



APRIL NEWSLETTER

"The difference between ordinary and extraordinary is that little extra."

Jimmy Johnson

March 27	REGULAR SCHOOL DAY due to snow day.
March 31	K4 & K5 Vision Screening
April 1	Sugar Shack Activity – PM @ school
April 1	Central Parent Committee – 7-9:30 (please see below)
April 2	Planning Day – Daycare open
April 3	Good Friday – School closed
April 6	Easter Monday – School closed
April 7	Planning Day – Daycare open
April 13	Popcorn Fundraiser – deadline to return orders
April 14-17	C3 – Tim Horton's In-School Program (see info below)
April 15	Grades 2, 3, 4 - Galt Play
April 15	Community Seedling Workshop at PEES 4:30-6:00 (see info below)
April 16	Cycle 3 – Galt Play
April 16-18	Galt Play "Myth-Understood, by Jackie Martin" open to public (see info below)
April 18	C3 Royals Basketball @ Ecole La Ruche
April 20-24	Popcorn Pick up – Date to be determined. More info to come
April 21	Badminton after school at Galt
April 21	Governing Board # 4
April 22	C2 Bombardier Museum
April 23	K4 – Parent/Child Activity @ 3 pm – Storytime with PEES Library Volunteers
April 30	Grade 6 Science Fair - 12:30 - 2:30 in the cafeteria.
May 1	K4, K5, Cycle 1 - Toutous Poilus
May 1	C3 Pizza Lunch Fundraiser
May 9	Garden Bee – Save the Date (more info below)

Central Parent Committee (CPC): Please click on the link below where you can find lots of information about the CPC. Our meetings are held every first Wednesday of the month from 7-9:30 pm. It is a great place to voice our opinions, hear what is going on in the school board and understand its functions. There are presenters at every meeting on various topics.

<https://rcpaq.org/en/tool-box/drafting-minutes-of-governing-board-or-parents-committee-meetings-2/>

Spring Garden Bee – Saturday, May 9th, 10:00 to 12:00 - Join us for a collective spring clean-up at Pervana's Garden as we prepare the space for a new season of growing! Our young gardeners are busy with seedlings—let's get the garden ready for them to thrive! We provide coffee, snacks & fun.

Free Community Seedling Workshop: Join us April 15th from 4:30–6:00 PM at the school for a family-friendly Seedling Workshop! All planting materials will be provided and participants will return home with what they planted. Bring your family and friends! Limited spots (25) – Sign up by email: jardinpervanagarden@edu.etsb.qc.ca

Afternoon Pickups – If you will be picking up your child during the day or at the end of the day, please send a note to the teacher with your child in the morning. Phone calls should only be in case of emergency only.

Appropriate Clothing: Please ensure that your child(ren) wears appropriate clothing for the changing weather. Students are also expected to wear appropriate indoor clothing; two pairs of shoes (one for inside and one for outside).

School hours are from 8:00 to 2:40. Teachers are outside to welcome students between 7:50 and 8:00.

Supervision & School fees: If you have not yet paid for the school fees, we ask you to please do so immediately. Thanking you in advance for your cooperation.

Galt Play - “Myth Understood”: open to the general public on April 16-17-18. Doors open at 7pm, Performance begins at 7:30. Tickets are 9\$ each.

“When middle school students Bree and Jamie are tasked with writing a report on Greek Mythology, the last thing they expect is to be visited by Hermes, and whisked away to Olympus! There, they meet Zeus, Hera, and a myriad of other Gods and Mythological figures, who want nothing more than to expose the truth behind their stories.... and if they were to be worshipped again, then that would be an added bonus, right? Who's telling the truth? Who's in the wrong here? Come and find out as we embark on this wild journey through the Greek Pantheon with Bree and Jamie.”

Featuring musical transitions rooted in the 80s, original choreography, live music, and a laughter filled adventure!

Cycle 3 Tim Horton’s In-School Program: The Tim Hortons Foundation Camps (Tims Camps) In-Community Program is a free, in-school initiative for grades 5 and 6 in Canada, focusing on youth leadership, emotional resilience, and teamwork. Delivered by trained facilitators, this curriculum-aligned program provides camp-style experiential learning directly in classrooms, particularly benefiting underserved communities.

Key Details of the In-Community Program:

- **Target Audience:** Students in Grades 5 and 6.
- **Focus Areas:** Youth leadership, prosocial skill development, self-awareness, goal setting, confidence, and positive communication.
- **Structure:** Facilitated by Tims Camp staff, allowing teachers to step back, with all materials provided.
- **Impact:** Developed in response to the need for social-emotional learning, providing a "camp-like" experience to foster connection away from screens.

Sickness: Please help us keep our school and student body healthy. If your child is sick and is unable to function well in class, please keep him/her home.

PEES info: Please see our Facebook page or refer to our website at <http://princesselizabeth.etsb.qc.ca/>