



UPCOMING DATES

March 5 & 6

Grade 9 Outdoor Adventure/Ski Trip

Jr. Boys BB @ Nickle
Jr. High

March 6

Jr. Girls BB @ Nickle
Jr. High

March 6 - 8

Escape Room – In school field trip

March 7

Sr. Boys BB @ Nickle
Jr. High

School Council
6:30 PM

Kindergarten Open House
4:00 – 6:00 PM

March 8

Fun Lunch

Grade 5/6 Telus Spark 8:30 – 3:15

Sr. Girls BB at Nickle

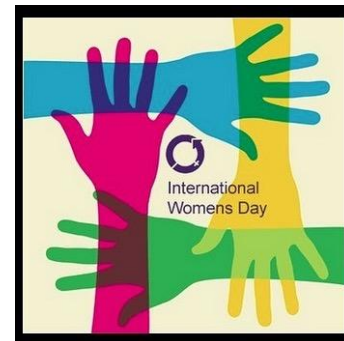
March 8,9 & 10

Jr. Boys & Girls BB Tournament at McKenzie Highlands

March 12

Sr. Boys BB Playoffs
TBA

**Weekly Update:
March 5 – 9, 2018**



Dear Rideau Families:

I have the pleasure this week of spending time with our grade 9 students on their winter trip to the mountains. It is always enjoyable to be with kids and encourage them to take risks, try new experiences and extend their personal limits. This is life. Our work in learning stretches far beyond knowledge to life skills, resiliency and taking care of ourselves. We all know the satisfying experience we feel when we work through challenges. While it is difficult sometimes to allow our students the space to grow – their sense of accomplishment is worth the struggle and the character development will last a lifetime.

Our elementary students led us in our first assembly together in our new gym. It was an honour to be with all of our students as they demonstrated respect for one another and for our school. Thank you to the GSA club for baking 420 pink shirt cookies. A true success!

Please plan to engage in your child's learning at conferences.

We are very excited this week to be able to challenge our thinking with the Escape Room!

If your children will be away for an extended period of time, please inform the school and please support them to remain connected to the learning that is being missed as this is an important responsibility.

I would like to acknowledge the staff of Rideau Park who go above and beyond to offer many opportunities to our students. They offer the full package deal and our students are the richer for the many experiences.

Have a great week!

Child Care Tax Receipts

Parent in Grades 1-7, your Child Care Tax Receipts are being sent home today with your child. Alternatively, you can go online to access and print them out from "My CBE Account".

Mr. Schmidt is in need of used magazines for a Humanities project. If you are able to help it is much appreciated.

This is a reminder of a Health Check for Head Lice – it is always healthy to be proactive.

Please see the video link below.

<https://myhealth.alberta.ca/Alberta/Pages/how-to-treat-head-lice.aspx> (see right hand side of webpage for **Head Lice Video**)

Fun Lunch – Revised Date

We have changed the Fun Lunch order from March 22 to March 19 due to the early dismissal. The cut off for orders is now midnight on March 14. Families who have already ordered for March 21 will automatically be moved to the new date. Families may also cancel their order prior to March 14 if the new date does not work for them.

School Conferences

Booking for school conferences will open on Wednesday, March 14th at 6:00 am. The system will close on Tuesday, March 20th at 11:00 pm.

Rideau Park School KINDERGARTEN



MARCH 7, 2018

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm



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