

RCFI Weekly Memo to Families from Administration April 25 Edition

MISSION: TO IMPROVE OUR STUDENTS' ORAL PROFICIENCY IN FRENCH

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

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MILK PROGRAM !!! Youppi, it is back

We are happy to announce that our milk program is back. With support from an amazing group of parent volunteers! For the next couple of months, we will be offering again a choice of white or chocolate "PurFiltre" milk at the cost of \$1 for a 237mL jug.

Families interested in participating in our Milk Program can purchase "Milk Tickets" through the Cash Online program. Please note that cash or cheques will NOT be accepted at school. Milk tickets can be purchased online in increments of 10 (e.g. 10, 20, 30, etc.), on a weekly basis or as needed. Please see the attached memo from Mme Corina for more information.

Tickets purchased in previous years will be accepted.

You are all invited to an evening to "Roch Around the World!"

Date: Tuesday, May 3rd Time: doors open at 7:00

Please come and celebrate our rich multicultural backgrounds represented at RCFI. In our very own Roch Carrier gym, there will be displays and presentations of traditional clothing, objects, music, artwork and dance! The countries represented are India (Muslum, Hindu and Sikh faiths), Holland, Bulgaria, Scotland, El Salvador, Romania and Italy! Students will also have time during the school day to visit the displays with their class. Please come and join in the celebration. Looking forward to seeing many of our RCFI families on May the 3rd.

Also, **Tuesday May 3rd is Multicultural Dress day at school.** Students are welcome to wear traditional clothing from their culture or to wear clothing (team jersey/sweatshirts/hats/t-shirts) that depict a certain country or even simply dress in the national colours of a certain flag!

School Council/Home and School Association

Our next School Council meeting will be Thursday May 12 at 6:00 pm followed immediately by the Home and School meeting, via ZOOM. Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85488557281?pwd=REFqSmtTVzVZT2ZDdjRJMmh4VFduQT09>

Meeting ID: 854 8855 7281 Passcode: 332001

HOT LUNCHES Please check the HotLunch website <https://rcfi.hotlunches.net> for April-June dates as they should be live now as well. **Cut off for orders is now Sunday each week** - this allows the company to order the necessary dough in advance.

EQAO

FYI to all families with students in either grade 3 or grade 6. Students in these grades will be participating in an electronic version of EQAO this year, in late May. Staff are working through familiarizing themselves with the platform and will be working with students on practice tests before the actual tests are administered in late May. More information will be shared soon.

Transition Planning for second FI school

French Immersion Open House at Oliver Stephens May 9th 6:00 pm -7:00 pm - please see attached flyer for more information.

Dates to Remember:

May 2-6 Education Week

May 3 - Roch around the World (Multicultural Event)

May 9 - Oliver Stephens French Immersion Open House (incoming Gr 1-7 welcome)

May 16 - June 2 - EQAO testing (site specific dates TBD)

May 23 - Victoria Day Weekend

May 31 - Grade 1 (2022/23) French Immersion Open House - tentative date

Your devoted Administrators,
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