### RIVERVIEW NEWS

2024-2025 Family Edition

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### **BACK TO BASICS:**

Unbelievably, we are about to enter the month of April! Part of our "spring cleaning and renewal" is a "back to basics" approach. As such, everyone is reminded to double down on the simple things, such as: arriving on time, regular attendance, reviewing the code of conduct, being prepared, and maintaining effort and focus. As spring settles in, we will be organizing yard activities and materials to provide students with options for play at recess. All are reminded that crocs/open sandals are not permitted (particularly in phys.ed due to risk of injury). Looking forward to the week ahead!

### PARENT WORKSHOP REMINDER:

The Central Parents' Committee of the LBPSB has asked to share a parent workshop opportunity that is coming up on **Monday, March 31st at 7:00 p.m**. As per my email last week, the workshop is designed to help understand bullying and why it happens, to be able to recognize the signs in children's behavior, and how to deal with it. Discussion will include how the brain influences the incidence of bullying and how positive self-esteem helps to mitigate its effect on children. The virtual workshop is FREE and interested parents are invited to register here: <a href="https://jlive.app/events/10792">https://jlive.app/events/10792</a> to listen in.

### **HOT LUNCH FEEDBACK:**

Our hot lunch supplier, La Cantine Pour Tous is asking for feedback. The survey is only 6 questions long and will serve to improve the service. The deadline to respond is April 1st. Please note that the survey is in French and can be found here: <a href="mailto:short:sh

Please keep sharing the link: <u>Almost a Century of Riverview</u> to add to our timeline! This, the Outdoor Classroom, and other projects are lined up in celebration of the community in the coming months!

### **K4 PARENT COMPONENT:**

Next **Monday, April 7th**, parents of students on Ms. Erin and Ms. Jennifer's K4 classes are invited to take part in a "**Books and Bagels**" event with our partners at JAME (J'apprends avec mon enfant). The workshop for parents will begin at 12:30 p.m. and will be followed by a reading activity with students before they prepare for dismissal at the end of the day! An invitation to RSVP will be sent by teachers this week.

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

**Save the date!** This year's Pearson Family Fun Run/Walk will take place on Sunday, May 4th at at Margaret Manson Elementary School. The Pearson Education Foundation raises money for school events, activities, and supports families by providing school supplies, winter clothing and more, when the need arises! See the flyer attached for details... We hope to see you there!

### **FIELD TRIPS AND ACTIVITIES:**

A number of classes have both educational and recreational field trips planned in the coming weeks. Please know that we do our best to keep these trips free or at a minimal cost to parents (through fundraising, PPO, and Ministry of Education grants). Please be sure to sign permission forms and read details of the trips carefully to ensure that all goes smoothly for students and staff. All students are reminded that these trips, while part of our regular programming, are also a privilege. Consistent effort and behaviour leading up to these acitvities are required. It is always our hope to have ALL students attend, but if a student is not representing themselves well at school, online, and/or in the community, they may be asked to stay behind at school with another class.

**EXCITING TIMES LIE AHEAD... LET'S DO OUR BEST TO BE OUR BEST!** 

Deadline
EXTENDED
to April 2nd

RIVERVIEW

Pick up April 10,2025 ONLY \$12.00 per bag

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FELIX & NORTON ORDERS:

There is still time to order your Felix & Norton cookie dough! Paper copies of the order form are being sent home for your convenience. You can also use the QR code on the poster or the order form here: ORDER FORM, Orders are processed upon receipt of payment and will be available for pick-up on the afternoon of April 10th. Please send in your payments clearly labelled with your child's name & homeroom.



Permission forms were sent home last week to students nominated by teachers. Only students with signed permission may participate in the 10-week program. Please be sure to have filled out and returned the form by tomorrow. Sessions run from 2:30-3:30 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday and, at the end of each session, students will be dismissed at the OFFICE (either to parents, to daycare, or to walk home).

### **FEDERAL ELECTIONS APRIL 28th:**

Please note the change: there will be **NO SCHOOL**, but the **SEED** program will be **OPEN**. Riverview will be used as a polling station that day.

NEW PED DAY:

**LOOKING AHEAD:** 

Mar. 31st
April 2nd
Centaur Theatre: "Jordan" (Gr. 4/5)
Cookie Dough Orders Due
April 7th

Grade 5 trip to OSM
Centaur Theatre: "Jordan" (Gr. 4/5)
Cookie Dough Orders Due
K4 Books & Bagels (parent component)

April 9th
April 10th
April 14th
April 15-17th
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Governing Board at 6:00 p.m.

EASTER HOLIDAY (NO SCHOOL/SEED

PPO Meeting at 6:00 p.m.
All Girls' Conference @ The Study

PED DAY (SEED OPEN)
Federal Election Day

A CANTINE

Thursday, April 3rd

April 16th

April 23rd

April 25th

April 28th

April 18-22nd

HOT LUNCH ORDERS

APRIL 28th

Monday, March 31st

Grade 5 trip to the

Montreal Symphony Orchestral

This week at a glance:



Tuesday, April 1st

Wednesday, April 2nd





Friday, April 4th

Happy Friday Have a great weekend

# 12th Annual Pearson Family Fun Run/Walk





### **NEW LOCATION**

Margaret Manson Elementary School 18750 Elkas Blvd, Kirkland, Quebec H9J 4C1

event

Join us with family and friends at Margaret Manson Elementary School, for a walk/run along the beautiful Hydro Servitude in Kirkland.

There are 2 options: 2 km: starts at 9:15 am, 5 km: starts at 10:00 am (There is plenty of parking behind the school at Centre Kirkland Riocan.)

The donation

Just donate, show up, walk/run, and most importantly, have fun!





All proceeds will be donated to the Pearson Educational Foundation in support of our students and schools. Tax receipts will be provided.

The celebration

After you run/walk, let's take a minute to celebrate your accomplishment and our amazing community.

Sunday, May 4th, 2025

### Le édition de la marche et course amicale en famille



### Nouvel emplacement

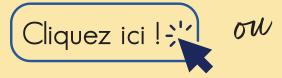
## École Primaire Margaret Manson 18750 Elkas Blvd, Kirkland, Quebec H9J 4C1

Rejoignez-nous avec votre famille et vos amis à l'école primaire Margaret Manson, la porte d'entrée de notre marche/course le long de la magnifique Journe Hydro Servitude à Kirkland.

Vous avez 2 possibilités : 2 km : départ à 9 h 15, 5 km : départ à 10 h 00

(Il y a de nombreuses places de stationnement derrière l'école au Centre Kirkland Riocan.)

Il suffit de faire un don, de se présenter, de marcher/courir et surtout de s'amuser!





Tous les recettes seront versées à la Fondation Pearson pour l'éducation, afin de soutenir nos étudiants et nos écoles. Un reçu fiscal vous sera remis.

Prenons une minute après l'activité pour célébrer votre réalisation et notre superbe communauté.

## Dimanche, 4 mai 2025