

ELIOT RIVER ELEMENTARY



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“HOME OF THE HOUNDS”

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MAKING CHOICES FOR POSITIVE LEARNING.



February 24, 2011

Dates to Remember

- Feb 24 - Band Testing at East Wiltshire at 3:45
- Mar 1 - Grade 4 Skate
Band Testing at East Wiltshire at 3:45 and 7:00 pm
- Mar 13 - Daylight Saving Time Returns - Spring ahead 1 hour!!
- Mar 14-18 - Eliot River Spirit Week
- French Week
- Mar 17 - St. Patrick's Day
- Mar 21-25- March Break
- Apr 4 - Drama Festival - Grade 5's
- Apr 7 - Report Cards
- Apr 22 - Good Friday (no classes)
- Apr 25 - Easter Monday (no classes)
- Apr 26 - Prof. Dev. Day (no classes)

Parent Survey

Please watch for a Parent Survey coming out in March. Please complete and return the survey as your input will help us with planning for the future.

Breakfast Program



Thanks to all our volunteers. Your help is very much appreciated.

However, we are short of funds to purchase the necessary food items for the program. Any donation would be greatly appreciated. Thank you so much for your support of our efforts to make sure our students have energy to work and learn.

Art

Thank you to the grade 5 students for their wonderful paintings that are now on display in the lobby. They are a cheerful welcome to all who visit Eliot River.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Thank you to all parents who attended the recent parent teacher conferences. The continued communication between home and school is very important to each child's success.

Book Fair

Thank you to all students, parents and staff members who supported our recent library book fair. Thanks to your purchases we were able to add numerous, popular titles to our library collection. Thank you also to Michael Hammond of Booktales in Cornwall who supplied the books, puzzles, and art kits for our sale!

Heritage Fair

Plans are underway for the Eliot River 2011 Heritage Fair!

The Heritage Fair Program is a wonderful way for students to explore any aspect of Canadian heritage using the medium of their choice to tell stories and share information. By participating in the Heritage Fair Program, students develop their ability to learn independently and to present information effectively - skills which prepare them for the future as they develop and appreciation for the past.

The school's Heritage Fair Committee will be meeting soon with students who are interested in doing a Heritage Fair project. More information will be coming home. If you have any questions, contact Jennifer Richard at 368-4270 or jxrichard@edu.pe.ca

French Week

French Week will take place from March 14 - 18th. Again we will be having the French Café and we will be ordering croissants. Students are asked to bring in \$1.00 if they wish to purchase a croissant.

After School Wrestling

After School Wrestling will be starting soon. Information and permission forms will go home with interested students.

Late French Immersion

Grade 7 Late Immersion Registration forms went home with all grade 6 students. These forms must be completed and returned to your child's home room teacher by February 28th.

National Staff Appreciation

All Eliot River staff would like to thank members of the Home and School Association for sending in yummy treats to acknowledge the efforts of our staff as part of National Staff Appreciation Week.

Thank you..

To those members of our community who have donated games to our Board Game Club. We are still gratefully accepting donations. A huge thank you to Owls Hollow who donated a brand new Monopoly board game.

Knitting Club

we will soon be starting up a knitting club to teach students who would like to learn how to knit. If you already know how to knit and would like to help teach others, please let Mrs. Macdonald know. Donations of wool and knitting needles would be greatly appreciated for our club!

Community Notes:

Canadian Red Cross is seeking youth volunteers for Water Safety Day Camp!!

The 65th annual Red Cross Water Safety Day Camp will once again be taking place in Island communities. Looking for youth between 13-16 to participate in these unique and exciting volunteer opportunities in our day camps!

Please contact Meagan MacDougall at 628-6262 or meagan.macdougall@redcross.ca

CPF-PEI French Summer Camps!

Students aged 12-14 can register for French Immersion or French language education camp in Iles-de-la-Madeleine at the L'Istorlet Center Nautique camp, July 10-16, 2011. The camp involves wind surfing, sailing, exploring caves and cliff. As well there is a Family Camp on July 17-20 or July 20-23. Call Gail at 368-3703 or email to clecky@cpfpei.pe.ca for more information.

