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Notes From the Office

October 19th, 2023

Bonjour ÉRB Families,

Thank you so much for all your generous donations so far of gloves, mittens and socks! The collection goes until November 1st so there is still time to bring items in if you can. As the weather gradually becomes cooler, please ensure your children have warm clothing at school.

A reminder that our staff at ÉRB do not start morning duty until 8:55am so please make sure you are supervising them if you bring them earlier than that time. At the end of the day, supervision ends at 4:00pm. If your child(ren) want to stay, they need to be supervised by a parent/guardian.

Important Dates:

- Friday, October 20th - MTS PD Day - No school for students
- Monday, October 23rd - D.E.A.R. (drop everything and read at 11:00am)
- Tuesday, October 31st - Halloween Parade at 1:30pm in the gym
 - Classroom teachers will send specific information about costumes and parties for further details.

The weather should be beautiful, have a great weekend! Feel free to contact us any time with questions, concerns or feedback.

Merci,

Mme Neil - Principal/Directrice



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Parent Council Notes for the Week of October 17th - 20th

FUN LUNCHES ARE BACK! :)

★ Our first hot Fun Lunch catered by Boston Pizza is scheduled for Friday, October 27th! Treat your kiddos & yourself (to not making lunch :)

• Please go to <https://munchalunch.com/schools/RobertBrowning/> to create your account & 'claim' your child's homeroom class & to place your order.

→ Go ahead & order lunches for the entire fall session all at once!

▸ Our upcoming Fall Fun Lunches are Friday, October 27th; Friday, November 24th; and Friday, December 15th

• Orders and payment for the October Fun Lunch are due no later than Friday, October 20th*

• If payment is not received, your child's lunch order will not be submitted.

• WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO HELP MAKE FUN LUNCHES HAPPEN!

▸ What does volunteering for Fun Lunches look like?

- Arriving at the school by 11:40 am
- Distributing the lunch bundles to the classrooms
- Handing out the Hot Lunches to the students
- Seeing smiling faces :)

▸ Kindergarten families & Grandparents are welcome to volunteer!

(Hint: Volunteer & place a lunch order for yourself or your Kindie for afterwards ;)

• If you can volunteer to help hand out Fun Lunches on Friday, October 27th, (it only takes 30 minutes!) please indicate this under the 'Volunteer' tab when you place your order with your Munchalunch profile.



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*****Please note** - you must have your school volunteer forms completed & approved. Please speak with Mme Sawyer in the office to pick up your volunteer package if you have not yet done so.***

★ Our first Parent Council fundraiser is underway!

- We are raising funds for our Playground enhancement & Development & are working towards implementing phase 1 next year!

- Peak of the Market Farm-To-School fundraiser is a great way to purchase your farm fresh vegetables and support our school! Donation bundles for local food banks around our province can also be purchased & support our school at the same time!

- Please select 'BUY A BUNDLE' when you go to <https://peakfarmtoschool.com>, add bundles of your choice to your cart, then select 'École Robert Browning' upon checkout

- Orders close at 9 pm, Saturday, November 4th

- Delivery is scheduled for Tuesday, November 14th, from 4 - 6 pm

- ❖ Are you able to volunteer your time? We are looking for volunteers to help unload the truck and pack and distribute vegetable bundles - times can be flexible. Please go to volunteersignup.org/QY8A7 and follow the instructions on the page - it only takes a few seconds to do.

- Please check your child's backpack for fundraiser & ordering information that was sent home this past week!

★ We are looking for parents to help in the following areas in whichever way and at whatever time-commitment best fits your schedule: Fun Lunch days; Fundraising; Teacher & Staff Appreciation (Spring); Scholastic Book Fair (April); ÉRB community events & activities; Grant writing for Playground Development.

- These enhancements to your child's school experience can only happen with your assistance - no matter how big or small.



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- If you are interested in helping, please email us at erbparentcouncil@gmail.com

★ Our next Parent Council meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, November 9th at 6pm. Join us in-person or virtually via Microsoft Team