

## RAM MEMBERSHIP AND CASH DRIVE 2025-2026

#### Who is RAM? If your child is in the Montessori Program, YOU are!

The Richmond Association for Montessori (RAM) is made up of families of Montessori students at *Manoah Steves, Garden City and James McKinney Elementary* schools, who work together with the school district and school administration to support the Montessori program in Richmond. We are uniquely structured to help our children's education!

### Why become a RAM Member and stay involved?

- · As a registered organization, we maintain annual paid memberships to stay active
- RAM is 100% funded by parents, our memberships and donations benefit our classrooms
- Our funding goes to support additional classroom materials and resources; bursaries for teacher development; and Montessori conferences and workshops

#### How can you help?

- Renew / Become a Member of RAM: \$75/family Annual Membership Fee (no tax receipt)
- Donate additional amount any time: tax receipts for additional donations of \$10 or more
- Donate \$200+ and your Membership Fee is included (tax receipt for the full amount)
- Attend RAM meetings or volunteer with us!

To receive a tax receipt for the 2025 tax year, payment must be made no later than December 31<sup>st</sup> 2025. Otherwise, tax receipts will be issued for the 2026 tax year.

We encourage membership fees and donations to be processed electronically.

For credit card payments: <a href="https://bit.ly/RAMMember2025CC">https://bit.ly/RAMMember2025EMT</a>

Similar to last few years, we have reduced our income expectations and our budgeted spending.

If you're able, please consider donating with your membership this year. If you're unable to donate at this time, there are other ways you can support RAM!

#### **EARLY BIRD DRAW!**

Get your RAM Membership Fees in by **December 31**st **2025** and be eligible to win a \$50 Gift Card!

#### **GET INVOLVED THIS YEAR! STAY ENGAGED WITH US!**

Support RAM and the Montessori program in Richmond Become a member and attend a meeting!
Visit our website www.richmondmontessori.ca
Email us at info@richmondmontessori.ca
Visit our Facebook (RichmondMontessori) page
Join our WeChat group (email us for the latest QR code)
Find us on Twitter @RMD Montessori

# RAM Annual Family Membership and Cash Drive 2025-2026

Print this form ONLY if you are paying by cheque. Send form + cheque back to School.

For ELECTRONIC PAYMENT, please click: Email Transfer or Credit Card

<u>Please print clearly:</u> Circle your school; G	arden City,	Manoah Steves,	McKinney
Father's Name (or guardian)	Family Name		
Mother's Name (or guardian)	ardian)Family Name		
Home Address			
Email Address			
☐I give permission to be contacted via email	l by RAM for	volunteer opport	unities.
My area of interest for volunteer opportunit	ies include:		
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Name of Child (1)			
Name of Child (2)			
Name of Child (3)			
for our RAM Annual Family Member (Tax receipts cannot be provided for	=		5, per family.
☐ for additional <b>donation of</b> \$	. (Tax recei	pts issued for an	nounts over \$10)
☐ for a <b>total donation of \$200</b> or more Membership will be included, and tax re		•	•
Signature:			
We have also made electronic payment option transfers, please fill out this form and email procard payment, please click here. We thank you	oceeds to <u>fun</u>	draisingRAM@gma	

If you prefer paying by cheque, please print your completed form, with cheque payable to **Richmond Association for Montessori**. Please return to your school office.

Please ensure donations are made no later than December 31st 2025 to be eligible for a 2025 tax receipt. Otherwise, your eligible tax receipt will be issued for 2026 (issued in March of 2027).

If you have any questions or clarification, please email us at info@richmondmontessori.ca.