



# OSTA

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## OSTA Appreciates Our Drivers

On Saturday, April 11, 2015, the Ottawa Student Transportation Authority (OSTA) will be hosting its first ever "Driver Appreciation Day". This event will give OSTA a chance to show the people who transport our youth to and from school every day, how much we value their service. The event is for drivers and invited guests only.

We are asking students to show their appreciation for their hard-working drivers by creating a "Thank You" card. All cards should be handed in to their school principal who will then forward them to OSTA. These cards will be displayed at the event and then given to drivers to whom the cards are addressed.

Individuals are encouraged to post positive messages on our Facebook group – OSTA Driver Appreciation.

"A driver's welcoming smile and helping hand are so crucial to giving students the best start and end to their school day. Sometimes we forget how integral drivers are to the education of our youth and this event is a great way to remind ourselves of the importance of the driver in our business", Vicky Kyriaco, General Manager/CAO of OSTA.

The event will be informal. Awards for safe driving will be given. There will be a slideshow, guest speakers and door prizes, as well as refreshments. Any drivers interested in attending the event should contact their dispatch.

Information of our event can be found on our website [www.ottawaschoolbus.ca](http://www.ottawaschoolbus.ca) or follow us on Twitter **@OttSchoolBus**

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