

HAPPY HALLOWEEN

to all of you, from the Riverview Crew!

HAUNTED HOUSE/PUMPKIN CONTEST:

Thanks again to all who made it out to visit last week's haunted house! Congratulations to the Grad Committee for putting together a great evening! The pumpkin decorating contest winners will be awarded gift certificates shortly. The class to receive the prize is Ms. Jennifer's K4, with their "Hunny Pot" pumpkin and the family entry with the most votes was the Bois family's "Brain" pumpkin. Great work and big thanks to all who participated. More photos of the event are available on Facebook!

LOOKING AHEAD:

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| Oct. 31st | HALLOWEEN: |
| Nov. 1st | Leadership Meeting at 11:45 |
| Nov. 2nd | Grad Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m. |
| | GB TRAINING AT 7:00 p.m. |
| Nov. 3rd | PIZZA LUNCH |
| Nov. 7th | PPO MEETING @ 6:00 p.m. |
| Nov. 9th | Remembrance Day observed at 11:00 |
| Nov. 13th | PHOTO RETAKES (new date!) |
| Nov. 14th | Grade 2 Dental Screening |
| | GB MEETING @ 6pm |
| Nov. 16th | Term 1 reports released on Mozaik |
| Nov. 17th | BOARDWIDE PED. DAY |
| | Enrichment Exam |
| Nov. 21st | McGill Nurses present |
| | (301, 341, 401, 501) |
| | PPO DOMINO'S PIZZA NIGHT |
| Nov. 23rd | FIRST TERM INTERVIEWS (LIVE) |
| Nov. 24th | LOCAL PED. DAY (Interviews continue) |

BUS STRIKE:

Please remember that **TRANSCO** drivers (bus 2, 3, and 4) will be on strike on from Tuesday to Friday this week. Parents are asked to make alternative arrangements for drop off and pick up at regular school hours (7:45 a.m. and 2:25 p.m.) UNLESS they registered for the courtesy extended service via Mozaik last week. Those who registered (and who are not part of the SEED program) must enter/exit by the main office door and should call Ms. Kim to confirm who is picking up at the end of the day this week. We appreciate your cooperation & flexibility.

HALLOWEEN ON TUESDAY:

Students and staff are welcome to wear creative costumes to school on Tuesday to celebrate Halloween, if they choose to! Please remember that costumes should not be violent or offend on the basis of race or culture. Masks and accessories should be left at home to avoid being lost or broken during the day. NO weapons may be brought in and IF a mask is brought to school it may only be worn for photos. Student safety remains our priority! We also want to say a big thank you to Miss Amanda Tulli for working with Home Depot to secure a generous donation of decorations, including spotlights, spiders, scarecrows, the famous witch in the cauldron inflatable that has been loved by the students, and more!



SEED PED. DAY REGISTRATION:

Please remember to REGISTER if you would like your child to participate in the next Ped. Day activity on November 17th. Forms can be found in the binder at the daycare door and can be filled out at drop off or pick-up.

SURVEY ON HOT LUNCH INTEREST:

Thank you for your overwhelmingly positive response to the possibility of a hot lunch program at Riverview. The survey showed that 142 of the 153 respondents were in favour of trying a program. With this information (as well as your comments and suggestions) our Governing Board can continue to investigate the possibility of an optional service for families. More to come on that when information is available! We appreciate your input!

LOST and FOUND:

Thank you so much to Ms. Gisèle for organizing and photographing the dozens of items in our Lost & Found! The photos can be found on our Facebook page and several items have already been claimed. Simply add your child's name and the item number to the comments to have belongings returned over the course of the week.



PPO PIZZA LUNCH THIS FRIDAY!

Forms will be sent home tomorrow afternoon for the upcoming pizza lunch on Friday, November 3rd. Simply sign the form to indicate one or two slices and return it with the money (cash only, exact change, please) by Thursday, November 2nd to have your child participate. Lunch on Friday will be served by the PPO volunteers and the lunch monitors. It includes one or two slices of Domino's pizza, vegetables, juice, and a treat! Enjoy!

FREE TUTORING
AVAILABLE!

LEARN QUEBEC:

This is just a reminder of the FREE online tutoring services available via the LBPSB partnership with LEARN QUEBEC. You can book sessions with a tutor who will send feedback to teachers. Visit learnquebec.ca for details!

GRAD COMMITTEE:

Our committee is growing and the next meeting is **November 2nd at 6:00 p.m.**, where we will officially elect a chair, secretary, and treasurer. Interested Grade 6 parents are invited to join using the link below: <https://meet.google.com/kza-dvym-api>
Please note that in order for the committee to continue, the group must be formalized and committed to meeting once a month. The mandate of the committee is to raise funds to subsidize the grad party and trip at the end of the year. We look forward to seeing you there!