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HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

We take this opportunity to wish our school community a very Happy Thanksgiving. We hope that you use this weekend to take time to gather together, to give thanks and be grateful for your good fortune. Many are not so fortunate as to live in as peaceful and beautiful a place as we do. We do have a lot to be thankful for! Enjoy your first long weekend of the year! As a result of the Thanksgiving Holiday, there will be no classes on Monday, October 11th. When school resumes on Tuesday, October 12th, it will be Day 11.

TESTS NEXT WEEK Tuesday, Oct. 12th Career Interview Assignment Due

Wednesday, Oct. 13th Math 7/8

UPCOMING EVALUATIONS: Math 2204/05, Chemistry 3202

WHAT A MAGICAL NIGHT!

Friday night was one filled with celebrations of accomplishments for the Class of 2010. It was indeed a wonderful night! Congratulations to all our graduates and all the best for the future! Thank you is extended to everyone who worked to make sure that Graduation was perfect and/or contributed to the Awards fund. It is through the work of many hands that Friday night was so magical! Thanks once again!!!!

WORLD TEACHER DAY

World Teachers' Day is a day to celebrate teachers and the central role they play in guiding children, youth and adults through the life long learning process. We take this opportunity to say thank you to all our teachers who go above and beyond to ensure the success of all our students!!!

ANOTHER FINE PERFORMANCE!

On Friday morning, October 1st, our Accordion Group performed at yet another prestigious event. The Special Interest Council for the Teachers of Music of the Newfoundland and Labrador Teachers Association invited them to perform. From all accounts, they were well received and they represented our school in fine style. Way to go, everyone!!!!

BREAKFAST PROGRAM DONATIONS

A big thank you is extended to Colin Lundrigan and Michelle Fitzgerald for their generous donations to the Breakfast Program the past week. Any and all donations to the Breakfast Program are welcome!

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY FOR TEACHERS (CHANGE IN DAY)

Please be advised that the Professional Day scheduled for staff on Wednesday, October 6th has been postponed due to the number of days missed last week. It has been rescheduled for Thursday, October 21st. Our teachers, and all teachers in our region, will be participating in professional development on that day. Regular classes will resume on Friday, Oct. 22nd and it will be Day 5.

EVENTS THIS WEEK:

During this week, we will be having our Annual Food Drive before Thanksgiving. This year, we want to make a special effort to gather as much food as we can since we will donate it to the Salvation Army for distribution to those affected by Hurricane Igor. Please make a special effort to send in as many non-perishable food items as possible to make this the most successful food drive ever!

Our Annual Thanksgiving Celebration will be held on Friday morning at 9:00. All are welcome to attend and stay for the Undergraduate Awards to follow. These awards will celebrate the accomplishments of last year's Kindergarten to Level II students as well as welcome our newest students, this year's Kindergarten class. We are very proud of all of our award winners and we will be publishing all of the names from each ceremony in an upcoming newsletter. In the afternoon, beginning at 12:30, weather permitting, our Grades 4- 12 students will participate in the Walkathon. If the weather is not suitable for the Walkathon on Friday, we will hold it on another fine day.

OTHER DATES TO NOTE:

- Deadline to order Vegetable Hampers to ensure delivery by Friday, October 8th, is Tuesday, October 5th. Thanks to all who have purchased hampers!
- Last day for Senior High students to make course changes is October 15th. (This date is the ABSOLUTE deadline!)
- Walk to Breakfast will take place on Friday, October 22nd.
- Provincial School Studios will be here for school photos on November 2nd. All students will have their photograph taken for student IDs and photo packages will be

available as well. Order forms will be sent home prior to that date. Graduation photos for Kindergarten and Grade 12 will be taken in the spring.

The Annual Bridget Power Memorial Tournament is scheduled for November 5 & 6.

THIS WEEK AT THE CAFETERIA

Please note the change in days that will take effect this week and continue to November.

Tuesday, October 5 - Ham, Mashed Potatoes, and Corn (\$3.50)

Thursday, October 7 - Burgers and Fries (\$3.50)

Tuesday, October 12 - Goulash and Roll (\$3.50)

Thursday, October 14 - Homemade Soup and Sandwiches (variety of choices) (\$3.50)

Chicken nuggets (\$0.75 each), wraps (\$3.00 each) and Grilled Cheese (\$2.25) are available on Tuesday and Thursdays as well. Other items may be added to the menu in coming weeks.

NOTES FROM PLACENTIA MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION/PARC FIGURE SKATING

Placentia Minor Hockey Association

Annual General Meeting will take place on Monday October 4, at 7:00 PM at the Royal Canadian Legion.

Minor Hockey Registration

Registration for the 2010-2011 hockey season will take place on Monday evening at 8:00 pm at the Legion in Placentia. Registration will take place following the general meeting @ 7:00pm. Please Note that registration **MUST** be paid prior to player going on the ice.

PARC FigureSkating News

PARC Figure Skating Club will be having a meeting for all parents who are interested in signing their children up in skating this year at the **Legion in Placentia on Wednesday, October 6 at 7:30 pm**. We will be also having an election of officers at this time. We are encouraging parents to help out with the Club, either as an executive member or assist on one of the committees.

BLACK SOLED SHOES

Over the past few weeks, we have noticed that we are getting many black marks on our floors as a result of black soled shoes. If your child's shoes have a tendency to leave marks, please have them refrain from wearing them.

Not all black soled shoes leave marks, so check to see if it makes marks before wearing them to school. Thank you for your cooperation.

Next Newsletter will be Thursday, October 14th.