



Queen Elizabeth Public School

The Royal Report

Monday, November 11, 2019



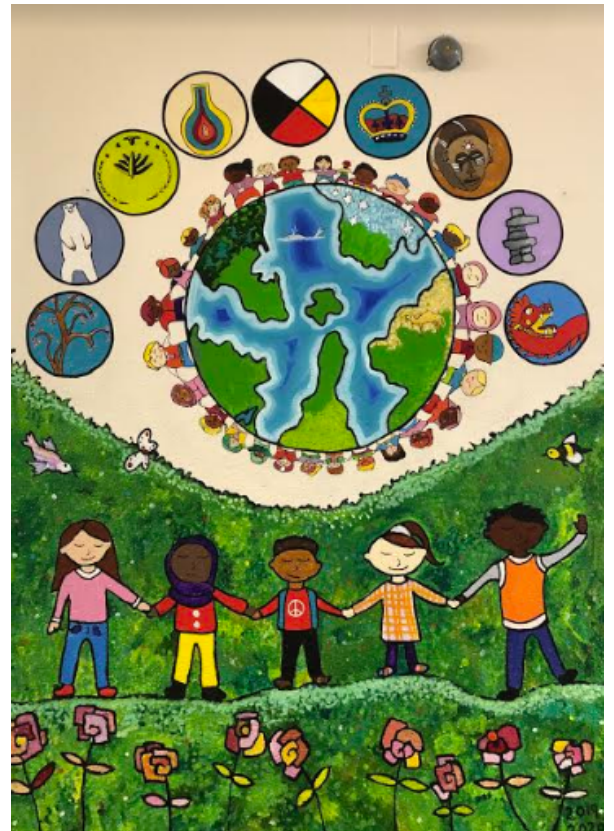
From the Office:

- Pizza and milk are currently for sale and order forms have been provided to students. We would like to encourage all families to use online cash, so please visit the following link:
<https://ocdsb.schoolcashonline.com/>

School Wide Updates:

New Murals:

Last spring Queen Elizabeth School was awarded the Marjorie Loughrey grant for \$2,000. This grant was used to hire Nicole Belanger, an extremely talented artist, to complete two community-themed murals. Students worked with Nicole to sketch and design these two murals. She and several students throughout the school painted the works of art last week. The focus of these two murals is to honour and capture the diversity of our school community. You will find these two murals just around the corner from the main office.



Remembrance Day Assembly:

- Today all classes gathered to honour the people who have given their lives to defend freedom throughout the world. Special songs and poems were read by students and representatives from each class laid wreaths to commemorate the sacrifices made by our Canadian soldiers.



Forest School:

- Last week our Kinders and Ms. M's grade 3 class began a 6-week learning experience called, *Forest School*. The program is designed to take students out of the classroom and into nature to learn in a hands-on and experiential way. Each Wednesday will be a day full of learning, adventure and inquiry based learning for our students.



This is an incredible opportunity for our Queen Elizabeth students!



More Forest School pictures of the Kinders

Scholastic Book Fair:

- Queen Elizabeth P.S. will be having its 17th Scholastic Book Fair November 13-15. You should already have received your invitation and a pamphlet featuring some of the books that will be at the Fair. Please remind your children to bring in their ballots for the Family Event door prize – the winner will receive \$25 in books for home and \$25 in books for the classroom; the winner will be announced before the end of the day on Thursday November 14.



The Book Fair is a great time to find new titles for your children, for gifts, for holiday reading. It is also a fundraiser for the library; for every purchase made the library will receive 25-50% in free books from Scholastic. Please come and find treasures for your children and at the same time provide new books for the library.

Students will have an opportunity to view and/or shop at the Fair during school hours Wednesday and Thursday. We will be open to families and community members Thursday, November 14th from 8:30am to 7pm as well as Friday morning, November 15th, from 9-11am. We look forward to seeing you at the Fair.



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[School Council Updates:](#)

- Last Friday night the School Council hosted a very successful movie night featuring “Toy Story 4”. On behalf of the School Council, we would like to thank all the Queen Elizabeth Families who attended this event - making it the biggest turn out ever.



Stay tuned for future events!

- The School Council meeting tomorrow evening (November 12) in the library at 6:30 pm. This is an excellent way of keeping up with all of the exciting things going on in our school community and anyone is welcome to attend. To see the minutes from the October meeting, please follow the link below.

- [School Council Minutes](#)

[Important Dates:](#)

- PA Day for Parent/Teacher Interviews - Friday, November 15th (no school for students)
- School Council - Tuesday, November 12th at 6:30 in the library
- Pizza Forms Due - Thursday, November 14th

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