

RCFI Weekly Memo to Families from Administration November 14 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: J. Moodie

Superintendent: D. Wright

Admin. Assistant: T. Vanpee

Trustees: Barb Yeoman, Graham Hart

Progress Reports were sent home today, November 11

FYI: Three Ball Hoop

Just wanted to let everyone know that our three ball hoop net on the yard has broken (we believe from age). It has been removed for safety reasons. But rest assured a new one has been ordered.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Teachers will be reaching out (possibly with a note in the report card envelope) to offer the opportunity to meet with families to discuss student progress. We look forward to seeing many of you in the school over the next week.

EQAO results

Families who had students in Grade 3 or 6 last year, should have received their child's individual student result document from the school.

Mint Smoothies for sale

Our grade 8 students are running a fundraiser in support of their year end trip to Camp Celtic. They are selling Mint Smoothies (\$3.50). Forms have been sent home with all students in case they would like to support this initiative to help bring down the cost of the trip for all participating students. Orders are due back to the school by December 7th. Smoothies will be delivered and distributed on December 20th. Thank you in advance for your support. Mme Martin/Mme Beatty

School Council and RCHSA

The next meeting for the School Council will be Tues November 15 at 6:00 pm, followed immediately by the Home and School Meeting. We will determine if the meeting will be in person or virtual closer to the date of the meeting. [LINK](#)

Meeting ID: 224 678 324 571 Passcode: pmqMjT

Domino Pizza Fundraiser coming soon!

November 13-17. Monies raised will be used to support student activities at the school (items can be found on the budget spreadsheet posted on school website under Home and School).

Hot Lunch!

Hot lunches will be delivered on Thursdays at the second nutrition break for those that ordered (orders will close on Sunday night prior to the lunch).

Also, registration for families is open on the hot lunch portal. A reminder that you will need to register again being we do not keep last year's data in the system due to privacy reasons.

Please use the following link: <https://rcfi.hotlunches.net/>



Domino's
DONATE THE DOUGH

November 13 - 17, 2022

USE COUPON CODE "RCFI"
ONLINE OR OVER THE PHONE, AND WE WILL DONATE

30%
OF THE ORDER TOTAL TO

ROCH CARRIER FRENCH IMMERSION PUBLIC SCHOOL

TILLSONBURG
519-888-3000
527 BROADWAY

WOODSTOCK
519-290-9300
360 NORWICH AVENUE

DELHI
226-227-2000
257 JAMES ST

INGERSOLL
519-303-4000
60 CHARLES STREET WEST

Bus Driver Shortages/Delayed Runs

Our community has been very lucky to avoid being negatively impacted by the ongoing bus driver shortages up to this point. This past week we had our first encounter with this, as RCAR 04 had multiple days with no driver available. Through this experience we learned that once the bus company becomes aware of the absence of a driver, there may not be much notice for families, and the company at that point has two options: either cancel the run, or send out another bus after they have finished their regular run (approx 30 min delay on pick ups). Neither of these are great options, but they are the reality that we will be facing moving forward. If your child is waiting at a bus stop and the bus is late, please call the bus company right away so that IF it is actually an absent driver they can put things into action as soon as possible.

November ~ Student Parliament

As a global men's health movement, the Movember Foundation has the ambition to contribute to improving the lives of men around the world. This will be achieved through programs we fund in the areas of – Awareness & Education, Living with Cancer, Research and Mental Health.

Roch Carrier Student Parliament Members will be selling fake moustaches for \$2 starting November 16th. All funds raised will be donated to Movember. Student Parliament members will be coming around to classes to collect money (exact change) on November 16 and November 23. Then Moustaches will be delivered on November 30 to be worn.

Safe and Inclusive School Plan

Our Roch Carrier SISF, created in the spring of 2021, outlines the vision and goals for creating a safe and inclusive environment for our entire Roch Carrier family. We are proud to say that we have made great strides in achieving these goals. We are enjoying the sense of community and relationships that are flourishing through our House Colour System, our vibrant teams and clubs and participating in whole school activities. Last year we hosted a very successful multicultural evening in our gym as well as participating in a beautiful Pow Wow last June in celebration of Indigenous People's Month. We look forward to continuing to foster this wonderful community spirit and are looking for input from our families. If you are interested in sharing your voice and ideas as we plan new initiatives this year, please contact Mme Moodie by email at jen.moodie@tvdsb.ca . We will meet virtually in the next few weeks for a brainstorming session.

Please don't forget: all Family Weekly Memos can be found (sorted by year) on our school website at <https://rochcarrier.tvdsb.ca/en/our-school/school-newsletters.aspx>

Dates to Remember:

Nov 13-17: Domino Pizza Fundraiser

Nov 16: Moustache Sales

Nov 18: Interview Day (no school)

Nov 21-25: Bullying Awareness/Prevention Week

Nov 23: Moustache Sales

Nov 30: Moustache Day

Dec 2-15: Toy and Food Drive in support of Salvation Army

Dec 5: School wide field trip to see Elf at WCI (forms will be sent home early next week)

Dec 7: Deadline to order Mint Smoothie in support of Gr 8 year end trip

Dec 12-16: Used Book Sale

Dec 20: Mint Smoothie delivery

Dec 23: Last day of school before winter break

Your devoted Administrators,
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