

RCFI Weekly Memo to Families from Administration Nov 2 edition

MISSION: TO IMPROVE OUR STUDENTS' ORAL PROFICIENCY IN FRENCH

GOAL: TO DEVELOP STUDENTS' UNDERSTANDING AND APPLICATION OF ADDITIVE REASONING

Principal: A. Maddox

Vice Principal: S. Chamberlain

Superintendent: D. Wright

Admin. Assistant: T. Kormendi/A. Law

Trustees: Bill McKinnon, Barb Yeoman

From the "stacks":

We are excited to offer a virtual fundraising event for the RCFI library. The Virtual book fair will be open from **Monday, November 9th - Friday, November 20th**. Next week you will receive a paper showcase flyer and information on how to access the fair. We will also send an email to all families with the link to our fair, which will also be posted in the "bibliothèque" section of your child's google classroom. All orders will be shipped directly to your home for a flat rate of \$6.00 or FREE with a \$35.00 purchase. Although we are unable to run a traditional book fair this year, the virtual fair allows you to choose from more than 450 books, including a great selection of French texts for all grade levels. Our library receives 20% back in book credit from each purchase which allows us to keep the collection fresh with new releases and replacements of well-loved favourites. Watch your email for the link to get a sneak peek of the fair!

Water Bottles/Student Masks

Please remember to send your child to school each day with a filled water bottle, and at least one mask (if not two if possible). We have a limited number of each for emergencies only. We appreciate your support with this. Thank you

Produce Express Fundraising Program! (See flyer attached)

Shop online with Produce Express, and 10% of your purchase will be donated to RCFI. HOW to donate:

Step 1: Go to <https://outlet.fresherproduce.ca/catalog>

Step 2: Shop for your favourite fruits, veggies, and other fresh foods!

Step 3: Once you've reviewed your order, enter your special school fundraising code. (code is Roch2020)

Step 4: Enter your payment information and submit your order! You can then pick up your order in our drive thru located in Woodstock, or have it delivered to your home!

Step 5: Once your order has been submitted, Produce Express will send you a email with the amount that you have donated to your school!

Pickup and Drop off time:

Now that we are in the routine of picking up and dropping off students we would like to encourage you to continue being VIGILANT about student safety. Please make sure that you look in all directions before pulling in or out of your parked spots, or when turning around in driveways and that you watch for students crossing the streets or on the sidewalks.

Looking Ahead: In the next few weeks, we will be rolling out our first SCHOOL WIDE activity. We will be hosting bi-monthly BINGO games through our Google Meet application. Students will be provided with bingo cards and chips so that they can be reused each time. For our first match, the Admin team will be calling numbers, and given all classes have the same cards (but different formats), there should be a winner in each room simultaneously! Good luck Raptors!

Home and School/School Council

Home and School/School council meetings will be held on the second Thursday of each month (except December). Next Home and School Meeting Nov 12th at 6:30 pm (no School Council at this meeting)

Please join us. Parents of students in Full Remote Learning are encouraged to participate. The Meeting ID is: 919 7987 2506 and the link to join the meeting is <https://zoom.us/j/91979872506>

TVO Mathify: Offers free grade 6-10 Math tutoring online with teachers Monday to Friday 9am to 9pm and Sunday 3:30 to 9pm ET. Visit here: <https://www.tvomathify.com/students>

From the mouths of our littlest Raptors:

The day of our visit from the Director and Associate Directors...we overheard some students asking their teacher..."Who are all the guys in suits and badges!"

Dates to Remember:

Nov 11 Virtual Remembrance Day Recognition

Nov 13 Progress Reports go home to Families

Upcoming RCFI Spirit Days. Photo submissions can be viewed on RCFI School Spirit Google classroom (join code y2mbhec) - must use a GOTVDSB account to access it (every student has one).

November 20th - Crazy Hair and Socks Day

December 18th - Red and Green Jingle Day

Your devoted Administrators,

Mme Maddox and Mme Chamberlain

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