

RIVERVIEW NEWS

2024-2025 Family Edition

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PEARSON NEWS:

The latest edition of the Pearson News, featuring news and information about various schools throughout the LBPSB, has just been released. The latest issue features a wonderful initiative by Ms. Cat, our FSSTT Link, who has recently started a scholarship for female basketball players! Read about that and many other good news stories from around the board here: <https://pearsonnews.ca>.

DENTAL SCREENING:

On Tuesday, April 15th, our Dental Hygienist, Carole Cyr, will be at Riverview to do dental screenings for Grade 2 students. The service is non-invasive and FREE of charge. Information regarding the program was sent home last week. All students in Grade 2 are eligible to participate unless parents fill in and return the refusal of service form. IF a sealant treatment is recommended, a permission form will be sent home for the procedure to be done on May 7th and 8th.

FELIX & NORTON:

Thank you again to all who purchased cookie dough and supported this year's fundraising campaign. Our hardworking PPO volunteers did a great job of organizing and distributing the orders last Thursday! We hope you enjoy your purchases!

PEARSON FAMILY FUN RUN:

Save the date! This year's Pearson Family Fun Run/Walk will take place on Sunday, May 4th at the 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!



MONTREAL STEPPERS:

Last week, students and staff were treated to the history and tradition of "stepping", with the Montreal Steppers'. Students and staff learned about the history and origins of the art form as well as getting to learn choreography during the sessions. Our school's ArtistsInspire Grant experience was made possible by a LEARN partnership for Quebec's English-speaking communities to participate in arts & culture experiences, thanks in part to funding from the Government of Canada. We thank "Mr. K" and Ms. Tasha for sharing their talent, rich history, and cultural pride with us!

CLASS OF 2025:

Plans are underway for the grad trip to take place on **May 15th** as well as for the ceremony and reception for students on **June 19th**. Please note that the trip is a privilege and that students must be putting in a consistent effort and behaving respectfully in the days leading up to and during the trip in order to participate. It is a privilege that must be earned. Ministry Exams in both English Language Arts and Math will be completed in May and June and regular attendance is expected.

HAPPY EASTER and PASSOVER:

We wish everyone celebrating this week the very best and look forward to time spent with family and friends doing things that we love! Bring on spring!

FREE WEBINAR FOR CYCLE 3 PARENTS:

On April 22nd at 7:00, LEARN Quebec will be hosting a FREE online workshop for interested parents of students in Cycle 3 to help them prepare children for the transition to high school. The optional webinar, entitled: *Mutually Changing Roles, Expectations & Responsibilities regarding High School*. Parents are encouraged to register by clicking on the following link: [Family Resources - Parents](#)

FEDERAL ELECTIONS:

There will be **NO SCHOOL ON MONDAY, APRIL 28th**, but the **SEED** program will be **OPEN**. Please be sure to have registered for the PED DAY activity if you intend to have your child attend. Please note that the drop off and pick up for SEED on that day will be at the door at the end of the building, near the park, so that students will not cross the path of the public as they come to vote at the polling station in the gym.

VERDUN'S 150th:

Please keep sharing the link: [Almost a Century of Riverview](#) to add to our timeline!

LOOKING AHEAD:

April 14th
April 15th
April 16th
April 18-22nd
April 23rd
April 25th
April 28th

May 2nd

May 4th
May 7th-8th
May 8th
May 13th
May 14th
May 15th
May 19th
May 20th
May 21st

Aiesha Robinson
DENTAL Screening (Grade 2)
Governing Board at 6:00 p.m.
EASTER HOLIDAY (NO SCHOOL/SEED)
PPO Meeting at 6:00 p.m.
ALL GIRLS CONFERENCE
NEW PED DAY (Teacher Led)
FEDERAL ELECTION DAY
Basketball Jamboree @ JRHS
FREE PIZZA LUNCH (all students)
PEARSON FAMILY FUN RUN
Dental Sealant treatment (Gr.2)
FIRE DRILL @ 10:45 a.m.
Ecole De Cirque (Grade 2)
OCEANWISE ACTIVITY (whole school)
Grad Trip!
HOLIDAY (NO SCHOOL OR SEED)
Governing Board at 6:00 p.m.
Grad Meeting @ 6:00 p.m.

NEW PED DAY:
APRIL 28th
May 16th is a regular school day!



HOT LUNCH ORDERS

This week at a glance:

| Monday, April 14th | Tuesday, April 15th | Wednesday, April 16th | Thursday, April 17th | Friday, April 18th |
|--------------------|----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| | FREE School dental screenings Grade 2 | Meeting Reminder! Governing Board at 6 pm | PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS NO SCHOOL OR SEED ON FRIDAY, MONDAY & TUESDAY. THE NEXT FORMAL NEWSLETTER WILL BE ON APRIL 27th | Easter Break NO SCHOOL OR SEED APRIL 18th-22nd |

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.