We would like to acknowledge that Royal West Academy is located on unceded Indigenous lands. The Kanien'kehá:ka\* Nation is recognized as the traditional custodians of Tiohtià:ke/Montréal\*, which has long been a site of meeting and exchange for many First Nations and is currently home to diverse groups of Indigenous and other peoples. We are grateful to live, work, and learn here and recognize the important role of education in reconciliation. (and in maintaining connections between the past, present, and future.)



# <u>UPCOMING EVENTS</u>

- May 28 & 29 Sec. 3 Drama production
- May 30 Sec. 2 Drama production
- May 31 End of Year BBQ
- May 31 Summer Accessory Day
- May 31 June 6 Blackout period
- June 7 First Day of Exams
- June 20 Graduation Ceremony
- June 21 Last Day of school

# NEW!

### Royal West Student VS Teacher Ping-Pong

There will be a student vs teacher ping-pong tournament on May 29<sup>th</sup> in the new gym, student's sign-up on Instagram @royalwestopen. \$2 to play. Limited spots available, so sign up quick!!

#### NEW!

#### Grade 7 volleyball

We will have 2 sessions next week:

Monday June 3<sup>rd</sup> and Wednesday June 5<sup>th</sup> at lunch in the memorial gym. See you there.

#### NEW

Hello RWA! Come by this Thursday at lunch at the front field to, get this, throw water balloons at your favorite teachers! Prices are \$2 per water balloon, or \$5 for 3. See you there,

Hydro Hurlers Inc

### NEW!

#### **TCBA**

Last TCBY sale is this Thursday. Come and enjoy your yummy treat. \$3 each.

### NEW!

# **SLA Farewell BBQ**

This Friday the SLA will be holding its farewell BBQ. There will be an early lunch dismissal at 12:05pm and lunch will end at 1:12pm with the first bell and the last bell at 1:16pm. We will have great food, obstacle courses, the eliminator bouncy castle and giant soccer balls and so much more! Friday will be an accessory/spirit day with a focus on beach wear!! Bring a change of clothes!!

#### 1EMi

# Sec 2 Drama Production

Sec 2 Drama students will be performing "Horror Movie 101: Failing is Deadly" on Thursday, May 30. Come and join us!

If you would like to attend and cheer your friends on, see me in room 209 and let me know. Group 2-05 will be performing at 4:30 and Group 2-01 will be performing at 6:30

- Ms. Amro

#### Freshen Your Day with Mango Lassi!

A duck walked up to a lemonade stand And then he said to the man runnin' the stand Hey (bam bam bam), got any lassi?

Swing by the foyer on May 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> to get some delicious mango lassi, a beloved mango- and yogurt-based drink from Punjab! \$3.50 per lassi cup, 6.75 for two cups

Students are invited to apply to the stage in Pharmacy/traditional Indigenous medicine have received an email about

a short meeting today at recess in room 308 to discuss this opportunity and how to apply. If you have read your email, this is a reminder. If you haven't read your email : BOOOOOOO!

#### Final Debate Practice Open to All Levels

On Wednesday, after school in 211, the Debate Team will hold an open practice. Anyone interested in debate is free to attend. People who need to complete their ½ credit for Beginner's Debate should attend. Please see Ms. Holloway to confirm if you need a half-credit for Beginner's Debate. – Ms. Holloway

### **Rugby Hoodies**

The rugby hoodies are in. They can be collected in 310 from 08:15 in the morning.

Mr. Lapierre

#### Westminster Crosswalk Safety

Students are reminded that the only permitted walking route from the train to RWA is by crossing at Ainslie (blue). For students frequenting the businesses on Westminster, you may only cross the tracks on the west side. The east side does not have a sidewalk (red). For your safety while crossing, turn off your music, put your phone down, and make eye contact with drivers.



# Dîner avec Mme LeBlanc

Préparation à l'examen Secondaire 1 et 2

Jour 1 Local 111

Jour 3 local 112 (sauf lundi 3 juin)

Jour 4 local 111

Jour 6 local 109

Jour 7 Local 207

Spécial lève-tôt tous les matins 8 h à 8 h 30 Local 109

(sauf lundi et mardi 3-4 juin)

## **Grade 9 Drama Performance**

Mr. Rafael's grade 9's would like to invite you to come watch "Murder on the 518" on Tuesday or Wednesday MAY 28 & 29th. The show will be from 6pm to 7:30pm in the PAC. The cost is only, a minimum of one non-perishable food item which will be donated to the NDG Food Depot. We have a maximum of 190 tickets on each night. First come first served. Tickets will be sold on Monday and Tuesday MAY 27 & 28 only!

#### **PROM TICKETS**

Grade 11's, it's that time of year to pay for prom. Please come to room 102 Monday and Tuesday at lunch to pay and reserve your place at a table. Cost is \$123 per student and \$50 per adult for the 5:30-6:30 pm cocktail hour.

# Bike Trip

Avez-vous perdu un sac de couchage bleu? Si c'est à vous, venez voir M. Tétreault pour le récupérer!

# Spring Fair Fundraiser

Edinburgh elementary school is looking for volunteers with some artistic talent to help with face painting. Fundraiser will take place May 30th from 6:00pm to 8:00 pm. If interested, please see Ms. Di Pietro in room 226.

## **SLA INTERVIEWS**

This week's interview schedule for the 2024-2025 Student Life Association has been posted on the door of 306! Reminder to please show up for your interview on time! If you still want to interview and don't yet have an appointment, hurry to 306 to sign up for one of the final slots. If there are none left, DM @sla.soar on Instagram or email either colbra@edu.emsb.qc.ca or ciccal@edu.emsb.qc.ca

# Cafeteria

Please note the last day to use your lunch card is June 6<sup>th</sup>, that will also be the last day of cafeteria services.