THE RIVERVIEW REVIEW

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KEEPING OUR SCHOOL SAFE

Here at Riverview School, we are doing everything we can to ensure safety for all staff, students and visitors.
Here are some of the ways you can help keep your child(ren) and everyone else safe and healthy:

- Please keep your child(ren) home if they are feeling unwell. All students who have 2 or more symptoms will be removed from class and parents will be called.
- Remember to send filled water bottles with your child(ren) every day—there is no access to the water fountains.
- Send extra masks in a clean bag with your child(ren). We also have masks available at the office
- All exterior doors are locked throughout the day, other than recess and lunch. Please do not send your child to school before 8:40am.
- Students must wait outside at their respective door each morning. A staff member will open the door to let them in, following physical distancing measures. Below is a reminder for parents which door your child(ren) will use.

Front Door	Grades 3-4 Primary access for late arrival/visitors
North Door	Grades 5-6
East Door	Grade 1-2 & 2-3 Riverview Early Learners Preschool
West Door	Kindergarten

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome Back Everyone!

Another school year has begun and we want to welcome all of the families to Riverview School for the 2021-2022 school year! The students have been working hard and are following our new routines. We have practiced lots of drills so far and the students have done an amazing job!

Please have your child arrive around 8:45 a.m. or 12:40 p.m.

If you are picking up your child early or at the end of the day, please park along Lorne or 13th Street in a no parking zone.

Thanks for your understanding in advance,

Mrs. N. Warwaruk

BIG NEWS!!

We are excited to let everyone know we have a new accessible playground! Our students are enjoying the new round swing and outdoor school bus with engaging activities along the pathway.
We also have an outdoor classroom that is almost complete – it will have accessible seating!

DON'T FORGET

Monday, September 27th is Picture Day at Riverview School.

SCHOOL CONTACT INFORMATION

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IMPORTANT DATES

Sept 24	Farm to School Forms Due
Sept 27	Picture Day
Sept 28	Terry Fox Walk
Sept 29	Orange Shirt Day
Sept 30	National Day for Truth & Recognition (NO SCHOOL)
Oct 1	PD Day (NO SCHOOL)
Oct 11	Thanksgiving (NO SCHOOL)
Oct 22	PD Day (NO SCHOOL)

CLASSROOM UPDATE!

GRADE 5/6—Ms. Roberts & Mrs. Treloar

We are excited to have all our students back in school together for this school year.
Patrol information and training is right away.
Youth Revolution (YR) will be starting soon.
We hope to have a school wide activity for Reconciliation Day.
We look forward to working with all the grade 5 and grade 6 students as they strive to become more independent learners and prepare for the rest of their education after Riverview.

MUSIC—Mrs. Halliday

Hello and welcome back everyone!
This year we get to be back in the music room as long as we are in Code Yellow. We are able to sing and play wind instruments (i.e. recorder) as long as we are spaced 2m apart.
The Grades 3/4 and 5/6 classes will also partake in choir this year once a cycle and will be in the gym where we can be properly spaced for singing.
There will be no Christmas concert this year but we will look at doing a performance of sorts in the spring (in person if we can, virtual if we can't be in person).
I'm looking forward to a fun and exciting school year!

PARENT COUNCIL

Riverview Parent Council has started up again for this school year! Our Parent Council works hard to help provide Riverview with the lunch program and to help raise funds for activities, supplies and equipment for all the students.
We are needing more parents that are willing to help. Our Parent Council needs to fill in the Vice Chair and Fundraising positions. If you are interested in either being a part of PAC or if you want to come to our meetings, we have them every second Tuesday of each month at 7pm.
Right now we are doing our meetings virtually through TEAMS so if you would like to find out more information, please email us at rvparentcouncil@yahoo.ca.
Our next meeting is October 12th at 7pm. Hope to see you there.
-Pam Glutek
Chair of Riverview Parent Council

Lunch Program

The Lunch Program is currently looking for supervisors. We are needing subs as well as someone to work from 12:10 to 12:40pm daily. Lunch hour is from 11:40 to 12:40pm.
Honorarium is $20 for the hour.
Requirements: criminal record check, child abuse check, CPR, and proof of double vaccination.
Please email rvparentcouncil@yahoo.ca if interested.
-Nicole Gray
Lunch Program Coordinator

ORANGE SHIRT DAY

Orange Shirt Day is an event that started in 2013. The purpose is to educate and promote awareness about the residential school system and the impact it has on Indigenous communities for more than a century in Canada. Orange Shirt Day is held annually on September 30. It grew out of *Phyllis' story* of having her shiny new orange shirt taken away on her first day of school and it has become an opportunity to keep the discussion on all aspects of residential schools happening annually.

Riverview school will be learning about this dark time in our Canadian history and acknowledging it Wednesday, September 29th. We invite all staff and students to wear the colour orange in remembrance of the survivors. If you would like to learn more about Phyllis' story, please go to http://www.orangeshirtday.org/