

NEWS & REMINDERS: MORVEN

October 26, 2018

Message from the Head of Morven

Dear Morven Families,

Congratulations to our Grade 12 Student Executive for leading the way to create a fun filled Hallowe'en Haunted House and Hallowe'en Assembly. The dance and Drum Corp performances – outstanding, the costume fashion show – creative, the first two months of school video – formidable and our Masters of Ceremony – brilliant. Congratulations to all for celebrating and bringing the fun spirit of Hallowe'en to Morven.

In the week ahead, students' key learning continues to deepen as students work with core learning concepts in each of their courses. In addition, teachers are working with students to prepare for the Student-Parent-Teacher Interviews Wednesday, November 7 from 4:00pm to 8:00pm and Thursday, November 8, 9:30 am to 4:00pm. We look forward to welcoming students with their parents to the Term 1 interviews. Please bring your schedule of prearranged interviews with you. Students are reminded to wear their Number 1 uniform.

Reminders for the November 5 - November 9 week ahead:

- Online registration for Student-Parent-Teacher Interviews on November 7 (4:00pm –8:00 pm) and November 8 (9:30am-4:00pm, classes not in session on this day)
Registration closes Monday, November 5.
- November 3: Belize Service Trip Departure
- Daylight Savings Time ends Sunday, November 4 at 2:00 am. Clocks turn back one hour.
- November 6: NYC Performing Arts Trip Departure
- Term Break: Friday, November 9 through Monday, November 12.
- Classes resume Tuesday, November 13.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Beverley von Zielonka
Head of Morven

Congratulations are in Order!

Well Done Junior Debaters!

Monday evening, our three junior debate teams swept the top three placements at the Churchill Junior Debate!

Model UN Club Shines at Conference

9 of our 26 Model UN conference attendees were recognized for their exemplary participation in their committees – bravo!

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Grade 8/9 Movie Night

Thursday, November 15

Showing: Ferris Bueller's Day Off
Doors open at 6:00pm
Trivia starts 6:15pm
Movie Showing: 6:30pm - 8:30pm
Student Commons, Morven Campus
Tickets \$5 (includes a drink, popcorn and candy)
Register [here](#).

Tickets will be sold at lunch on November 5, 6, 13 and 14 (Monday/Tuesday) and available at the door. Pizza will be available for \$2/slice and students are welcome to bring a comfy pillow, camp chair or yoga mat!

Service Updates

Stay tuned for a Service newsletter next week outlining the many initiatives happening in November and December. In the meantime, view [here](#) for ones currently in need of volunteers.

Read [here](#) about our first Family Meal of the year at [Ronald McDonald House](#). Show your support by purchasing a holiday wreath or poinsettia [here](#), a Senior Round Square service initiative. All proceeds will be donated to Ronald McDonald House.

As a reminder, save your empty bottles, cans and juice boxes for the upcoming Round Square Bottle Drive the week of November 13 to 16. Proceeds will be donated to [Covenant House](#).

Diversity Week - Food Fair!

November 19-23 is Collingwood's official Diversity Week at Morven Campus! We will be celebrating the diverse personalities, nationalities, languages and foods represented at Collingwood School. On Friday, November 23rd, we are holding a food fair where all students will be invited to try desserts and snacks of different nationalities as well as learn about different cultures. We invite all parents, students and faculty interested to take part! We are looking for volunteers willing to bring in their favourite desserts or snacks from their culture. Please sign-up [here](#).

Important Dates:

Remembrance Day Assembly

Monday, Nov. 5
8:45am

Poppy donations accepted in Mentor Classes.

University Guidance Events

Visit [here](#) to view upcoming university visits scheduled for November.

Next week we welcome York University, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Western University and the University of Toronto.

Term Break

Friday, Nov. 9 -
Monday, Nov. 12

Classes resume
Tuesday, Nov. 13

Final Tuition Instalment Due

This is a reminder that the final 2018 – 2019 tuition instalment due date is November 15 for families who have selected the extended payments option (March 2, June 15, Sept 15 and Nov 15).

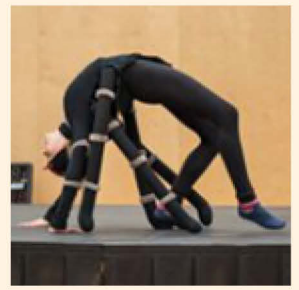
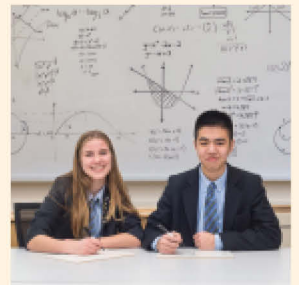


Photo of the Week

Who knew spiders could dance?

For more photos of all Collingwood School activities, follow us on [Facebook](#) & [Instagram](#)!



Has your child participated in the Summer Institute at Collingwood School?

Please click [here](#) to help us improve our Summer Institute Programming for Summer 2019.

Candy for Christmas

Young Round Square would appreciate all your leftover Halloween candy!! All donated candy will be used to stuff Christmas Crackers for donation to local organizations in need. This initiative was so successful last year that we were able to make and deliver over 150 crackers.

Donations will be accepted at both campuses beginning Monday, November 5th.

Inclement Weather

In the event of snow and school closures, you will find information posted to the [homepage](#), [Students](#) and [Parents](#) pages of our website by 6:30 am.