

WEST ROUGE WEEKLY

Week of September 25 - 29, 2023

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Information & Announcements

Terry Fox Run:

Our students excitedly watched the Terry Fox Fundraising Goal Chart increase. Please continue to donate generously to this important cause! Our Goal is \$1,000 by our Run Date Sept 28. The link to our school is <https://schools.terryfox.ca/40425>

Reorganization:

The fall staffing process continues. West Rouge has been required to move a small group of students to another classroom to meet our classroom cap size requirements. Thank you to our Staffing Committee and our families for your understanding through this process.

Cutlery:

We are an Eco Platinum School. Please help us keep our status. Please ensure students bring reusable spoons and forks with their lunches. The office will no longer provide plastic utensils.

Curriculum:

See you at Curriculum night for opportunities to visit the school and meet your child's teacher, learn of plans for communication and find out what we will be learning!

Celebration:

This week one of our own was recognized in an amazing ceremony that also highlighted some of our current and former students. Congratulations Ms. Sierra Miller on this prestigious award! Please see this video attached. <https://teachingawards.ca/2023-winning-teachers/>

A message from our School Advisory Council:

Our school council had a very productive meeting on Wednesday night. We have a very knowledgeable and enthusiastic group of parents who have exciting plans for enriching the school experience for all Students at West Rouge this year.

Please meet your West Rouge School Council 2023/24:

Name	Role
Vanessa Martin	Chair / Fun Fair Lead
Tiago Do Couto	Vice Chair
Meaghan Grewal	Secretary
Alison Koukal & Laura Wilson	Treasurer
Anna Subramaniam	Social Responsibility
Lindsay Taylor	Pizza Day Lead
Cassandra Bollers	Health & Safety
Rebecca Forsey	Eco Rep
Jessica Fairhead & Carla Scirocco	Social Media
Alexandra MacFarlane	Kindergarten Rep
Aynslie Sulker	Area School Liaison
Quathar Jacobs	Grant Writer
Trish Gordon	Staff Representative

Parents and Guardians are always welcome to join the SAC meetings.

Week at a glance....

Monday, September 25th DAY 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cross-Country 8:00am - 8:30am • Grade 5/6 Girls Bordenball 11:30am -12:00pm
Tuesday, September 26th DAY 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cross-Country 8:00am - 8:30am • Grade 5/6 Boys Soccer 11:30am – 12:00pm • School Photo Day 😊
Wednesday, September 27th DAY 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cross-Country 8:00am - 8:30am • Grade 5/6 Girls Bordenball 11:30am -12:00pm • Curriculum Night/Meet the Teacher
Thursday, September 28th DAY 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cross-Country 8:00am - 8:30am • Grade 5/6 Boys Soccer 11:30am – 12:00pm • Terry Fox Run - afternoon
Friday, September 29th DAY 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cross-Country 8:00am - 8:30am • Pizza Lunch • Orange Shirt Day

SAVE THE DATE...LOOKING AHEAD

October 3 rd	Borden Ball Tournament at Pearson
October 11 th	Cross Country Qualifying Meet at Thompson Park
October 19 th	Cross Country Finals at Thompson Park
October 25 th	Country City Finals at Centennial Park
October 31 st	Halloween

REMINDER: Due to various food allergies, food sharing is not recommended at school. Please contact the office if you have any questions or concerns.

Character Matters!

Spirit badge for September based on the Seven Sacred Teachings:

COURAGE



September is

September 30th is Orange Shirt Day and National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

TDSB recognizes the legacy of Canada's residential school system and continues to learn the many truths of these institutions.

By wearing orange, we acknowledge the truths of Residential Schools in Canada, we honour Survivors, and we remember the thousands of children who died, many of them buried in unmarked graves.

We honour First Nations, Métis, and Inuit children and communities impacted by this system.

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GREAT THINGS HAPPENING @ WEST ROUGE!

**Cross Country
at
West Rouge!**

