



The Communiqué

March 8 - 12, 2021

Monday, March 8, 2021 Day 6

- School Closure (Inservice)

Tuesday, March 9, 2021 Day 1

Wednesday, March 10, 2021 Day 2

Thursday, March 11, 2021 Day 3

Friday, March 12, 2021 Day 4

- PAG Virtual Family Dance Party (7 – 8 PM)



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Message from Administration

We were surprised when we checked the phases of the moon online to find out that it *was not* a full moon this week. Perhaps there's some COVID cabin fever? Head caretaker, Robert Zawadski, believes it is due to changes in circadian rhythms, the nightly sleep cycle, caused by an earlier sunrise and later sunset. In any case, RHS students seemed unsettled this first week of March. If your family is finding the pandemic draining, hang in there! Spring is coming and that renewal may lift spirits. Geese have been spotted at Oak Hammock Marsh!

Patrols

Patrols on duty this week from Rooms 115B (formerly 212).



N/K CLASS WITH THEIR QUESTION OF THE DAY

Parents Advisory Group (PAG) Update:

Family Dance

The PAG is excited to announce that we will be having our First Ever Virtual Family Dance Party on **Friday, March 12th from 7pm-8pm**. Watch for further information to be sent out by email later this week.

PAG Meeting – All Parents Welcome

Our next Virtual PAG meeting will be on Tuesday, March 16th at 7pm. All parents are welcome and encouraged to attend! For this meeting we will be hearing an update from the School Admin, discussing the results of the Environment Survey and what the next phase of the school grounds should be, discussing fundraising, discussing how the virtual dance went and if it should be done again, as well as open positions for next year. To receive login information to attend the meeting please email Ainsley at: secretary@roberthsmithpag.ca.

PAG: Parents Needed

The PAG is already starting to make plans for the next school year 2021-22 and as always, we will need more parents to step forward and fill the roles that will become vacant at the end of this year (June). If you are interested in joining the PAG or finding out further information we would encourage you to attend the PAG meeting and/or contact us directly by email: chair@roberthsmithpag.ca.

Fundraising

Don't forget to place your order for the Glenlea Plant Sale online at: www.glenleagreenhouses.com . Remember to choose our school from the dropdown menu so that your order is included in this fundraiser and is delivered to our school. Deadline for orders is April 15th and Plant Pick up will be at our school on May 17th. We recommend that you place your orders early as many of the popular items will sell out fast! If you have any questions or concerns regarding this fundraiser please email the Fundraising Committee at: fundraising@roberthsmithpag.ca

Environment Committee

Thank you to all the families that responded to our online Survey. We had over 80 responses along with some great feedback. We will be putting together the information and presenting it at this month's PAG meeting. Please also let us know if you have other feedback, questions, or would like to volunteer with the committee - you can reach us by email at: environment@roberthsmithpag.ca

Don't forget to checkout our **PAG website**: www.roberthsmithpag.weebly.com and our **PAG Facebook Page**: <https://www.facebook.com/RobertHSmithPAG> (please like and follow us). As always if you have any questions, concerns or would like more information on our PAG please email Melanie at: chair@roberthsmithpag.ca

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Call the office 204-488-1137 if you spot something that belongs to your family.