



Carruthers Creek This Week

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Week of Oct. 17th

WE ARE

"ALLERGY AWARE & NUT FREE!"

Carruthers Creek October Spirit Days

Thursday October 13	Thursday October 14	Thursday October 20	Monday October 31
Blue Jays Day! Wear Blue, White or your Blue Jays Gear to celebrate the Jays	Socktober Spirit Day! Wear your favourite socks.	Coyote Spirit Day! Wear Blue, Orange or your Coyote Gear!	Black and Orange Day! Wear Black and Orange or your Halloween Costume!

PIZZA AND SUBWAY LUNCH ORDERING UPDATE

Orders are now available weekly for both Monday Subway and Wednesday Pizza through School Cash Online. Reminder, there will be NO SUBWAY on October 24th (PA Day). Orders will continue weekly through until December 21, 2022 and resume January 16, 2023.

Due to a cost increase by both Pizza Pizza and Subway we have had to minimally increase the cost of items for our 2022/2023 Lunch Program. New pricing is now reflected on your students School Cash Online account.

DATES TO REMEMBER - OCTOBER

- Oct. 17 - Subway lunches begin
- IEP's to go home this week
- Oct. 18 - Int. Flag Football Championship
- Oct. 19 - Pizza lunches begin
- Jr. Flag Football Championship
- Oct. 20 - Durham Regional Finals for Cross Country
- SCC Meeting (6:30 pm in the Library)
- Oct. 24 - PA Day
- Oct. 25 - Int. Boys V-Ball Area Championship

NOVEMBER

- Nov. 4 - Photo Retakes

SCC MEETING

Our first SCC Meeting will take place on Thursday, October 20th from 6:30 to 7:30 pm in the library. Babysitting will be provided for our school aged Coyotes.

We look forward to seeing everyone there.

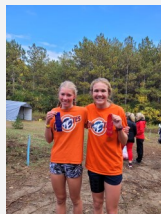
SPIRITWEAR T-SHIRTS ARE EXPECTED TO ARRIVE THIS WEEK!



BIRTHDAYS

Please do not send in classroom treats for your child's birthday. We recognize birthdays each day in our daily announcements.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR CCPS CROSS-COUNTRY PARTICIPANTS!!



SUCCESS	WELL-BEING	LEADERSHIP	EQUITY	ENGAGEMENT	INNOVATION
We value your achievements.	We value how you feel.	We value how you grow.	We value who you are.	We value your involvement.	We value forward thinking.

DDSB MULTI-YEAR STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

Superintendent: Stephen Nevills

Principal: S. Pipher-Hogg

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Trustee: Donna Edwards

Vice Principal: C. Prince



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FROM EQUITY & INCLUSIVE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Holiday Celebrations (Halloween)

"Halloween is an event that can bring great joy and excitement for some of our families here in the Durham Region but we must also acknowledge that Halloween may not be celebrated by all and can be triggering or harmful for a portion of our community. Both students and staff are rights holders and as such, we have a responsibility to both of these groups to uphold these rights through our duty bearer responsibilities."

For October 31st, classroom teachers may provide specific communication about activities that may take place throughout the day. Students are required to bring their own Halloween treats and no sharing should be permitted. Students wishing to wear a costume may do so.



GIFTED NOMINATIONS

Nomination Parent/Guardian letters have been emailed home to families of **every student in grade three enrolled in the DDSB**. Any family can request to nominate a student older than grade three. Nominations for testing will be submitted electronically using Google Forms. A link for the nomination form is contained within the parent/guardian information letter. If families of Gr 4-8 students are interested in nominating their child this year, please contact our school SERT, at:

nicolina.scanga@ddsb.ca

Title your email "Nomination for Gifted Testing 2022"

Testing will take place: November 22-25, 2022,

Nomination links will be active until 9pm October 21st.

It is required that students participate during all three testing sessions. Students can participate in DDSB testing no more than 2 times in their academic career.

