

RIVERVIEW NEWS

2024-2025 Family Edition

Volume 9
Oct. 28th - Nov. 1st



PPO'S FALL FESTIVAL:

Like our Facebook page for news and updates!



Last week's Fall Festival was a great success! Family and friends gathered to have soups, chilis, popcorn, baked goods and hot chocolate while they enjoyed games, a photo booth, a pumpkin patch, and more. Thank you SO much to our PPO and parent volunteers, the Leadership students, and the staff and families who came out. The weather was great, and the team worked hard to have everything cleaned up in record time! Congratulations to ALL who made it happen!



VEGETABLE BASKETS:

Good news! Those who ordered baskets from Les Jardins de Tessa to support the freeze dryer project can come to the school to pick up their orders from Mme Sophie on **Wednesday, October 30th between 2:30 and 6:00 p.m.** Please remember to bring bags to carry your order. Donations can still be made via the Pearson Education Fund (PEF). To find out more, go to: [ONLINE DONATION TO PEF](#) and click on: "a general donation to Pearson Educational Foundation", then scroll down to the "Riverview Freeze-Dryer Campaign", or other school projects!

WEBINARS FOR PARENTS:

Two sessions remain in the CEMH/LBPSB three-part parenting series entitled: **How Can Parents Support Anxious Kids & Help Them Thrive?** Open to all parents, the series will be presented by our very well respected colleagues: Janna Gillis, M.A., Behavioural Consultant, and Zmira King, Ph.D., OPQ, Psychologist. Interested parents can sign up for the remaining sessions (Nov. 5th and 19th) here: [WORKSHOP REGISTRATION](#). Also on the horizon is a session for parents on IEPS (Individualized Education Plans). More to come on the virtual session scheduled for November 24th, 2024.

FAMILY LITERACY EVENT AT RIVERVIEW:

SAVE THE DATE! On Thursday, November 7th, families of students in K4-Grade 2 are invited to attend a family literacy event at the school from 5:00-7:30 p.m. Bilingual Literacy activities will be hosted by J'Apprends avec Mon Enfant (JAME), with the help of FSSTT (Ms. Cat and Ms. Emily) and our new CDA, Daniel Frankman. **Pizza and childcare will also be available!** Please sign up here to reserve your spot: [FREE LITERACY EVENT SIGN UP](#) by October 31st. See the flyer attached.

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS:

Please note that there is no election in our ward/district at this time. Our new commissioner, by acclamation, is former Riverview parent, Linda Dalterio. She is very familiar with the needs of our school community and will be an excellent advocate for the district. We look forward to officially welcoming her at our next Governing Board meeting in Nov. 20th! Good luck to those running in other wards for the elections next weekend.

FOOD SECURITY:

As we head toward the holiday season, families think of entertaining, being together, and celebrating. If climbing food prices are a source of stress, please do not hesitate to reach out. We will be doing our school walk-a-thon to raise funds for our Christmas Baskets on November 29th and have resources at the school and beyond to support families who may be experiencing financial strain. Please see the attached document which includes maps and information on local organizations that may be able to offer services if you or someone you know is in need. [VERDUN FOOD SECURITY](#)

HOT LUNCHESES (La Cantine pour Tous):

Orders are now available until the end of December, with the exception of November 8th, which is a Pizza Lunch fundraiser day. Click on the link at the right to order!

HALLOWEEN AT RIVERVIEW:

The Grad Committee's **HAUNTED HOUSE** is this Tuesday, OCTOBER 29TH from 6:30-8:30 p.m.! All Riverview families are invited to walk through between 6:30 and 8:30 pm. There will be tricks and treats, with a bake sale available. Avoid the 6:30 rush ... no need to line up early. We will have continuous "tours" throughout the evening! See the flyer attached in tonight's email! On Thursday, October 31st, staff and students have the option to dress in costume to celebrate **HALLOWEEN** at school. All are reminded to leave masks and accessories at home to avoid lost or broken items for the evening. Costumes should also not be violent or disrespectful in any way. We can't wait to see the creative, fun costumes that everyone will wear!

CONGRATULATIONS:

To all of the students in Grades 4, 5, and 6 who participated in last week's LBPSB Cross Country Run. Several students placed in the top 25 in their categories! We appreciate Mr. L, Mr. Ferreira, Ms. Tina, and the parents who accompanied on the trip!

LOOKING AHEAD:

Oct. 28th	FIRE DRILL @ 11:50 a.m.
Oct. 29th	GRAD HAUNTED HOUSE @ 6:30
Oct. 30th	Basket pick-up 2:30-6:00 pm
Oct. 31st	HALLOWEEN
Nov. 5th	PPO Meeting @ 6:00 pm
	Part 2: CEMH online parent series
Nov. 6th	Assemblies @ 8:30 and 9:00
Nov. 7th	Literacy Night (K4-Grade 2 families)
Nov. 8th	PPO PIZZA LUNCH
Nov. 11th	REMEMBRANCE DAY
Nov. 14th	Staff Council @ lunch
	Grad Committee mtg @ 6:00 pm
Nov. 15th	BOARDWIDE PED DAY
Nov. 19th	TERM 1 Reports on Mozaik
	Part 3: CEMH online parent series
Nov. 20th	GOV. BOARD Meeting @ 6 pm
Nov. 21st	Parent/Teacher interviews
Nov. 22nd	PED DAY: Interviews continue
Nov. 29th	Walk-a-Thon

LA CANTINE
POUR TOUS



[HOT LUNCH ORDERS](#)

This week at a glance:

Monday, Oct. 28th



@ 11:50 a.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 29th



GRAD HAUNTED HOUSE

Wednesday, Oct. 30th

VEGETABLE BASKET ORDERS
PICK-UP... PLEASE BRING
YOUR OWN BAGS

Leadership Meeting
@ lunch

Thursday, Oct. 31st



Friday, Nov. 1st



Gates open at 7:45 a.m. Please arrive on time. All changes to the dismissal routine must be made before 11:30 a.m. by calling Ms. Kim at 514-761-4524.

The background of the entire poster is decorated with various autumn-themed elements. There are several large, detailed illustrations of maple and oak leaves in shades of orange, yellow, and brown. Interspersed among the leaves are small, four-pointed orange stars. A dark brown branch with small green and orange leaves curves across the top right corner.

**FAMILY
NIGHT**

**RIVERVIEW
PIZZA**

**LITERACY
WORKSHOP**

JAME - RIVERVIEW - CLC

Thursday November 7th - 5 to 730 pm

Registration Required

RIVERVIEW ELEMENTARY
GRAD COMMITTEE

CASH ONLY EVENT
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INVITES YOU TO OUR

HAUNTED HOUSE



TUESDAY

OCT 29 / 6:30-8:30 PM



BAKE SALE AT THE EXIT OF THE HAUNTED HOUSE

ENTRY FEE: \$5/FAMILY OR \$2/INDIVIDUAL

FUNDS RAISED WILL GO TOWARDS THE 6TH GRADE GRADUATION PARTY, GRADUATION TRIP,
AND TO PURCHASE 2025 GRADUATION HOODIES