### **Richmond Rose Weekly Communication**

June 22nd, 2018

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## A Busy Week at Richmond Rose













This was a very busy week at Richmond Rose. Some of the events highlighted include...

- SK Graduation
- Grade 8 Graduation
- Primary Concert
- Regional Track & Field
- Air Band

Thank you to the amazing staff at Richmond Rose for making these events so wonderful for our students and community.

## **Summer Institute**

Looking for summer learning and fun activities for students entering Senior Kindergarten to Grade 8? Summer Institute offers academic, recreational and athletic programs and activities with intentional links to the Ontario Curriculum.



## **Weekly Sessions**

# July 3, 2018 to August 10, 2018

Week A - July 3 to July 6 (4day week)

Week B - July 9 to 13

Week C - July 16 to 20

Week D - July 23 to 27

Week E - July 30 to August 3

Week F - August 7 to 10 (4-day week)

There will be no pizza lunch provided on June 25<sup>th</sup>. Please make sure to pack a lunch for your children.

**PIZZA Dates** 

Thank you to our amazing grade 8 students for leading the pizza program this year. They did a great job managing this task all year, with the help of teachers and parent volunteers.

Thank you to our parent volunteers who helped with the pizza program all year. We couldn't have done it without you.



#### EARLY RELEASE

All schools in the York Region District School Board are committed to improving student achievement and wellbeing. On Thursday, June 28, 2018 an early release day will take place to allow elementary teachers and support staff to take part in meetings during the afternoon of that day. These meetings will allow for school staff to engage in culminating activities regarding the review and revision of the School's Improvement Plan as well as year-end and transition activities that support student success.

As has been our practice in the past, students will attend school during the morning of Thursday, June 28, 2018 only. Students will be dismissed early that day at 11:35. Arrangements will be made to ensure that students who are normally bused to and from school will receive transportation at this time. Parents/guardians whose children attend after school child care should make appropriate arrangements to address this change in schedule.

This message was previously emailed to families.

#### **STAFF APRECIATION LUNCH**





Thank you to our amazing community for their generosity and support, making our Staff Appreciation Lunch another huge success.

We had over 90 dishes donated to the lunch.

Thank you to our volunteers, many from our School Council, who helped decorate the staff room for teachers, and staff, making the entire event one to remember.

Thank you everyone!!!

#### **REGIONAL TRACK AND FIELD**

This year at the Central Area Track and Field Meet, Richmond Rose qualified to compete in nine events at the Regional Track and Field Meet. Regionals were held on Tuesday June 19th at the Stouffville Arena Track Complex. It was a great day as Richmond Rose won top six ribbons in five of the seven events! Competing were:

Joshua O. of grade 4 in the 200m; Justin C. of grade 7 in the Running Long Jump; Natalie S. of grade 8 in 100m; Anson H. of grade 7 in 400m - 6th place; Spencer D. of grade 4 in Standing Long Jump - 6th place; Victoria Z. of grade 6 in Shot Put - 3rd place; Carol R. of grade 5 in Running Long Jump - 2nd place, and; Jessica K. of grade 5 in 100 m **AND** Standing Long Jump - 1st place.



#### **Overdue or Lost Library Books**

Thank you to all the students who returned their library books on time. However, we still have a number of library books that have not been returned. Please help your child look for the book(s) at home and return them as soon as possible. If your child has lost the book, please send in money to cover the cost of a new one. Thank you and have a wonderful summer.

#### **Library Parent Volunteer**

Thank you to Mrs Monna Yip who volunteers in the library every Tuesday, rain or shine. Mrs Yip has been invaluable to our library over the year. She keeps our busy library running smoothly and completes many administrative tasks. THANK YOU, Mrs Yip!

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### Mrs. Ramsey-Wu Says Good-Bye

I'd like to thank all the students, staff, parents, and community members for a wonderful ending to my 29 years of teaching. My last nine years of teaching has been spent at Richmond Rose Public School and I am most grateful for this. Over the years the Richmond Rose community has always been so warm and welcoming. I have thoroughly enjoyed being a part of your child(ren)'s learning journey and watching them grow up from kindergarten through to grade 8. I am retiring to enjoy travelling and visiting with family and friends. Thank you for making my role as teacher librarian so rewarding.

#### **EVERY STUDENT COUNTS SURVEY**



## Help us learn more about the students in our school communities.

In November 2018, York Region District School Board will invite all students from Kindergarten through Grade 12 to participate in an important census to better understand who they are and how they feel about school.

## Inspire Learning!



#### SAVE THE DATE

Check out the Google calendar on our website for more information....

June 28<sup>th</sup> – Last Day of School (early release day)

#### **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!

