



Ross Road School
Proud, Determined, Strong

Week - At - A - Glance

Supervision Begins @
7:50 am
First Bell: 8:05 am
Dismissal: 2:05 pm



Click [HERE](#) to visit our school website!

May 15th, 2026
Next Week is Week 1



Click [HERE](#) for the School Calendar!

Ordering window NOW OPEN!
Click [HERE](#) for the Nova Scotia School Lunch Program

Happy Friday, Families!

Before you head off for a well-deserved break, we have some incredible student achievements and community wins to celebrate.

☀️ **Black Brilliance Week:** The halls were filled with the energy of Black Brilliance Week, a time dedicated to celebrating innovation, community, and joy. Each day, our students engaged with themes that remind us why leadership, voice, and heritage shape who we are at Ross Road School.

Focusing on these stories strengthens our school culture by ensuring every student feels seen and valued. When we understand our shared roots and celebrate each other's brilliance, it reinforces the idea that our school is our home—a place where everyone belongs.

🏆 **Track & Field Triumphs:** We are thrilled to announce that a few of our star athletes have qualified for Regionals! We are so proud of your hard work and dedication—keep that momentum going!

🎉 **A Huge Bingo Win:** A massive thank you to our Home and School committee for hosting such a fantastic Bingo fundraiser last week. Thanks to your participation and generosity!

📅 **Looking Ahead: Next Week**

- **Waterloo Math Competition:** Good luck to our Grade 7 and 8 students writing the prestigious Waterloo Math competition next week. We know you'll tackle those problems with confidence!
- **Grade 7 Orientation Cafe:** On Thursday, we look forward to welcoming our future Grade 7 students and their families for our first Orientation Cafe.
- **Year-End Band Concert:** Following the orientation on Thursday, please join us for our Year-End Band Concert! The music begins at 6:30 PM and is open to all families. Come out and hear what our talented musicians have been working on.



REMINDER: There is no school this Monday, May 18.

We will see everyone back on Tuesday! Have a wonderful long weekend!

Important Dates

May 11,13,19,21 - Grade 3 Assessment
 May 18th - No School
 May 21st - Future Grade 7 Orientation Cafe (5:30 - 6:30)
 May 21st Year End Band Concert (6:30)
 May 29 - Walk-A-Thon
 June 1 - 4 - Grade 8 Assessment
 June 13 - Ross Road School Spring Fair



You're Invited!

GRADE 7 ORIENTATION CAFE

AT ROSS ROAD SCHOOL

FOR STUDENTS & FAMILIES

THURSDAY, MAY 21ST
5:30 - 6:30 PM

CONSIDER FOOD
 SCHOOL TREATS
 SNACKS
 REFRESHMENTS FROM STUDENTS & STAFF

FOLLOWING THE ORIENTATION, THERE WILL BE A BAND Performance!

LET'S WELCOME NELSON HYNDRER

WE CAN'T WAIT to see you there!

ATLANTIC VIEW

ROSS ROAD SCHOOL

WALKATHON

Friday, May 29

PLEDGE FORMS ARE DUE ON WALK DAY
PRIZES DRAWS FOR ALL PARTICIPATING STUDENTS AND TOP CLASS!

YEARBOOK QUOTE SUBMISSIONS

GRADE 9 STUDENTS - SCAN ME!

WANT TO THANK SOMEONE SPECIAL IN THE YEARBOOK? A TEACHER? FRIEND? FAMILY OR COMMUNITY MEMBER?

SUBMIT USING THE LINK ABOVE!

Yearbook Ordering

ORDER NOW!!

Yearbooks are now available to order for the 2025-2026 school year!

All Grade 9 students will receive a yearbook at no cost.

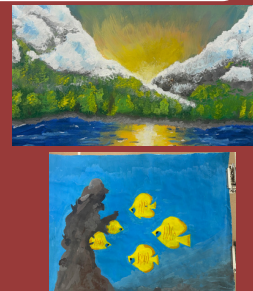
Families of Grade 7 and Grade 8 students may order a yearbook using the ordering link provided.

Ordering closes on May 29th - don't miss out!

Click here to order!

Please note that students without media consent will not be included in the yearbook photos. If you are unsure of your student's media consent status, please reach out.

\$35/Book



Screen Free Summer: Digital Diet Guidance

As summer approaches, many families are thinking about screen time. This article introduces the idea of a "digital diet," encouraging a focus on the quality and purpose of screen use rather than just limiting it. It offers practical ways to help children build healthier, more balanced habits with technology. Read more [here](#).

OUR FAMILY'S SCREEN-FREE SUMMER

OUTDOOR ADVENTURES

- Family hiking
- Cat catching
- Family picnic

CREATIVE ARTS

- Paint painting and clay
- Make clay with clay
- Backyard Puppet show

FAMILY GAMES

- Playing Games
- Building a Fort
- Play Backyard Treasure Hunt

EXPLORE NATURE

- About insects
- Gardening
- Bird-Watching

SWAP SCREENS FOR SUMMER SCENES!

MAKING MEMORIES TOGETHER