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## *Principal's Message*

*November 2025*

### **Dear Parents/Guardians:**

September and October have flown by, and it has truly been a wonderful start to our school year. Our classrooms are filled with curiosity, creativity, and growth, it's been amazing to see our students so engaged in their learning.

We are having an **Autism Information Session with Tianna Innes**. We invite all families to join us for an information session with our School Psychologist, Tianna Innes, on Wednesday, November 5, from 5:30–6:30 p.m. Tianna will be sharing general information about autism, a few key strategies to support children at home, and helpful guidance on how to navigate available supports and services. This will be a great opportunity to learn, ask questions, and connect with others in our school community. We hope you can join us!

This month, you'll have an opportunity to meet with your child's teachers during our Family Conferences on Thursday, November 20 (evening) and Friday, November 21 (morning). On Thursday evening, we invite you to enjoy a complimentary supper from 4:00–6:30 p.m. in the MPR, and take a moment to connect with Ms. Chantel, our Community Support Worker. We look forward to celebrating your child's progress and achievements together.

Please also join us for our Remembrance Day Service on Monday, November 10 at 10:45 a.m. as we come together to honour and reflect. A reminder that there will be no school on Tuesday, November 11 in observance of Remembrance Day.

As the temperatures continue to drop, please make sure your children are dressed warmly for the weather. Students go outside for recess unless it is -28°C with the windchill or colder. If your family could benefit from a Koats for Kids donation, please reach out to Ms. Chantel for assistance.

Looking ahead, here are a few important December dates to note:

- Thursday, December 4 – Winter Craft Night
- Tuesday, December 9 – Whole School Turkey Lunch
- Tuesday, December 16 – Festive Sweater Pancake Breakfast

More details will be shared closer to the dates.

We look forward to another exciting month of learning, growing, and celebrating our amazing school community together. Thank you for your continued support and partnership, it truly makes all the difference.

Warm regards,

T. Karagiannis Bell  
Principal

T. Chambers  
Vice-Principal

# ✿ Congratulations, Ms. Wood! ✿

We are thrilled to celebrate Ms. Carrie Wood, recipient of the Dyslexia Canada Award for Educational Excellence! This well-deserved recognition highlights the incredible passion, expertise, and heart she brings to John M. King School each and every day.

Ms. Wood's unwavering dedication to supporting literacy has transformed the way we help our students discover the joy of reading. Through her compassion, knowledge, and commitment to inclusion, she continues to make a lasting difference, not only for our students but also for our staff and our entire school community.

Her work reflects what education is truly about: equity, understanding, and hope. We couldn't be prouder of you, Ms. Wood. Thank you for inspiring us all and for everything you do to make John M. King a place where every child can thrive. ❤️ 📖



## ROOM 205 HIGHLIGHTS

Room 205 has had an exciting October! We began our **Fiddling Class**, where every student is learning to play the fiddle with master fiddler **Theo Anderson** — a true highlight each week. We also went on a super fun field trip to **Camp Manitou**, where students challenged themselves with wall climbing, archery, ziplining, and a low-line obstacle course. As part of our **Roots of Empathy** program, we met the adorable **Baby Renoir** and began learning about understanding and caring for others. On top of all that, we kicked off our **Instant Design Challenges** with the **Paper Tower Challenge**, giving students the chance to collaborate, create, and think on their feet. It's been a wonderful month of growth, teamwork, and new adventures!



# ART ROOM

We celebrated **Dot Day** with many versions of dot artwork as a connection to everything. The students explored and excelled in the process of learning and begin taking risks to try new ideas in their artwork. More to explore with dots (circles) in the coming weeks. Watch their work on the bulletin boards at the Family conferences.





# AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM JOHN M KING SITE

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**AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM  
STARTS  
OCTOBER 6th**

**MARVELOUS MONDAYS @ BBBS  
Thursdays stay at JMK**

*gather grow lead*

# EVERMORE NOVEMBER 2025

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b> 3 <b>PROGRAM - JMK</b> <b>3:30PM - 5:30PM</b> 	4	5	<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b> 6 <b>PROGRAM - JMK</b> <b>3:30PM - 5:00PM</b> <b>PONY BEADS</b>	7
<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b> 10 <b>PROGRAM - JMK</b> <b>3:30PM - 5:30PM</b> 	11	12	<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b> 13 <b>PROGRAM - JMK</b> <b>3:30PM - 5:00PM</b> <b>PONY BEADS</b>	14
<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b> 17 <b>PROGRAM - JMK</b> <b>3:30PM - 5:30PM</b> 	18	19	20 <b>NO PROGRAM</b>	21
<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b> 24 <b>PROGRAM - BBBS</b> <b>3:30PM - 5:30PM</b>  	25	26	<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b> 27 <b>PROGRAM - JMK</b> <b>3:30PM - 5:00PM</b> <b>SPECIAL SNACK</b>	28



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### AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

#### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

#### GREENWAY SCHOOL

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY  
3:30PM-5:00PM

#### JOHN M KING SCHOOL

MONDAY 3:30PM-5:30PM  
THURSDAY 3:30PM-5:00PM

#### WELLINGTON SCHOOL

TUESDAY & THURSDAY  
3:30PM-5:00PM

# FAMILY ROOM

Hello Families! The weather is cooling off, but we have hats and mitts! Please stop by the family room for warm clothes. Also, let me know if you need winter gear. We will be putting in Koats for Kids requests once again.

Take care! - Chantel



## Family Room Calendar November 2025

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Family Room Closed in the Morning Art Attack 2:00pm	4 Pamper Party (self-care, not diapers) 1:30pm	5 Second Harvest 2:00pm	6 Beading 1-3:30pm	7 Baby Food on a Budget 1:30pm
10 Art Attack 1:30pm	11 No School Remembrance Day	12 Second Harvest 2:00pm	13 Beading 1-3:30pm	14 Nutrition Trivia 1:30pm
17 Art Attack 1:30pm	18 Pamper Party 1:30pm	19 Second Harvest 2:00pm	20 Beading 1-3:30pm	21 School Lunches on a Budget 1:30pm
24 Art Attack 1:30pm	25 Pamper Party 1:30pm	26 Second Harvest 2:00pm	27 Beading 1-3:30pm	28 Nutrition Bingo 1:30pm



# SCHOOL CALENDAR – NOVEMBER 2025



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3 Day 1 <b>BADMINTON CLUB @ 12:25</b>	4 Day 2	5 Day 3 Gr. 3/4 INTRAMURALS @ 12:25  AUTISM PRESENTATION 5:30-6:30 PM	6 Day 4 <b>SOCcer PRACTICE @NOON</b>	7 Day 5 <b>SOCcer PRACTICE @NOON</b>
10 Day 6 <b>BADMINTON CLUB @ 12:25</b>  <b>REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE 10:45 AM</b>	11  REMEMBRANCE DAY LEST WE FORGET  NO SCHOOL	12 Day 1 Gr. 3/4 INTRAMURALS @ 12:25	13 Day 2 <b>SOCcer PRACTICE @NOON</b>	14 Day 3
17 Day 4 <b>BADMINTON CLUB @ 12:25</b>	18 Day 5	19 Day 6 Gr. 3/4 INTRAMURALS @ 12:25	20 Day 1 <b>SOCcer PRACTICE @NOON</b>  FAMILY CONFERENCES 3:45-7:00 PM	21 Day 2  NO SCHOOL  FAMILY CONFERENCES 9:00—11:30 AM
24 Day 3 <b>BADMINTON CLUB @ 12:25</b>	25 Day 4	26 Day 5 Gr. 3/4 INTRAMURALS @ 12:25	27 Day 5 ROOM 202 & 204 @ CHILDREN'S MUSEUM  SOCcer PRACTICE @NOON	28 Day 6  REPORT CARDS HOME