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BELFAST CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

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## NOTICE

May 3, 2011

### **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

May 6 - Area Assoc. P.D. Day  
May 6/7 - Badminton Provincials  
May 6 - Drummin'Up Funds Concert  
May 30 - Home & School Meeting 7 p.m.

### **ATHLETICS:**

Track & Field practices will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays until 3:30 p.m. for our students in Grades 4 to 9. Drives should be pre-arranged and your cooperation in picking up students on time would be appreciated. Zone May 26<sup>th</sup>, RD. 27<sup>th</sup>. Prov. will be held on Sat. June 4<sup>th</sup> at UPEI.

Wrestling - We would like to congratulate Ryan MacEachern for placing 1<sup>st</sup> at the Provincials and Colby Stewart for placing 2<sup>nd</sup>. Well done guys!

Badminton - Our Novice Badminton team did very well at their zone and unit meets. In the Unit meet, Madi Jay finished 4<sup>th</sup> overall, Sarah MacRae and Taylor McDonald placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in doubles, Braden Stewart placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in singles, and Daniel Martell and Braden placed 1<sup>st</sup> in doubles. Daniel and Braden will be moving on to the Provincials this week-end in Summerside. Our Bantam Badminton team also did very well at their zone and unit meets. Cassie MacLean and Vicki Vandenberghe placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in doubles at the Unit and will also be moving on to the Provincials this week-end in Summerside.

Congratulations to everyone who played on our teams this spring and good luck to those players competing at the Provincials.

Special thanks to Mrs. Murnaghan and Ms. Whalen for coaching our teams.

### **DRUMMIN' UP FUNDS - May 6<sup>th</sup> 7 p.m.**

Our fund-raising concert for our special needs students at Belfast Consolidated will be held this Friday evening, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. at St. John's Presbyterian Church. Belfast alumni - Paper Lions, Katie McGarry and Owen Steel et al (Devin Hornby and William Bell) and more will be performing.

This will be a wonderful evening! Tickets: \$10 adults, \$5.00 for students in grades 7 to 12, free for students grades 6 and under when accompanied by an adult.

### **EASTER SEALS AMBASSADOR'S**

**TOUR** - was a huge success here at Belfast Consolidated. We were able to donate \$680 when Hannah came to visit us at school. A HUGE thank you to our grade 1 / 2 class for raising close to \$600 with their read-a-thon! We would like to thank everyone who made a donation and helped out in anyway.

**BELFAST PLAYERS** - Special thanks to the members of Belfast Players for providing us with an evening of entertainment and laughter. We appreciate their long hours of practice for the many months preceding the play. We would also like to congratulate our students who participated in the play: Spencer Gillis, William Henbest, Cassie MacLean, Jacob MacLeod and Taylor Stewart. Our Grade 8 class ran a great canteen with lots of homemade baked goods and raised close to \$400 for their class trip next year.

**LUNCHROOM MENU CHANGE** - We will now be offering tossed salad instead of chicken noodle soup with grilled cheese sandwich on Wednesday's. The rest of the menu will remain the same.

### **STAFFING UPDATE FOR 2010/2011 -**

The teacher allotment has been issued for the 2010/2011 school year and Belfast Consolidated will be reduced by .25 of a teacher. Future class configurations will following in an upcoming newsletter.

### **LITERACY BIT: ABC -**

Ask your child questions about the story you're reading to ensure comprehension.

Book family time to read with your children every day.

Create a special reading place in your home, with your child's favorite books within

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