

Richmond Rose Weekly Communication

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We are very pleased to announce that we are painting the pavement playground at Richmond Rose PS. Our painters have come in and relined the pavement for our students to enjoy at recess. Ms. Snare and the Eco-Club were able to plant two more trees as part of our Eco-legacy initiative in memory of past graduating classes. These two trees are now in our school yard.

This is a friendly reminder that if you are dropping off students in the morning to cross Frank Endean Drive at the crosswalk.

October is IWALK month! In order to reduce traffic congestion and make a clean, healthy choice both physically and mentally, have your kids walk to school with you, their friends or grandparents. The physical and mental benefits are incredible and your children will become better students. In addition, the fresh air and energy used are great health benefits.

Have your children walk to school and notice the difference!

Pizza lunch orders have been submitted and the orders will be delivered each Tuesday. A reminder that Kids Kitchen will now be serving lunches on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays!

The option to join the Milk and Yogurt program has been extended on School Cash Online until October 23!

We will be hosting a [FREE Cannabis Information Evening on October 25th from 6:30-7:30](#) in partnership with York Region Public Health. It is called [“Cannabis 101”](#) and will address the following topics/questions:

- [What does legalization mean?](#)
- [Harms and risk of cannabis use](#)
- [How to talk to your kids about substance use/abuse](#)

Presented by: [Elena Hasheminejad, York Region Public Health](#)

Bayview Secondary School is also holding a Health and Wellness Symposium on October 25, which will begin promptly at 7:00pm.

The evening will focus on learning the truth about substance misuse, social media, bullying, and mental health from the perspectives of trained youth speakers who share their personal stories. There will also be a discussion on how to chat with your teen.

Please go to tinyurl.com/HWSymposium to register by October 23, 2018.

Board Game Club at Richmond Rose

We are very excited to launch the Board Game Club at Richmond Rose! This club is for Grade 3, 4 and 5 students to participate in games and meet new friends.

Thank you to our student organizers!

Mrs. Fisher

Roots of Empathy

Meet baby Scarlett and her mom, Sofia! This week we began our Roots of Empathy program in Ms. Reynolds' class. The children will enjoy monthly visits from the family and learn about empathy while they witness Scarlett grow in her first year of life. So far, we've learned that she can roll over!



Ms. Schymik

WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

MONDAY October 22	TUESDAY October 23	WEDNESDAY October 24	THURSDAY October 25	FRIDAY October 26
PD Day No School	Pizza Lunch Girls Volleyball 7:30-8:30 am Boys Volleyball 3:30-4:30pm	Open Art studio grade 6-8 recess Girls volleyball practise 12-45-1:45 pm Purple Shirt Day Volleyball Girls invitational at Maple PS 4pm-8pm	Lego Club begins in library at Lunch Boys Volleyball invitational at Maple PS 4pm-8pm York Region Health Presentation on the legalization of Cannabis 6:30pm in Library	Open art Studio for grades 6-8 @ recess Lego Club (for those that signed up) Pick up basketball after school

Dates to keep in mind:

Oct. 30 -- Chai and Chat for parents. Topic: Safe Schools @ 9:00am
 Nov. 2 -- House assembly
 Nov 2 -- Grade 7 HPV
 Nov. 14 -- Primary trip to Jack Grunsky concert
 Nov. 15 -- Photo Retake Day
 Nov. 15-17 -- Grade 8 Trip to Camp Muskoka
 Nov. 20-22 -- Scholastic Book Fair
 Nov. 21-- Reports go home
 Nov 22-23 Interview evening and morning respectively

Richmond Rose – TOUCHSTONE At Richmond Rose, we take responsibility for our work, words and actions. We put in our best efforts, enjoy our successes, and learn from our mistakes. We embrace each other's differences and care for each other's feelings. We think before we speak and use words that are appropriate for school. Our community is a safe community; a place where we treat people with kindness, respect and dignity. No one is afraid at our school. At Richmond Rose, we are free to succeed!

Revised Milk & Yogurt Program



Through the support of teachers and students, we will be offering families the opportunity to voluntarily purchase milk and/or yogurt tubes, starting on **October 15th**. Money raised will be going directly to support the students at Richmond Rose. The term one milk program will run until January 31st. No milk/yogurt will be provided on P.A. Days.

Parents can order milk and/or yogurt tubes through the Richmond Rose school website, using **SCHOOL CASH ONLINE**. The last day to order milk for term one is **October 23rd** (Please note that this is a **REVISED deadline**).

We will only be using SCHOOL CASH ONLINE, no cash or cheque payments.
School Cash Online accepts debit and credit cards.

STUDENTS CAN CHOOSE FROM

(Parents, please note the updated prices for the milk and yogurt program for the 2018-2019 school year)

- White Milk: 5 times a week \$60.00
- Chocolate Milk: 5 times a week \$60.00
- White Milk: 3 times a week (Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday) \$38.00
- Chocolate Milk: 3 times a week (Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday) \$38.00
- Yogurt: 5 times a week \$49.50
- Yogurt: 3 times a week (Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday) \$31.50

RR Website: <http://richmondrose.ps.yrdsb.ca/>

The **SCHOOL CASH ONLINE LINK IS AT THE BOTTOM** of the **WEBSITE**