# **RIVERVIEW NEWS** Family Edition, Vol. 23 Week of A

Week of April 15th - April 19th, 2024

# SOLAR ECLIPSE:

Last week's solar eclipse did not disappoint and the staff and students shared their experiences enthusiastically upon their return to school on Tuesday. We are glad everyone enjoyed safely and thank the LBPSB for securing glassed for students and staff.

### **PEARSON FAMILY FUN RUN:**

This year's run is scheduled for May 5th. A RIverview Crew team has been created, if anyone wants to join in on the fun! See the flyer attached or go to: <u>https://www.canadahelps.org/s/6wAZAh</u> to sign up or donate! Funds raised by this event go to the general PEF fund for clothing, school supplies, and other student needs. Thank you for your support! **YARD SAFETY:** 

Staff have been reminded about circulating and having students play away from the fence in light of last week's email. There has not been another incident, but the SPVM visited last week and assured us that officers have circulated more often lately (including in unmarked cars), to ensure student safety. We have a lovely neighbourhood school and are happy to work with parents and partners for everyone's security. Please remind students of appropriate language and play in the yard, and not to engage with strangers outside of the fence. Finally, students are reminded <u>not to bring in toys, balls, or PHONES</u> in order to avoid lost/damaged property.

# **CLC ACTIVITIES:**

The first week of CLC lunch and after school activities went well and we look forward to the final program of the year, set to end May 30th. This term's activities include Art Lab, Lego, Futsal, Super Chef, Suspicious Fish Creative Writing, Chess, Irish Dancing, and more! Many thank to Ms. Simone and the animators for providing this terrific service for students! **RATTRAPAGE:** 

The Ministry funded 'rattrapage' tutoring program began last week to provide support to students in Math, English, and French in the coming weeks. If your child was not initially nominated, some groups still have a little bit of room in them. If you are interested, please feel free to reach out to Ms. Brown at <u>abrown@lbpearson.ca</u> to see if space is available. **ECOLE DE CIRQUE:** 

Over the next couple of weeks, all classes will have the opportunity to visit

GRAD COMMITTEE @ 6 pm

Workshop for 561/601 Girls

PLAY-A-THON (afternoon)

Ecole de Cirque (1/3 of school)

Ecole de Cirque (<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub> of school)

Author visit (301, 341, 401, 501)

SEED FIRE DRILL @ 3:15pm

Ecole de Cirque (1/3 of school)

PPO Meeting @ 6 pm

FIRE DRILL @ 1:50 pm

All Girls' Leadership

Domino's Pizza Night

the École de Cirque de Verdun ( $1_3$  of the school at a time) for a day of workshops and circus themed activities, free of charge. Permission slips will be distributed shortly.

We were very happy to
have Ms. Melissa back
last week after a short
leave! Thank you so
much to our fantastic
SEED staff, Ms. Kim,
and the LBPSB support
team for their help! At
the end of this week,
Ms. Mariya, one of our
beloved daycare staff,
will leave us for a new
role as K4 Educator at
Maple Grove. We wish
her the very best!

SEED/DAYCARE:



#### PPO PLAY-A-THON:

This Friday, we will divide the school into teams for an afternoon of mixed level, cooperative fun! A school-wide Bingo and tech-free games are on the agenda. Please remember to send in your pledge forms or consider making a donation online at: DONATE TO PPO SPECIAL PROJECT FUND ALL GIRLS' LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE:

PLAY-A-THON ON FRIDAY

The Study, a private girls' school in Westmount, is hosting their annual conference for girls in Grades 5-8 on Friday, April 19th. The theme of this year's event is: "Leading the Way to a Greener Tomorrow". Twelve students from the Riverview Leadership Crew will attend for the day with Ms. Stefani and Ms. Emily to participate in workshops and activities! Bravo! **BEST WISHES:** 

With Easter behind us and Passover beginning next week, we wish our families who celebrated Eid-el-Fitr last Thursday, to mark the end of Ramadan, much joy, happiness, and peace.



The next Grad Committee meeting will be on Monday evening @ 6pm at the school. Grad photos are done, the trip is booked, and the hoodies will distributed early this week! SAVE THE GRAD DATE: Wed. June 19th

LET'S DO OUR BEST TO BE AT SCHOOL BEFORE 7:55 A.M. EVERY DAY! CHANGES TO DISMISSAL PLANS SHOULD BE MADE BEFORE 11:30 A.M.