

ORDER OF THE MAPLE LEAF CELEBRATION

Join Us!

Rothsay Park School

7 Hampton Road, Rothsay, NB

Feb 20th @ 6:30 pm

Guest speaker: Jaryd Stanley

Community service, making positive choices and participating in school life.



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- One of our School Improvement Plan goals focuses on the **Positive Learning Environment** at school. At the Jan. 31st Way to Go assembly, student leaders brought attention to the Bell Let's Talk initiative (<https://letstalk.bell.ca/en/bell-lets-talk-day>) as well as Feb. being suicide awareness month. Please have a conversation with your child about mental fitness, stress and how they are working at feeling resilient during the ups and downs of teenage life.
- Around Valentine's Day RPS students will be selling "**Celebrate Messages**" at school (profits going to our local food bank drive) which students can send to each other (50cents each).
- On February 28th our Ravens will acknowledge Pink Shirt day by wearing as much pink as possible and trying to uphold this year's theme of **#besomeoneshero**. This theme gets at the heart of the solution to ongoing bullying which is for youth to support each other, in proactive ways, in their own community.
- During the month of February the students at RPS will participate in **Rothsay Schools Making a Difference** a food bank drive, being organized by Becky McKay (school community coordinator at RES). RPS will be competing against both RES and RHS
- The New Brunswick Sports Hall of Fame in partnership with New Brunswick's most accomplished athletes, provide schools with their **Sports Ambassadors** program. RPS was fortunate enough to have retired teacher Fred Horgan speak to the students. The goal of the program is to promote the benefits of sport participation. Mr. Horgan's story was one of never giving up and never doubting what you are capable.
- **Science Fair** was a great success this year and we thank our guest judges. Congratulations to Joseph Andreani, Katie Burt and Dria McKenna, Kara O'Leary, Nick Ashfield, Christian McAuliffe and Will Gallant, Hannah Clark, Parker Craig and Sarah Walsh, Becca Girourd. Well done Ravens!
- Our **basketball teams** are having a tremendous seasons! All 4 teams are in the race for District Titles! Good luck to The Varsity Boys and Girls and JV Girls as they head to Provincials Feb 17th and 18th
- We are always looking for parents and community members to help out with activity periods – during the month of February we are pleased to have East Coast Boxing and Performance Center offering a beginners boxing activity