

RedHawk Express

Sept 26, 2021



National Day for Truth & Reconciliation

This week RHS will recognize the first ever National Day for Truth and Reconciliation by undertaking a full day of learning about the First Nations and Indigenous Peoples of New Brunswick. On Thursday, Sept 30 we will be following the following schedule (Period by Period);

- 1. Introductory Content** – getting to know some of the important people, places and vocabulary of our First Nations communities.
- 2. Local Wabanaki Culture** – more detail on the Wabanaki Confederacy and time to learn on native-land.ca
- 3. Tuning in to the National Centre for Truth & Reconciliation** – Students will view content in both official languages from around Turtle Island.
- 4. Connecting with Earth Mother** – Students and staff will choose from a menu of options all centered on our connections with the land.
- 5. Where to Next?** – A discussion about what learning lies ahead and what actions we can take as a school community.

Thank you to Ms. Barton & Mr. Kelbaugh for putting together a menu and lessons to allow the school to learn and grow together.

Resources for continued learning:

- [So you want to be an ally?](#) (Wolastoqey Tribal Council)
- Indigenous [Ally Toolkit](#) (Montreal Urban Aboriginal Community Strategy)
- [Muskrat Magazine](#) - an online Indigenous arts and culture magazine.
- [Kukukwes News](#) - news in Atlantic Canada
- [Aboriginal Peoples Television Network](#) (APTN)
- [CBC UnReserved](#) - Current Indigenous news & issues, podcast
- [CBC Reclaimed](#) - contemporary Indigenous music
- [Telling our Twisted Histories](#) CBC Podcast, includes Wabanaki voices
- [Think Indigenous YouTube channel](#)
- [Indigenous Canada Online Course](#) (University of Alberta)

Weekly Schedule Sept 27 – Oct 1 – Spirit Week

Monday –

Tuesday – PSSC Meeting
6pm

Wednesday – PJ day

Thursday – Orange Day

Friday – Purple Day

Oct 4-8 (Sweet Caroline Week)

Monday –

Tuesday – PLC Meetings
(Staff)

Wednesday –

Thursday –

Friday –

Upcoming Events

PSSC Meeting – Tuesday
Sept 28 @6pm

Sept 30 – National Day
for Truth & Reconciliation

Supporting Your Students @Home

Our second full week of classes was very eventful. Classrooms are bustling with the conversation and movement that learning creates. Many classes have been going outdoors when possible and spending time getting reacquainted with full time attendance. We have struggled as a school community with our consideration for others and I would appreciate if families could discuss and reinforce the following;

- **Personal Space and Consent** – students were reminded Friday that they cannot touch others without their consent.
- **Language has power** – students were reminded about the power of their words and reminded about two words that we are hearing in the halls that are never welcome (The N-word & F-word). There are so many terms that were used to demean marginalized people and they are not appropriate to be used in our halls,
- **Stereotypes of cultures do not make good costumes**- with Halloween around the corner it is a good time to remind students that costumes that reduce a human culture to a single costume are not appropriate. We are challenging the students to think creatively for the 2021 costumes.



Reminders and Celebrations

- *Thank you to the SRC for hosting their first Car Wash Fundraiser! They raised over \$1000 for future student events at RHS.*
- *Our next Bottle Drive is October 16 (the weekend after Thanksgiving) and will be hosted by the SRC. Proceeds will be split between the SRC and Adopt-A-RedHawk – a fund we use to support students who need financial support to participate in school sports & clubs.*
- *Check out page 3 for all the places you can catch the RedHawks in action this week.*
- *Hockey Try-outs continue this week – details on page 3. Remember that you must show proof of vaccination to Mrs. Barrington in order to try-out.*
- **SPORTS Round Up**
 - SV Girls Soccer – 3 wins against San De Cham, St, Stephen and RNS and 1 loss this week to STM.*
 - Baseball beat Hampton and St. Stephen.*
 - Softball lost to Sam de Cham but beat St. Stephen*
 - Field Hockey lost to KVHS.*
 - JV Girls Soccer lost to Hampton but tied SJHS.*
 - Cross Country is underway and brought home a few ribbons*
 - Football brought home another win against Harbourview High*

Social Media

Follow us on whichever platform you check regularly to get up to date information and good news items;

Facebook – Search
“Rothesay High School”

Twitter - @RothesayHigh

Instagram –
@rothesayhigh_athletics
@reggietheredhawk

Snapchat -
@reggietheredhaw
(please note there is no
“k” on the end!)

Other Account to Follow;
Twitter - @ASD_South

WHERE TO FIND THE REDHAWKS IN ACTION THIS WEEK (SEPT 27 - OCT 3)

MONDAY:

BASEBALL @ HOME VS. SSHS @ 4:30 (BICENTENNIAL)
JV GIRLS SOCCER @ HOME VS. FUNDY @ 5:30 (LOWER)
JV BOYS @ ST. MACS @ 5:30 (MILLIDGEVILLE NORTH)
SR. GIRLS SOCCER @ FUNDY @ 5:30

TUESDAY:

SOFTBALL @ SSHS @ 5:30

WEDNESDAY:

FIELD HOCKEY @ HOME VS. HVHS @ 5:30 (LOWER)
SR. GIRLS SOCCER @ SHS @ 5:30
JV GIRLS SOCCER HOME VS. KVHS @ 5:30 (LOWER)
JV BOYS @ SJHS @ 5:30 (MILLIDGEVILLE NORTH)

THURSDAY:

JV GIRLS SOCCER @ HOME VS. SJHS @ 5:30 (LOWER)

FRIDAY:

SR. GIRLS SOCCER @ LHHS TOURNAMENT (TBD)

SATURDAY:

BASEBALL REGIONALS (TBD)
SOFTBALL REGIONALS (TBD)



HOCKEY TRYOUTS



Monday September 20th 9:15pm-10:15pm QPlex
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Monday October 4th 8pm-10:30pm Rothesay Arena
Tuesday October 5th 8:00pm-9:00pm Rothesay Arena
Friday October 8th 4:45pm-5:45pm Rothesay Arena
Monday October 11th 8:00pm-10:30pm Rothesay Arena.
RED AND WHITE GAME

GIRLS HOCKEY TRYOUTS



Monday, October 4 - 6:15 - 7:45 pm - Rothesay Arena
Wednesday, October 6 - 4 - 5 pm - Rothesay Arena
Friday, October 8 - 3:45 - 4:45 pm - Rothesay Arena
Monday, October 11 - 6:15 - 7:45 - Red & White Game