

Athena Consolidated School News

Zone Cross Country

Congratulations to all our runners on an excellent showing at Zone cross-country meet. The following athletes had a top ten finish in their respected categories: Ariana MacFarlane 1st, Stephen Smallwood 2nd, Connor McAulay 2nd, Erin Arsenault-Gallant 2nd, Katie Steele 2nd, Nikki Arsenault 3rd, Jordan Gallant 3rd, Gillian Reeves 3rd, Lauren Lilly 4th, Brolin Turner 4th, Brittan Turner 4th, Maria Doyle 6th, Jillan Brown 6th, Nicholas Dunn 7th and Riley Glover 9th. A special thank-you to Cheryl Turner, Debbie Murphy, Jamie Matheson, Janice Doyle, Margie Cain and Stephanie Betts for all their time and dedication to our cross-country teams.

Soccer

I want to extend a big thank-you to our soccer coaches (CJ Studer, Bruce Turner, David Groom and Cheryl Turner (for their on going support with the girls team). Thank you for your leadership and dedication to our students and our soccer program. You have managed to bring the best out in our players during practice, games, as well as on bus trips. They certainly represented our school well and consistently showed great character and super sportsmanship. Great Season! Good luck at the Crossovers.

Tosh Pumpkin Patrol at Athena on October 28th

On the morning of October 28th, TOSH students will be speaking to students in Kindergarten to Grade 3 about the Pumpkin Patrol. The Pumpkin Patrol program which is being coordinated by Nicole Haire, is a Halloween Safety program.

Halloween Bake Sale

There will be a Halloween Bake Sale on Wednesday, October 27th starting at 10:15 a.m. All items will sell for .50 cents each. Parents will have stations set up through out the school where students can purchase baked goods. We hope to have a large selection of goodies available to everyone.

School Activities on Halloween Night

All school activities and public use of facilities are cancelled on Halloween night.

Christmas Concert

This year's Christmas concert will be held on the evening of December 15th. The start time hasn't been decided. More information will follow.

Parent-Teacher Interviews

Parent -Teacher interviews will be held on the evening of November 10th and all day on November 12th. Parents of junior high students are asked to contact the school secretary to set up parent-teacher interview times with your child's teachers. We look forward to meeting with you to discuss your child's progress.

Home and School

Just a friendly reminder that Athena Home and School parents meet once a month and they are always looking for new members. Please check the H and S Blog on our website for the date and time of our next meeting.

In an effort to increase attendance at our monthly meeting it was decided, by those in attendance and the school administration, to enter the names of the children whose parents attended the meeting for a chance to win a treat for everyone one in their class. This months winner is Ben Thompson in Mrs. Taylor's Class. This is something we plan on continuing through out the year. If you would like a chance for your child to win a treat for everyone in his/her class, please attend our next Home and School meeting.

The Home and School now have their own Blog where you can easily access the latest information around some of their initiatives and goals for this school year. To visit the Blog go to Athena's Web-Page and there you will find a link to the Home and School Blog.

Information Night

KINDERGARTEN FRENCH IMMERSION INFORMATION evening for parents of students entering Kindergarten in Sept 2011 (Monday Nov 1st, 7:00 pm, at Westisle; Tuesday Nov 2nd, 7:00 p.m., at Greenfield Elementary)

Kindergarten Registration

PREREGISTRATION FOR STUDENTS ENTERING KINDERGARTEN IN SEPT 2011 (turning age 5 in 2011) - please visit your local school during the week of Nov. 15 - 19 to register; kindly bring proof of child's age and your home address. If registering for French Immersion Kindergarten, please register at the FI school serving your area.

Student Teachers from UPEI

Lindsay Waite and Natalie MacDonald will be joining us this year as student teachers from the University of Prince Edward Island.