

RICHMOND PUBLIC SCHOOL School Council Newsletter



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SC Chairs' Message

Hello from Richmond Public School's School Council Co-Chairs!

Our small but mighty volunteer School Council has been working hard behind the scenes to make this school year a fun one for students and to help families feel more connected to RPS. **Hot lunches** are set to start in the new year, we have a **monthly newsletter**, there are lots of updates in the **SC Facebook group**, a **staff appreciation breakfast** took place on Nov 25 and we're all looking forward to a fun **Holiday Gift Shoppe** in December. Our goal is to try to provide a fun experience once each month, be it a small treat or a family/community event. With the School Council positions of **Event Coordinator** and **Fundraising Coordinators** currently vacant, we are looking for immediate volunteer support to fill these gaps. If you're able to take the lead on an event, like the coordination of a **Family Dance this February** (needed immediately for this event to happen!), please contact **sc-richmondps@ocdsb.ca**. No prior experience needed. We'd love to hear from you and love to provide memorable experiences for students, staff and families!

- Meagan & Jennifer



Jeananne Gilchrist is one of the well-deserving RPS staff who enjoyed the **Staff Appreciation Breakfast** provided by School Council on the November 25 PD Day.

We love our volunteers!

If you'd like to get involved, email richmondPSvolunteers@gmail.com

RPS School Council Presents

THE Winter Wishes

• Gift Shoppe •

December 14th-15th at Richmond Public School

We are graciously accepting donations of new and good condition giftable items, any occasion gift wrap, gift bags and wrapping supplies!

Don't miss the Donation Drop-off! **DEC 5 - 9**
Drop your donations at the RPS Office **8:30 - 9:30 AM**

Volunteers needed! Email us at richmondpsvolunteers@gmail.com

Need a pick up? No problem! Contact Bryonie at missbryonie@hotmail.com

Sit in on a Meeting!

You don't have to hold a position on council to find out what's going on at your child's school. Any parent can join our meetings to watch or participate! We hold both in-person and virtual meetings. Our next meeting will be held virtually.

Next Meeting:
January 24th
6:30 pm

Lunch Program



Lunch program opt-in will run from Dec 8-19. **All orders and payments are due Dec 19 at 11:59 a.m.**

Look out for the flyer with more details the week of December 5! In the meantime, don't forget to register for a SchoolCashOnline account at www.SchoolCashOnline.com

If you have any questions, please email rpslunch@gmail.com.



Important Dates

- December 5-9
Donation Drop for Gift Shoppe
- December 14 & 15
Winter Wishes Gift Shoppe
- December 19
Lunch Program Term 2 Due Date
- December 26 - January 6th
Holidays



We'd love to hear your ideas!

Share your questions and comments: sc-richmondps@ocdsb.ca