



Carruthers Creek This Week

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Week of Oct. 24th

WE ARE

"ALLERGY AWARE & NUT FREE!"

Carruthers Creek October Spirit Days

Thursday October 24	Thursday October 25	Thursday October 26	Monday October 31
Blue Jay 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!

DATES TO REMEMBER - OCTOBER

- Oct. 24 - PA Day
- Oct. 26,27 - Int. Boys V-Ball Area Championship
- Oct. 31 - Halloween

NOVEMBER

- Nov. 1 - Int. & Jr. Football Finals
- Nov. 4 - Photo Retakes
- Nov. 10 - SCC Meeting
- Nov. 11 - Remembrance Day Service
- Nov. 30 - Immunization Clinic (grades 7 & 8)

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM—UPDATE

In order to streamline the ordering process, both Subway and Pizza ordering will close Fridays, the week before Lunch Day each week moving forward. We are looking forward to our weekly lunches!

CCPS HALLOWEEN CELEBRATIONS

On Halloween, CCPS students can dress up in costumes if they wish. If you choose to, costumes need to be worn to school in the morning. Please remember no Halloween masks, we need to see our students. Please refrain from culturally stereotyped costumes along with fake weapons.

For anyone not wishing to wear a costume, we are encouraging everyone to wear black and orange.

Classroom teachers may provide specific communication about activities that may take place throughout the day. Students may bring their own Halloween treats, however, students are asked not to share.

HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

With Halloween around the corner, here is a few safety tips for those observing:

- Inspect treats before you eat.
- Stay home if you are feeling ill.
- Use hand sanitizer often; wash hands with soap and water when you arrive home from trick or treating and before and after handling or eating treats.
- Its OK to wear a mask or choose not to.
- Plan a route before going out.
- Don't go alone - Travel in a group & with a parent/guardian



Thank you to Ajax Superstore for the discount on the pumpkins for our Pumpkin Contest.

Check the newsletter next week to see what the classes created!



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PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST

WHAT ITEM WILL YOUR CLASS GET IN THE MYSTERY BAG?

THEME - MYSTERY ITEM
You must incorporate the mystery item into your pumpkin design!

PICK YOUR PUMPKIN & MYSTERY BAG TUES OCT 25 IN THE LIBRARY
DUE OCT 27 by 3:45 PM for JUDGING

WHY WALK OR ROLL TO SCHOOL?



SUCCESS We value your achievements.	WELL-BEING We value how you feel.	LEADERSHIP We value how you shine.	EQUITY We value who you are.	ENGAGEMENT We value your involvement.	INNOVATION We value forward thinking.
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DDSB MULTI-YEAR STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

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HAPPY DIWALI!

This week is the 5-day celebration of Diwali, a festival of lights celebrated by Hindus, Jain, Sikhs and some Buddhists. For those celebrating, have a happy and safe Diwali!



Dear Families,

This year at CCPS we are working on a project for our Remembrance Day assembly to honour veterans of war, past and present, who have a personal connection to our school community. This may be a great-uncle in the Navy, a great-great grandmother who was a Nurse, or a cousin who served in the Army.

Please complete the following form by Nov. 4th. If you have any issues uploading a photo using the form, please send in the pictures by Nov. 4th to natasha.allen@ddsbc.ca

<https://forms.gle/XgyJvCxVmYgyxqL26>

Scan for form



It is our hope that this project will help our students in the act of remembrance as we honour those who have served our country and who continue to do so. We look forward to sharing the final project with you during our Remembrance Day assembly.



Please visit www.durham.ca/immunization-clinics and [Clinic Video](#) for more information.

LOST AND FOUND



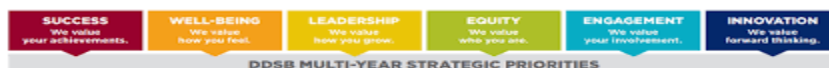
Please have your child check the Lost and Found for any items that might belong to them. Whatever items are not claimed will be donated.

COYOTES RUNNING CROSS COUNTRY

We would like to congratulate all of our cross country runners from Grades 3 to 8. Over 150 runners took part in the Area Run with over 64 runners returning to the Regional Championships last Friday.

Our runners respected our school by demonstrating great sportsmanship at both the Area and Regional Meets. It was great to be back competing against schools from across Durham Region! Way to show character Coyotes!!

We would like to thank our coaches for their commitment and organization. In addition, we would like to thank our numerous volunteers who were able to support with the driving to this event.



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