



N O V E M B E R

Halloween Fun:

On Halloween, the monsters, heroes and princesses walked the halls of EMS! Students were treated to a haunted house created by our wonderful PPO parents. PPO also hosted a successful Halloween Bash last Friday. We thank all the families who celebrated with us and a BIG thank you to all the volunteers who put in lots of time and effort to make sure this Halloween was a great one for all!

Remembrance Day Ceremony:

November brings with it a time for remembrance and reflection. On November 1st, our Spiritual Animator, Mr. Rocco, hosted our annual Remembrance Day Ceremony to help students understand the true significance of this event. We distributed poppies during the assembly to help students show their unity throughout the month of November. We thank all families who donated to support this cause. **We will continue to accept donations of \$1 (or more) until next Monday, November 12th.**

Open House:

On Thursday, November 15th, we will be holding our annual Open House! Our tours will take place from 1:00-2:00 p.m. and from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Please spread the word to any parents you know who are looking for a school for their child(ren). EMS has so much to offer; help us get the word out there!

Report Cards & Individual Education Plans (I.E.P.s):

Students will be receiving their Term One Report Cards on November 28th. We ask that parents return the navy folder to the homeroom teacher the following day. It is requested that parents bring the report card to the Parent-Teacher Interviews held on Thursday, November 29th. A letter will be sent home to schedule a specific time for each family's interview. In order to accommodate all parents, the P.T. interviews cannot exceed 10 minutes, therefore we remind everyone to be punctual for their scheduled time. Please note that the school will be closed during dinner break between 5:30-6:30 and no interviews will take place during that time.

If your child is following an I.E.P. for enrichment or extra support, we ask that you stop by the Literacy Room during Parent-Teacher Night to pick up your copy. The resource teachers, Ms. Emiliana and Ms. Alex, will review the IEP with you and answer any questions you might have.

Scholastic Book Fair:

On November 29th and December 3rd, our librarian, Ms. Nancy, will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair. The proceeds of this fundraiser will go toward supplementing our school book collection. Prices are similar to what is found in the Scholastic catalogues (\$5 -\$15). If you would like your child to purchase a book during the day, please send money with your child on Monday, December 3rd in an envelope, to avoid it being lost or misplaced. If you are attending Parent-Teacher Interviews on November 29th, we recommend that you make your purchases during that time instead.

Share the Warmth:

Also during P.T. Night, we invite you to bring in donations to kick off our Share the Warmth Campaign. Every year, we help our school community, the local community and food banks that serve the Montreal area. Please give generously! You will find boxes near the front office in which you can deposit your donations. We are looking for the following items: Non-perishable food items (canned products, pasta, cookies, cereal, etc.), hygiene products (toothpaste, toothbrush, deodorant, soap, etc.), new non-violent toys (do not wrap); Must be in by November 30th.



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EMS Birthdays

Wishing a very happy birthday to all November babies!
(We try our very best to make sure no birthday is overlooked. If there is an oversight, please let us know and we will be sure to include it in the next newsletter).

Dylan Avgoustakis
Kylie Bordonaro-Rawlings
Mohamed Bouslim
Abekie Buckingham-James
Arfaan Choudhry
Kaylee Croke
Kayla Do
Yubi Hong
Yeawon Kim
Adamo Letizia
Lucia Lisi



Melina Malapetsas
Onyx Munroe
Sierra Primeau
Gabriel Quaino Martinez Esperon
Rayn Rahman
Bayron Mauricio Ramirez
Ethan Sanscartier
Julien Suarez Duarte
Maya Tronca
Roman Ursino
Ngoc Long Vu
Cassius White-Cruikshank

November 2018				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Reminder: If Daycare service is needed, please contact Ms. Joanne at least 2 weeks in advance at 514-259-0050.			1 Remembrance Ceremony	2
5 Read to Me, Read to You Cycle 3 – Field of Honor Field Trip	6	7	8 End of Term 1	9 PED DAY (Daycare is open)
12	13	14	15 Open House	16 PED DAY (Daycare is open)
19	20 Speaking & Writing	21	22	23
26 House Assembly	27	28 Report Card Distribution	29 PED DAY (Daycare open) Parent/Teacher Interviews (day & evening) Book Fair	30 PED DAY (Daycare is open)