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NEWS RELEASE

Winnipeg School Division and Winnipeg Police Service to host 2nd Annual Youth Wellness Conference

The Winnipeg School Division and the Winnipeg Police Service (WPS) have worked collaboratively to bring the second annual *YOUTH WELLNESS CONFERENCE* to R.B. Russell School (364 Dufferin Avenue) on Wednesday, November 6, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The conference, made up of select Grade 7 and 8 students from across the Division, will feature presentations on cyber bullying, street safety, nutrition & health, and youth wellness.

The Division and Winnipeg Police have been ongoing partners through the School Resource Officer (SRO) program. The program introduces police officers into the schools where the focus is safety and education. Kicking off the event will be keynote speakers Honourable Kevin Chief, Minister of Children and Youth Opportunities and Chief of Police Devon Clunis.

Students will take part in sessions that will include discussions on fitness and nutrition, street safety and the Cool 2B Kind anti-bullying program.

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