

# RCES School Council

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Happy St.Patrick's Day

## Next Council Meeting

The next RCES School Council will meet on  
Tuesday April 6, 2010 at 7pm in the school library. Please feel free to contact the council at: [rces\\_council@rogers.com](mailto:rces_council@rogers.com)

## The First Roch Carrier Family Fun Fair

June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2010  
4:30pm - 8:00pm  
The grounds of RCES  
(Rain date June 18,2010)



More details to follow but we are asking all parents to consider volunteering for the event - it could be as little as an hour of their time the day of the event or as much as they would like to give - leading up to or at the event.

A volunteer form will be coming home in the next few days.

## MARCH BREAK and the ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

As March Break is fast approaching, the members of the Parent Council would like to remind you to take a look through the Entertainment Book that you purchased in the fall, for coupons for any outings or activities.

Section "E" contains Entertainment and Sports discounts - there are coupons for ski passes, museums, bowling, Cosmic Adventure, Putting Edge, etc...

Don't forget the Travel and Leisure section contains coupons for Park 'n Fly (H51, H52, H53) for those going away on vacation!

## Mark Your Calendars

**MARCH BREAK: March 15 - 19, 2010**

**April 16** - Student Led Conferences

**Tues April 20** - Earth day/spring themed cake walk

**Tues May 4** - Teacher Appreciation Luncheon (Volunteers needed)  
Watch here for more information next month

## A.Y. JACKSON and KENYA RUN May 15, 2010

The students from A. Y. Jackson take part in every year. The students from A. Y. Jackson came to give a presentation to the parent council about the run, which is done to raise awareness and money for the Lwak Girls School in Kenya.

You can support the students of Lwak Girls School by participating in the run (fee of \$25.00/person) or by sponsoring someone who is running.



New things are happening at Mabel's Labels. This holiday season they are offering holiday gift tags. Also new to Mabel's, are full colour "label out loud" labels. They are the same labels we've come to love except they are in full colour. To view the new items or place an order please our fundraising page with Mabel's Labels

[www.rochcarrier.mabel.ca](http://www.rochcarrier.mabel.ca)

This school fundraiser will be ending March 15,2010.

## Bridlewood Community Association News

### Regular General Meeting

Tuesday, March 16th @ 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.  
Eva James Memorial Community Centre  
65 Stonehaven Dr.

BCA is pleased to announce its new on-line services. The "Web Portal" will allow the Bridlewood and Emerald Meadows Community to register and pay for Memberships

Please visit the website for more information  
[www.bridlewood.ca](http://www.bridlewood.ca)

## OCASC NEWS

Do any of the following topics sound like something you would like some advice on?

- *Autism*
- *Body Image in Children and Youth*
- *Why Won't My Child Do As I Say?*
- *Anxiety in Children and Youth*
- *Stress Management for Parents*
- *The Importance of Sleep for Children and Adolescents*

If so, book the evening of Monday, March 29 on your calendar. CHEO Psychologists will be at Hillcrest High School to share information with parents. Please see the OCASC link for more information [www.ocasc.ca](http://www.ocasc.ca).

## SNOW HAWKS 2010 SKI PROGRAM



The Snow Hawks program is done for another year and a BIG thank-you to all the volunteers/chaperones that helped to make it such a success

## Fundraising Committee (ongoing)

**Boomerang Kids Consignment** - Drop off gently used clothing, toys and equipment and our school will then receive a special commission of 60% of the sale items on the account. Unsold items will be donated to a local charity. Please be sure to mention the Roch Carrier E.S. account.

**Campbell Soup Labels** - Please ensure that the UPC code is on the label you are submitting. These labels allow us to purchase Physical Activity Equipment for the children

**Gabriel's Receipts** - Please collect and return your Gabriel's Pizza order receipts and we can earn back \$1.00 per receipt.

**Canadian Tire Money** - please bring any Canadian Tire Money you wish to donate to the school office. The funds collected go towards supplies for our school clubs (Furniture Rescue, Enviro Club, outdoor sports equipment).



School Council is always looking for volunteers and would love for you to become involved. If you have any time and you would like to volunteer please contact us, [rces\\_council@rogers.com](mailto:rces_council@rogers.com). There is no such thing as too little!



The RCES parent council would like to thank Jennifer Tackabury for hosting an amazing ZUMBA class on Tues Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>. Even though the Olympics were on television, the attendance was fantastic.

Thank you to the parents and friends that arrived to take the class and support the environmental club. Due to the great attendance we were able to raise \$ 247.00

## New School Council Website

The school council is happy to announce the creation of a website intended to share **school council** events, programs and information with Roch families. Please visit our site for more information regarding your council and its events.

[www.rochcouncil.ca](http://www.rochcouncil.ca)