

EOM Intermediate School Announcements: 2025-26

Please keep last week's announcements!

Mon. Sept 8, 2025

If you are a grade 8 student and are interested in participating in the newspaper club as a manager, please attend a meeting in Rm 226 today at 10:40 am.

Attention all grade 7 and 8 runners. Want to challenge yourself and be part of a great team? This year's Cross-country team is having its first meeting for all students who are interested in being part of the 2025 EOM Cross-Country Team. We will be meeting in the intermediate gym at SECOND BREAK at 1:20 to go over some important information for the upcoming season. Please make sure to speak to M. Marquis if you are not able to attend.

For anyone who signed up for the Senior Jazz Band, please check your emails today for audition times and music.

Tues. Sept 9, 2025

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Wed. Sept 10, 2025

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Attention Cross-Country Runners!

This is a reminder that our very first cross-country practice will be happening **today after school at 3:00 p.m.** Please meet in the **lower atrium**, ready to go. Don't forget your water bottle and running shoes—we're excited to get our season started!

Thurs. Sept 11, 2025

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Attention intermediate students!

Something brand new is rolling into our school... the very first **Mountain Bike Team!** If you love adventure, speed, or just being out on the trails, this is your chance to be part of something exciting.

We'll be holding our **first team meeting today at 1:20 in the intermediate gym.** Come find out what it's all about and how you can get involved. Don't miss your chance to be part of history as our school's first-ever mountain biking crew!

See you at 1:20 in the gym!

Fri. Sept 12, 2025

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Attention all students on route 664 after school. The bus will only board students in the zone where the sign is located. Please go to the assigned location for your bus.

If you are a grade 8 student interested in participating in the newspaper club as a manager, please attend a meeting in Room 226 on Monday at 10:40 a.m.

Starting Monday, we will start having our grade 7 & 8 students access the cafeteria during their Nutrition Break. The cafeteria will be selling food. As we did last year, we will split the 40 minute Nutrition Break into 20 minute blocks where one grade is in the cafeteria and the other is in the recess yard and then they switch.

Mon. Sept 15, 2025

Grade 8 boys and girls who are interested in Flag football please meet Mr. Doan and Mr. Kennedy in the gym at 11:00 after your nutrition break today!

Last year, the Earl of March Chess Club won the Ottawa Schools Chess Championship. If you are a grade 7 or 8 competitive chess player, come to portable 5 at 1:20 p.m. **TOMORROW** to get details about this year's club from Mr. Kuzub.

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Manie Musicale Indigenous Edition: Today is our first day of voting! It is Ottawa's own Amanda Rheame with her song "One of These Days" vs Elisapie's "Uumati Attanarsimat (Heart of Glass)". Voting closes at 3 pm. Ask your English teacher about how to cast your vote. Results from round one will be released on Friday

Today we will start having our grade 7 & 8 students access the cafeteria during Nutrition Break. The cafeteria will be selling food. Grade 8s will be in the cafe from 10:40 - 11:00 then they will go out for recess. Grade 7s will go out for recess 1st and then they will be in the cafe from 11:00 - 11:20. Remember to represent yourselves well in the cafeteria.

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If you are interested in joining Recreational chess, please meet Ms. Gavan in the lower atrium **today at 10:40. This club is for non-competitive chess players. All skill levels are welcome. You may bring your lunch.**

Guitar club is coming back to EOM! If you play guitar then you're welcome to join us in rm. 127 (Mr. Richardson's room) during first recess and nutrition break every Tuesday and Thursday. There are a very limited number of guitars in rm. 127, but if you have your own, you're encouraged to bring it. New players are also welcome, but will be expected to be practicing, and not simply 'hanging out'. If you're not sure, then please stop by, say hello, and ask any questions you may have! That's guitar club today during first break in room 127!!

Electryc Boogaloo is back!! What is it? It's a science club! Well, it's really just Mr. Richardson nerding out about whatever science stuff he thinks is cool this week. We'll talk atoms, rockets, space, chemistry...he's not really sure yet! We'll also be watching some amazing documentaries about science and nature! This club isn't for everyone, but if you're curious about science, it may just be for you! Electryc Boogaloo is running Mondays and Wednesdays during first nutrition break and recess. Bring your lunch and your curiosity! That's Mondays and Wednesdays (tomorrow), in room 127!

Manie Musicale Indigenous Edition: Today is our second day of voting! It is Silla and Rise's song "Aniriq" against Ceileigh Cardinal's "Over Before it Began". Both great dance tunes, but which one was your favourite? Voting closes at 3pm. Ask your

English teacher about how to cast your vote. Results from round one will be released on Friday.

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Manie Musicale Indigenous Edition: Today is our third day of voting! It is Chubby Cree's "Rock Your World" against N'we Jinan Artists' "Home to Me". Both songs highlight Indigenous youth, but which one will come out on top? Voting closes at 3pm. Ask your English teacher about how to cast your vote. Results from round one will be released on Friday.

Attention all members of the MTB Team. Please make sure to go to our Google classroom for some important information about our upcoming practice.

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Manie Musicale Indigenous Edition: Today is our last day of round one voting! It is Okema's powerful "Life of a Native" against Snotty Nose Rez Kids' "Red Future" Who will be the final artist to make it into the semi-finals? Voting closes at 3pm. Ask your English teacher about how to cast your vote. Results from round one will be released tomorrow.

Grade 8 Boys Open Volleyball will start on Tuesday, September 23rd at 7:45 am in the Intermediate Gym. Please check your homeroom's Google Classroom for the link and instructions to participate.

A reminder to senior jazz members that we will have a meeting at first recess today.

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Girls United is back! If you are a girl or identify as a girl in grade 7 and 8 and are interested in being active, sports, health and wellness, and sports leadership, this is the club for you! Come by room 134 during first recess today for an information session. Girls United will be starting next week on Tuesday during 2nd nutrition break.

Manie Musicale Indigenous Edition: Today is the day! All of the results from the first round of voting are in! Ask your English teacher to see the reveal video to find out who made it into the Semi-Finals! Voting for round two resumes on Monday.

Grade 8 Boys Open Volleyball will start on Tuesday, September 23rd at 7:45 am in the Intermediate Gym. Please check your homeroom's Google Classroom for the link and instructions to participate.

Do you identify as part of the 2SLGBTQIA+ community? Are you an ally? Then come join the QSA! We meet every Thursday at first nutrition break in room 242. Bring your lunch and come hang out with some excellent humans!

Mon. Sept 22, 2025

Last year, the Earl of March Chess Club won the Ottawa Schools Chess Championship. If you are a grade 7 or 8 **COMPETITIVE** chess player, come to portable 5 at 1:20 p.m. tomorrow to get details about this year's club from Mr. Kuzub.

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Girls United is starting back up in the next few weeks.

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Today is Rosh Hashanah. The holiday is one of the most important holidays for Jewish people around the world and marks the start of the Jewish Year. During the two-day celebration, your Jewish friends might take time away from work to attend synagogue, eat foods such as apples and honey or say prayers near a body of water. It is a joyous holiday in which Jewish people celebrate and hope for a happy and enriching new year.

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Fri. Sep. 26, 2025

Mon. Sep. 29, 2025

No School (Professional Activities Day)

Tue. Sep. 30, 2025

Today is a Monday schedule.

Today is also the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. The Indian Residential School system operated across Canada for over 100 years, with the last schools closing in the 1990s. Indian Residential Schools were created to separate Indigenous children from their families and communities, and to systematically strip away their traditions, cultural practices and languages. More than 150,000 First Nations, Inuit and Métis children from across the country were forced to attend Indian Residential Schools, which were often located far from their homes. Thousands never made it

home. Each year on this day, it is a time to reflect and honour Survivors, their families and communities affected by the legacy of Indian Residential Schools.

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Wed. Oct. 1, 2025

Thu. Oct. 2, 2025

Yom Kippur, the holiest day of the year in Judaism, begins tonight. The name Yom Kippur translates from Hebrew to English as the “Day of Atonement.” It is a time when your Jewish friends reflect on sins or wrongdoings from the previous year. They may spend the day fasting, attending religious services in a synagogue or observing the holiday in other ways. Wishing you a meaningful fast!

Today we also join Hindu communities in Canada and around the world in celebrating the beginning of Dussehra. This celebration commemorates the victorious journey of Lord Rama over the demon Ravana, which symbolizes the triumph of good over evil. For Hindus, this is a time of joy and hope, marked by gatherings with loved ones. Rituals, prayers, chants, colourful decorations and fireworks embrace the power of feminine symbols during this festival, which is closely associated with Durga and Saraswati, two goddesses that embody strength and knowledge.

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Fri. Oct. 3, 2025

Mon. Oct. 6, 2025

Tue. Oct. 7, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Wed. Oct. 8, 2025
Thu. Oct. 9, 2025 Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.
Fri. Oct. 10, 2025
Mon. Oct. 13, 2025 No School (Thanksgiving)
Tue. Oct. 14, 2025 Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.
Wed. Oct. 15, 2025 Today is a Monday schedule.
Thu. Oct. 16, 2025 Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.
Fri. Oct. 17, 2025
Mon. Oct. 20, 2025 Today is the Jain, Hindu, and Sikh holy day of Diwali. Known as the “Festival of Lights,” Diwali is a five-day festival celebrating the triumph of good over evil, and is a time for celebrating new beginnings, family, and community.

Tue. Oct. 21, 2025

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Wed. Oct. 22, 2025

Thu. Oct. 23, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Fri. Oct. 24, 2025

Mon. Oct. 27, 2025

Tue. Oct. 28, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Wed. Oct. 29, 2025

Thu. Oct. 30, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Fri. Oct. 31, 2025

Mon. Nov. 3, 2025

Tue. Nov. 4, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Wed. Nov. 5, 2025

Today is the anniversary of the birth of Guru Nanak Dev Ji, the founder of the Sikh religion. Members of the Sikh community will gather on this sacred day to visit temples called “gurdwaras,” give back to the community, and reflect on Guru Nanak Dev Ji’s teachings, including the importance of equality, peace, compassion and tolerance.

Thu. Nov. 6, 2025

Today is a Friday schedule.

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Fri. Nov. 7, 2025

No School (Professional Activities Day)

Mon. Nov. 10, 2025**Tue. Nov. 11, 2025**

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Wed. Nov. 12, 2025**Thu. Nov. 13, 2025**

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Fri. Nov. 14, 2025**Mon. Nov. 17, 2025**

Tue. Nov. 18, 2025

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Wed. Nov. 19, 2025

Thu. Nov. 20, 2025

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Fri. Nov. 21, 2025

Mon. Nov. 24, 2025

Tue. Nov. 25, 2025

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Wed. Nov. 26, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Thu. Nov. 27, 2025

Today is a Friday schedule.

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Fri. Nov. 28, 2025

No School (Professional Activities Day)

Mon. Dec. 1, 2025

Tue. Dec. 2, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Wed. Dec. 3, 2025

Thu. Dec. 4, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Fri. Dec. 5, 2025

Mon. Dec. 8, 2025

Tue. Dec. 9, 2025

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Wed. Dec. 10, 2025

Thu. Dec. 11, 2025

Competitive chess is today at second break in portable 5 with Mr. Kuzub.

Fri. Dec. 12, 2025

Mon. Dec. 15, 2025

Tue. Dec. 16, 2025

Competitive chess is cancelled today.

Wed. Dec. 17, 2025
Thu. Dec. 18, 2025 <p>Christmas Day is celebrated on December 25. For hundreds of years people around the world have been observing it with traditions and practices that are both religious and secular in nature. Christians celebrate Christmas as the anniversary of the birth of Jesus of Nazareth, a spiritual leader whose teachings form the basis of their religion. Popular customs include exchanging gifts, decorating Christmas trees, attending church, sharing meals with family and friends and, of course, waiting for Santa Claus and his reindeer to arrive with presents for all. Merry Christmas!</p> <p>Competitive chess is cancelled today.</p>
Fri. Dec. 19, 2025