your years in high school. It chronicles events and activities which occur throughout the year. Students will receive their yearbook in June.

#### SCHOOL PRICE CARD (SPC) : \$10

The SPC gives students discounts to save daily on their favourite clothing, food and entertainment throughout the year.

### GRADE 9 CAMP - Green Acres: \$35

This full-day welcome camp is designed to build team spirit and leadership skills among our students. Cost includes transportation, lunch and activities at Green Acres Camp on Friday September 15th, 2017.

### RHHS Reminders :

**Course Selection**– Guidance staff will deal with timetable issues or changes. Procedures for this will be sent out with student timetables .

Students must follow their assigned timetable in order to request a change.

**Lockers**– Your locker number is located on your timetable. **Only use** the lockers assigned on your timetable.

**Photo Day**– On September 14th, 2017, students are required to have their photos taken. Parents will have the opportunity to purchase student school photos. A photo package will be sent home with each student who had their pictures taken on photo day.

**Contacting You**- One parental/guardian email address per student is required to receive attendance reports and school information updates. Please ensure the school has current emails and residence addresses.

**Community Involvement Hours**– Did you complete community involvement hours over the summer? If you did, then bring the documentation into the Guidance Office. If you are unsure about whether your hours qualify, see a guidance counsellor before beginning your volunteer work. Students can complete "Completion of Community Involvement Activities " from the Guidance Office.

We look forward to seeing you and having you involved at RHHS. Best wishes for a positive and exciting year ahead as an RHHS Raider.

### Summer school will be working from our Guidance office room 1004.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Main Office during July and August from Monday to Thursday, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Please note the Office will be closed from July 21st to August 11th inclusive.

Office will reopen on Monday August 14th.

Yours truly,  
Sandra Haliburton  
Principal

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