



Tuesday, April 25, 2017

Morning Radio News @ 9:05 am

A reminder that today is We Are Silent day for those participating in the fund raising event.

Band Sectionals:

There is a grade 6 saxophone sectional today at 12:47. Please bring your lunch.

Band Rehearsal:

There is a grade 8 rehearsal for the Whistler trip at 1:16 today in the band room.

France Trip 2018: Any grade 7's going to France, or are interested in going to France next year, please meet in Mme Ryan's room today at first recess, for a very important meeting.

Dance Club: Dance Club meets today at lunch in the Drama Room 116. All dancers please attend.

Craft Club: Today at 1:16 in room 125.

Rafiki Bracelets: Rafiki's are back at Royal Oak starting on Wednesday for \$10 each! Make a difference in this world and purchase one to help support our Village Initiative in Ecuador! Youth in Action members Arden and Saryn will be selling them at the front of the school at 1:16pm!

Yearbook:

This Thursday is the last and final day to Pre-Order your 2016/2017 ROMS yearbook! Be sure to get our order form in ASAP to guarantee yourself a book! Only a very small number of extra books will be ordered. Order forms available from Miss Cottier, Miss Cottier's website, and the front office.

Youth In Action:

Next Youth in Action meeting is this Thursday at 11:23am in Miss Cottier's room. We are meeting to check in about our We Are Change campaign and fund raising progress.

Canteen today On sale at recess -chocolate chip cookies, smoothies, garlic pizza bread.

Popcorn: Kernels Extraordinary Pop Corn has made a donation of popcorn with all proceeds going to Yanelys's Education Fund.

Tomorrow White Cheddar Pop Corn will be on sale for \$2 a bag. Our regular salt and butter popcorn will still be available at \$1.50 a bag.

ROMS SPORTS:

Intra Murals:

Grade 6/7 badminton intramural has been postponed for this week due to badminton team qualifying matches that need to be played. Instead, all grade 6's who are signed up to play in the qualifying tournament must come to the gym at SECOND recess today to play matches.

Badminton:

There will be tournament qualifying practices held today in the gym at SECOND recess, for all grade 6 students, as well as grade 7 boys. All players must come to the gym to play matches today at SECOND recess. Tournament play will continue on Thursday at lunch for grade 7 girls and grade 8's.

ROMS TV Announcements

Good afternoon Royal Oak! Here are the News stories you have been waiting for. Today is [Tuesday, April 25th](#), 2017 and here is what is happening at 751 Travino Lane

Do you know that all the blinking you do in one day equates to having your eyes closed for 30 minutes?
FREE SLEEP!!!

Did you also know that the sentence "the quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog" uses every letter in the English alphabet?

1) **Today's weather:** Keep your rain-gear close; this morning - at 9 degrees - we have a mix of sun and cloud and a 30% chance of rain. Moving into the afternoon - moving up to 12 degrees - you'll likely need to bring your rain-gear out as there is a 70% chance of rain.

2) Today is our 2nd day of Creatures of Habitat community project. Numerous classes will be engaged in cleaning up the Mahon creek area on the south side of the school grounds, releasing salmon into Colquitz creek as well as learning numerous facts about our environment. A big thank you to Ms. Robson for organizing this amazing event.

3A) **Health Facts:**

Exercising makes you both more productive and happier for the day that you exercise. It also affects your brain function and memory, and these positive effects last for the entire day!

3B) Human eyes contain a small blind spot where the optic nerve passes through the retina. Our brains use information from the other eye to fill in the vision gap so it is rarely, if ever, noticed, and we all have it! This happens because there are no rods and cones (also known as **photoreceptors**) on the nerve head, so this area of the retina can not respond to light stimulation.

TRY THIS!: [Announcers do a quick demo: see Mr. Ball for this]

4) There are a lot of school events starting up. Be sure to listen to the morning announcements to see where you might get involved in your school.

5) Keep up your recycling. Recycling reduces the amount of garbage we send to our landfill.

6) Pizza day and chocolate milk is this Friday. You have to love pizza!!

7) **And for today's joke of the day:**

Q: What can go UP a chimney DOWN, but can NOT go DOWN a chimney UP?

A: A Umbrella!! It can go up a chimney, as long as it's down, but can not go down a chimney while it is still up.

That concludes our TV news cast! Please join us tomorrow for further breaking news stories here on 751 News!

Thanks for making ROMS TV your #1 station! If it is happening, it is happening here on 751 TV

PARENT REVIEW:

2017-18 Class placement & transition meetings begin today. The appointments are almost booked solid with only a few available on May 1st. Visit our school website for the link <http://royaloak.sd63.bc.ca>

Families of Designated Students: Learning Services Open House. Learn about the supports that we provide our designated students. Wednesday, April 26 @ 7:00 pm.

PAC REVIEW:

Mother's Day Flower Basket Fund raiser i Order deadline is April 26th. Visit ROMS website at royaloak.sd63.bc.ca

Staff Appreciation Day:

Let's celebrate our amazing staff!

To recognize all the hard work of the teachers, administrators and support staff of our awesome school, the PAC is planning an Appreciation Luncheon on Wednesday **May 10th** . We invite parents and guardians to say "thank you for a great year" by contributing food and/or volunteering with set up/clean up duties. For more information and to sign up to volunteer and/or bring food please visit our roms website royaloak.sd63.bc.ca

If you have any questions please emails romsparents@gmail.com.

Thank you, ROMS PAC

Re: Student Absences or Late

If you know your child will be late or absent please remember to let the school and teachers know ASAP via: email: romssafearrival@sd63.bc.ca or call: 250-479-0999 (24 hours per day).

All students who arrive late for school (last late bell rings at 9:04 am) much check in with the office.

Remember to visit our school website for current information royaloak.sd63.bc.ca