



# Sharks Monthly

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## *Principal's Message*

Dear JCA Community,

As we reflect on the wonderful year we've shared, we are filled with gratitude for your continued participation, enthusiasm, and support. From the Terry Fox Run to our STEAM and Science activities, this year has been filled with meaningful experiences and memorable moments for our students and families.

Throughout the year, our community came together to enjoy book fairs, jersey days, Les Petits Artisans, the Teddy Bear Hospital activity, and the Cycliste Averti program, where students learned the importance of riding bikes safely and responsibly. Our talented students also shined through the beautiful performances of the Choir with Mr. Dimitri and Ms. Maria, while our dedicated Green Team continued to inspire environmental awareness and positive action within our school community.

We were also proud of our educational technology project "building bridges" with our former administrator, Mr. David Servello, and to strengthen our connections through inter-écoles activities with our neighbours at Saint Simon School. These partnerships and shared experiences help foster a strong sense of belonging and community among our students.

This year has been especially meaningful because of the incredible staff at JCA. Their hard work, passion, and unwavering dedication to our students and school community are at the heart of everything we do. We are truly grateful for the care, energy, and commitment they bring each and every day.

We are also incredibly proud to celebrate our school's recognition as the Silver BEST ELEMENTARY School in Montreal 2026!

A very special thank you goes to Sofia Pisano, who raised \$178 through her Science Fair sales and generously donated the proceeds to the Grad Committee. Her kindness and initiative are truly appreciated.

Thank you for being such an important part of our school community and for helping make these experiences so meaningful for our students. We look forward to many more exciting adventures, celebrations, and achievements together in the month ahead.

Warm regards,

**Sonia Marotta**  
Principal



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## JUNE 3 & JUNE 10: TCBY

We ask all students to bring their reusable spoons.



## JUNE 5: CASUAL DAY

Our final casual day will be held on **June 5**. We kindly ask all parents and guardians to review the guidelines on page 11 of the school agenda. Students are asked to bring in a minimal donation of \$2, which will be collected to support school events at JCA.



## JUNE 5: ICE CREAM TRUCK

The Wild Willy's Ice Cream Truck will be at JCA. Each student will be treated to an ice cream during their lunch hour. The flavours available are vanilla or chocolate, both nut-free. Additionally, there will also be vegan and dairy-free options.



## JUNE 11: GOVERNING BOARD MEETING

Our next Governing Board meeting is scheduled for **June 11th** at 6:15 p.m. and will be held at John Caboto Academy.



Parents and guardians are welcome.

## JUNE 12: PEDAGOGICAL DAY

There will be no classes on June 12, 2026.



## JUNE 17: KINDERGARTEN GRADUATION CEREMONY

Our Kindergarten students will celebrate the completion of their preschool years at John Caboto Academy with a ceremony on **Wednesday, June 17th, at 10:30 to 11:15 am**. Parents are welcome to arrive at school at 10:00 am for coffee and treats. The students are invited to dress up for the occasion and are not expected to wear their school uniform.





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## JUNE 18: GRADE 6 GRADUATION CEREMONY

The time has come to celebrate the incredible journey of our Grade 6 students as they step into the next exciting chapter of their academic adventure!

To mark this special occasion, we invite you to join us on **June 18** for our Graduation Ceremony, starting at 10:00 a.m. Parents are welcome to join us at 9:30 a.m. for refreshments. The students are invited to dress up for the occasion and are not expected to wear their school uniform. However, we ask that they avoid spaghetti straps, high-heel sandals, and jeans. Students may arrive later than usual that morning, with an arrival time of 9:30 a.m.

After the ceremony, parents are welcome to take photos with their children. Once we say goodbye to parents, the students will be treated to a lunch. Students will also have a dance in the school gymnasium. Thank you to our PPO and your continued support of fundraiser initiatives to help our students receive a renowned send-off. We wish our Grade 6 class the best in the next chapter of their academic journey.



## JUNE 19: FUN DAY AT JCA

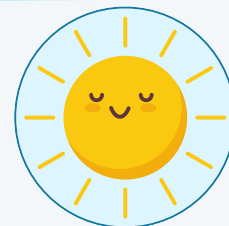
On **June 19**, students will participate in a variety of fun activities, with more information to follow. Lunch will be provided by Traiteur Tiguidou, with each student receiving two chicken hot dogs and a lemonade. Should your child not participate in the lunch, please provide them with one.

Thank you to our wonderful PPO for making this possible.



## END OF TERM AND LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

The last day of school is **June 23rd**. Report cards will be available online via Mozaïk. Further details about the next school year will be sent via email. Stay tuned for more information.





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## YOU'RE TOP AWARD: MAY

The JCA "You're Top Award" is given to students who show a strong dedication to personal growth. The virtue for the month of May was **Perseverance**.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS:

<b>Alessandro E. (K4)</b>	<b>Cosimo P. (2)</b>	<b>Clara C. (5A)</b>	<b>Liam M. M. C. (WINGS 2)</b>
<b>Leonardo G. D. (K5)</b>	<b>Emma M. (3A)</b>	<b>Dylan R. (5B)</b>	<b>L. D. (Resource, Ms. Christine)</b>
<b>Sara M. (K5)</b>	<b>Eva E. (3B)</b>	<b>Jad M. (6)</b>	<b>L. B. (Phys. Ed, Ms. Katia)</b>
<b>Argiro L. (1)</b>	<b>Brooklyn M. (4)</b>	<b>Riyan H. K. (ES)</b>	<b>Gabriella M. (Phys. Ed, Mr. Joseph)</b>
<b>Isabella D-P. (1/2)</b>		<b>Mohammed I. M. (WINGS 1)</b>	<b>Dario L. (Sciences, Mr. Stefano)</b>





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## **GOLDEN APPLE AWARD: MAY**

The JCA Golden Apple Award recognizes staff members' exceptional contributions to our school's advancement. We invite all parents, staff members, and students to submit nominations for deserving candidates to Ms. Marotta ([smarotta@emsb.qc.ca](mailto:smarotta@emsb.qc.ca)).



**Ms. Tina, Ms. Franca, Mr. Stefano and Ms. Alex**