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## Rick Hansen P.S E-Blast Week of: September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019

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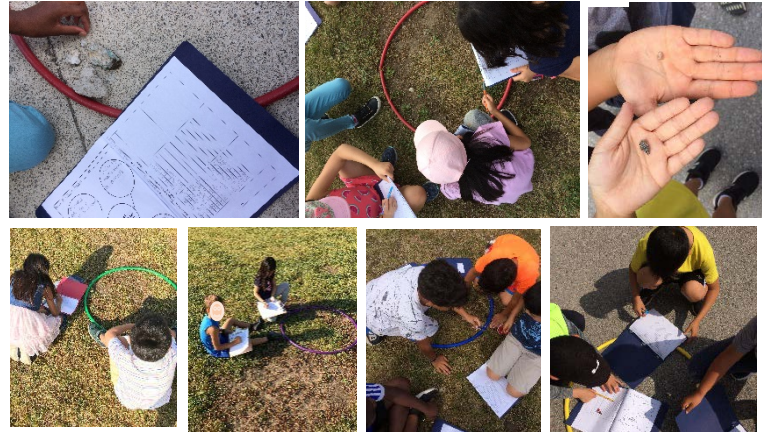
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Monday, September 16 Day 5	
Tuesday September 17 Day 1	10:50am Student Council Meeting
Wednesday September 18 Day 2	1:20pm Garden Club
Thursday September 19 Day 3	
Friday September 20 Day 4	

## Photo Gallery

### Rocks and Minerals Investigations



## Information

**Director's Action Plan:** As a school board, our priorities are set out in the Board of Trustees' [Multi-Year Strategic Plan](#). To achieve those priorities, the Director's Action Plan sets out six goals that align with the strategic plan and our Board's [Mission, Vision and Values](#). The Director's Action Plan goals focus on raising the achievement of students who are underserved and underperforming. This is in line with concepts in the Ministry of Education's [Learning for All](#), which outlines that "assistance targeted at a specific group can help everyone." Professional learning for staff at RHPS is aligned with the DAP goals and raising the achievement and well-being of our underserved and underperforming students.

**Curriculum Night:** Our Meet the Teacher evening will take place on Thursday, September 26<sup>th</sup> from 6:00pm until 7:00pm. There will be two information sessions in the homeroom classrooms, the first starting at 6:00pm and then repeated again at 6:30pm.

**International Baccalaureate Program Information Evening:** Students and families interested in the IB Programme are invited to attend an information session at Dr. G. W. Williams on Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. Families will learn more about the programme and the application process. Please see the linked flyer below for more information.

**Terry Fox Walk/Run:** We will be hosting a Terry Fox Run/ Walk-a-thon on Thursday, September 26 at 9:30 a.m. Our event will be held in aid of The Terry Fox Foundation to help raise money for cancer research. Please see the linked letter for more information regarding donations and supporting this event.

**Hot Lunch Program:** We are hoping to start our hot lunch programs (Greek Lunch on Mondays and Pizza on Thursdays) the week of September 30<sup>th</sup>. Please look out for the email from SchoolCashOnline letting you know that the lunch programs are available for purchase. No late orders will be accepted.

**School Assistants Needed:** If you are interested in being a school assistant, applications are available from Mrs. Kingsbury in the office. We are currently seeking assistants to work during our lunch hour from 1:00pm to 2:00pm. Thank you!

### Upcoming Dates:

September 23	PA Day
September 24	School Council Meeting
September 26	Terry Fox Walk/Run @ 9:30am
September 26	Meet the Teacher Evening
September 30	Rosh Hashanah
October 1	Rosh Hashanah

### Links

[International Baccalaureate Programme Information Evening](#)  
[Terry Fox Letter](#)  
[Chippewas of Georgina Island Pow Wow 2019](#)  
[Elementary International and Indigenous Languages Program](#)  
[Elementary International and Indigenous Languages Flyer](#)  
[Open House at the Newmarket Fire Station](#)  
[Open House at the Aurora Fire Station](#)