

# JFK PARENT NEWS

## NOVEMBER PARENT NEWSPAPER

### Dates to Remember

#### **November 2nd -**

Open House  
7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

#### **November 3rd -**

School Pedagogical Day

#### **November 10th -**

Regional Pedagogical Day

#### **November 21st -**

Governing Board Meeting  
in School Library  
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

#### **November 22nd -**

Parent Teacher Interviews

#### **November 22nd -**

Evening Book Fair

#### **November 23rd -**

School Pedagogical Day

#### **November 24th -**

Fixed Pedagogical Day

#### **November 29th -**

Mini Day

## Principal's Message

The month of November offers us a time of reflection and optimism. The 1st term has ended and very soon Parent Teacher Interviews will give you an opportunity to see how your child is progressing. It is important to communicate with your child's teachers, and ask questions on what is needed to improve their academic standing.

We encourage your participation in school events. On November 2nd we will have our Open House from 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Please spread the good word about the wonderful programs and services JFKHS offers. Our enrolment has increased and we want to continue this trend.

Student success is a collective goal where the staff, students, and parents main objective must be to encourage and support excellence. We are hopeful that in November and the coming months a strong effort and commitment will be made to excel in academic, leadership, and athletic pursuits. On behalf of the staff at JFKHS, have a delightful and wonderful November.

Sincerely, Mr. O. Delaney

## Thanksgiving Meal

On October 6th, the Cafeteria Services at JFK treated the students to a Thanksgiving meal. We would like to thank them for this special meal and all their hard work. The Cafeteria Services are also offering the opportunity to purchase Meal Cards which allow you to pre-pay for 11 meals for 40\$ (10 meals + 1 free). For more information go to [leminibistro.emsb.qc.ca](http://leminibistro.emsb.qc.ca).



## Other Reminders...

If you have not yet done so, please pay your child's

### School Fees of \$180.

If you are interested in volunteering at JFKHS in the **Parents Participating Organization**, please send your contact info to [azanello@emsb.qc.ca](mailto:azanello@emsb.qc.ca).



The **Book Fair** will open to students during the day on

November 20th, 21st, and 22nd. Parents are invited to the Book Fair in the Library on November 23rd during Parent Teacher Interviews. Books are excellent resources for our students and the Scholastic Book Fair is a wonderful event where students and parents can purchase the newest reading materials available.

In order to save costs on paper and printing, we are asking parents to send back the **email address form** as soon as possible.

Congratulations to Mr. Muoio and the 2017 **Yearbook** Committee for a wonderful yearbook. The books were distributed out to the students on October 20th. We hope you will enjoy them and all the memories they share.

## Visite Educative

The Secondary 5 students visited the Museum of Fine Arts on October 17 with their French teachers, Mme. Hoxha and Mr. Quattrocchi. The students were introduced to Classical and Contemporary art. This activity will give them the opportunity to enrich their vocabulary and write a text in French class in order to prepare them for the secondary school leaving examination.

## Quinn Farm

On October 20th, the students from our Aim High program were accompanied by their teachers on a field trip to Quinn Farm where they enjoyed a wonderful day outdoors picking pumpkins and doing other outside activities.



## International Storytelling Festival

John F. Kennedy hosted the International Storytelling Festival on October 24th. The Secondary 1 and Aim High students attended the sessions along with Gr 6 students from Elementary Schools. The International Storyteller was T.U.U.P. who lives in London, England and is a member of the



Crick Crack Club of Performance Storytellers. This event was very successful and we look forward to hosting this event in the future.