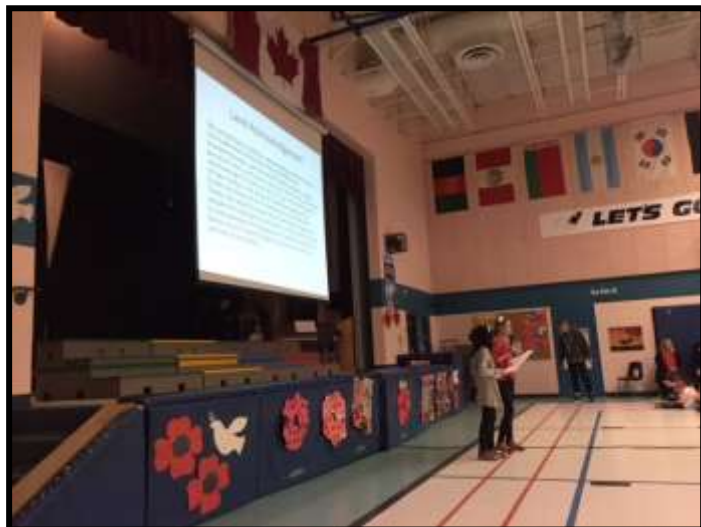


Remembrance Day At Richmond Rose



Today, Richmond Rose came together to recognize Remembrance Day.

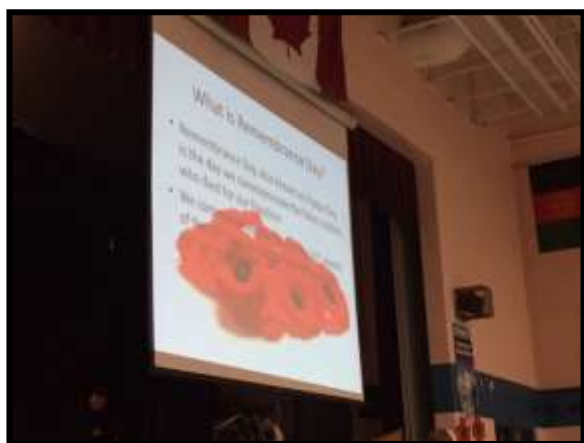
Thank you to everyone for a very moving and reflective assembly.

Remembrance Day

It is on this day, that we pause to remember and reflect upon the sacrifices that the Canadian men and women who have served, and continue to serve, in the Canadian Military have made for all Canadians. It is because of their commitment to freedom, democracy and human rights that we are able to live our lives the way we do in Canada.

Remembrance day, also known as Armistice Day is observed annually and marks the date and time when armies stopped fighting World War I on November 11th at 11am in 1918 (the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month).

Across generations, Ontarians of all backgrounds have fought and died to make our world a safer place. This is an opportunity for students to make family connections and learn about History both Canadian and world.



Our flag will be flown at half-mast from sunset on Friday Nov. 10th and over the weekend, until Monday morning. In recognition of Remembrance Day.

EDSBY – ACTION FOR FAMILIES!

Edsby is an intuitive, cloud-based platform that will allow families to reserve times to meet with their child's teachers. YRDSB in partnership with Edsby have created a secure platform that protects the privacy of information for our YRDSB families.

Families will need to create an Edsby account to access the online appointment scheduler for their child's teachers for upcoming parent & teacher interviews. Only families who create an Edsby account prior to the schedule being opened.

ACTION FOR FAMILIES!!!

A few emails were sent this week, inviting families to activate their Edsby account. If families haven't done this already, we encourage you to do it as soon as possible, as families need to have an active Edsby account to book family & teacher interviews.

The interview scheduler will be open Monday morning for families to book interviews.



Food for Birthdays / Celebrations

We are requesting, as we have in the past, that families do not send in food treats to celebrate a birthday. If you feel the need to share something for your child's birthday, find an alternative (pencils, stickers, a small colouring book, etc.) that students can hand out. Another very creative way that families can celebrate a birthday is to purchase a book for the class, wrap it up, and let your child open it in front of everyone and have the teacher read it to the class.

Winter Weather

Now that the cold weather is upon us, it's important for families to know that we try to get as much fresh air as possible during the day. Only when there are extreme weather conditions will students stay inside for recess/lunch recess. Please make sure to send your child(ren) with boots, gloves, hats, etc, in the morning, so they are ready for the day ahead of them.

EVACUATION FYI

Students and staff had to evacuate the building today due to the accidental damage of one of our fire sprinklers in the gym. The fire department was called to the school and quickly assisted our caretaking team to address the issue.

The damage to the fire sensor has been inspected and fixed.

Thank you to everyone for quickly exiting the building safely, and thank you to our teachers for responding to the needs of the students upon re-entry.

Thank you to our caretaking team for addressing the clean up quickly and professionally.

SAVE THE DATE

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

- Nov 13th Interview Scheduler Opens through Edsby
- Nov 13th & 14th Toronto Zoo Great Lakes Outreach Conservation Program – school wide
- Nov 15th Photo Re-take Day – **only for those who missed the original photo day**
- Nov 16th *Triple P Parenting Series* – Raising Resilient & Confident Competent Children, evening presentation, organized by School Council
- Nov 23rd & 24th Family & Teacher Interviews – **families to use Edsby to schedule interviews**
- Nov 27th Scholastic Book Fair

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.



Triple P Parenting



Small Changes, Big Differences!

All Parents want to do their best when parenting their children. Triple P stands for 'Positive Parenting Program'. It is a system that emphasizes the development of positive attitudes, skills and behaviour. This helps prevent problems arising and fosters family relationships that encourage children to realize their full potential so they will do well at home, at school and in the community.



Free Workshop For Parents

of Children 4 – 14 years of age

Raising Confident, Competent and Resilient Children

Location: Richmond Rose Public School

Date: November 16, 2017

Time: 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Register by November 13, 2017 at: richmond.rose.ps@sc.yrdsb.ca
(Please indicate child care requirement when registering)

Light Refreshments and Child Care available

*This presentation is a collaborative partnership with the York Region District School Board,
Triple P and Family Services York Region*