



NEWS & REMINDERS: WENTWORTH

November 9, 2018



Message from the Head of Wentworth

Dear Wentworth Families,

It was an honour to take part in our meaningful Remembrance Day assemblies yesterday at Wentworth. At our grade 1 through 7 assembly, our students performed as musicians, as poets, and as actors, and shared messages of appreciation, kindness, and hope. As we gathered to mark the 100th Anniversary of the ending of the First World War, we reflected on the fact that the peaceful society we enjoy has been created by generations of Canadians who have made incredible sacrifices. We were very privileged to have some of those veterans join us. At our JK and K assembly, the children shared what peace means to them. We encourage you to ask your children about their reflections, as they shared many insightful comments on the significance of Remembrance Day.

As your attention turns to a well-deserved long weekend, we would like to thank you for attending parent teacher conferences this week. We are so proud of the learning that your children have demonstrated through the first few months of school, and we appreciate you taking the time to connect with the teachers about your child's growth.

Marc Young
Head of Wentworth

Round Square Bottle Drive

November 13 - 16

Collingwood School is a Round Square Global Member, along with 90 Member schools on five continents. The common goal is structured around developing the IDEALS: internationalism, democracy, environmentalism, adventure, leadership and service.

To celebrate the ideals of environmentalism and service, Round Square clubs from both campuses will be holding a bottle drive November 13 to 16. Round Square students will be at the front round-about to collect bottles between 7:30 to 8:15am each morning (Tuesday thru Friday). They would like to request you start saving your bottles (e.g. wine, beer, water, milk), cans (e.g. pop, beer), and juice boxes.

All proceeds from this collection will go to support [Covenant House](#).

Young Round Square Leadership Conference: Jasper 2018

On October 17th, a group of 12 grade sevens went on a five day Young Round Square service trip to Jasper, Alberta. Read the student reflection [here](#).

Good Luck Matthew!

Matthew Yu, a Collingwood School grade 5 student, is a competitor on the first ever **Canada's Smartest Person Junior**. A total of 12 kids from across Canada are competing in this event. Matthew is the youngest and the only one selected from B.C. Good luck Matthew!

Canada's Smartest Person Junior airs on CBC Vancouver Wednesday, November 14 at 8:00pm.

Visit [here](#) for more details.

Run/Hike Club

The Run/Hike Club was a huge success with our fabulous leader Karl Budd and amazing moms and "dad" that came out! We will be continuing on with the next session starting November 21 for 8 weeks with a break from December 19 to January 9. For more details and to sign up, visit [here](#).

Please contact [Nicole](#) if you have any questions.

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.

If you haven't already updated your alternate pick up information for your children in PCR, please do so.

Important Dates:

Term Break
Friday, Nov. 9 -
Monday, Nov. 12

Classes resume
Tuesday, Nov. 13

Remembrance Day Observed
Monday, Nov. 12

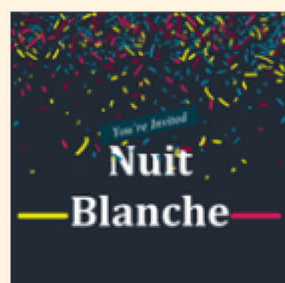
School Closed

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).

Reminder: AGM of the Collingwood School Society
Monday, Nov. 26
6:00pm
Morven Campus

Visit [here](#) to access 2018 AGM documents. Please submit proxies to the Morven Campus reception by noon on Friday, Nov. 23, 2018. [Proxy Download](#)



Nuit Blanche
Tuesday, Dec. 4
3:30pm-5:00pm
Wentworth Campus

An Arts and Craft Fair celebrating K-7 art. This is a community event open to everyone.

[More Information](#)

Wreath & Poinsettia Fundraiser

Christmas wreaths and poinsettias can be ordered online [here](#) until the end of November.

This is a Senior Round Square led service initiative with proceeds going to [Ronald McDonald House](#).

Thank you for your support!

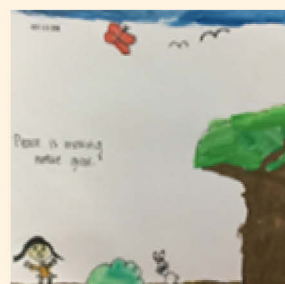


Photo of the Week

"Peace is making nature grow."

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

School Calendar

For all upcoming events, visit our [school calendar](#).