**May 15, 2018**

Harvey High has been a beehive of activity!

Our annual Harvey High School Education Foundation Relay was a success once again this year, thanks to the generosity of our community.  We had a beautiful, sunny, bug free activity day with approximately 70% of our student population participating.  Our top middle school and high school fundraising teams and top three middle school and top three high school individuals have earned a reward trip to either Tree Go in Mactaquac or Kingswood.  We have a large group of students who raised over $100 each and are off to the Ayr Center in Woodstock for a swim trip on May 22nd.  Thank you to all who sponsored students helping to keep our Education Foundation strong!

 The 8th year of the Laubach Tutoring program has come to a close. Thanks to the following tutors: Wanda Adamson, Judy Cammack, Ruth Collicott, Marcia Fletcher, and Martha Willet for volunteering twice weekly to work with their student to improve literacy skills. This is a worthwhile project for the Middle School and has been very successful. Collectively, the tutors have put in 275 hours this year! Students received certificates of participation and enjoyed snacks at their closing celebration. Nancy Christe, as the coordinator of this program, has been the driving force behind this program. For her and the volunteer’s dedication, we are very grateful.

 PEACE Day celebrations were fantastic! Mrs. Black and her crew certainly outdid themselves. Students and staff were engaged and entertained. Former Lieutenant Governor Nicholas Graydon and renowned performer and artist Possesom Paul were on hand to participate in the celebration of PEACE. Horace Williams and a group of Harvey High students actually composed and presented a piece of music especially for this event. Every year Mrs. Black and company raise the bar. Well done!

 The Fredericton Sexual Assault Crisis Centre visited to deliver presentations to our middle school students . High school sessions will be organized, as well. This is an excellent opportunity for our students to be educated about appropriate sexual behaviour.

 High school students spent time with Nurse Practitioner, Michelle Daniels, to receive information about birth control and sexually transmittted infections. We are fortunate to have this expertise in our building. Michelle is in our school twice monthly to provide services to our students.

 Trisha Dickerson from Southwest New Brunswick Service Commission presented to middle school and select high school students on the new recycling program. Sessions were informative and enjoyed by those in attendance.

 The Harvey High School Green and Gold Revue is fast approaching. This is a new club in our school that has been spearheaded by Vicki Aube and Brenda McKeen, Faithfully, student participants have been meeting twice weekly to practice and prepare. The public performances will take place on Friday, May 25th at 7 pm and Saturday, May 26th at 1 pm. The students are very excited. It is going to be a great show. Advance tickets are available- please call.

 Our volleyball season is wrapping up with playoffs for all teams occurring before the end of May.  Track & Field practices for middle school and high school are beginning now with final meets occurring the last week of May.  The annual HHS Awards Evening is Wednesday, May 30th at 6:30 in the HHS gym.  As usual, we expect a great turnout as we recognize students for their participation and achievements in extra-curricular sports and activities.  Continue to check under the “Extracurricular-Athletics” link on the HHS website for weekly updates on team schedules, practices, games and tournaments.  As usual, home games and events are also posted on the digital sign at the end of the HHS driveway.

 To ensure there is a copy of the 2018 Yearbook for you, it is advisable to pre-order. The cost is $40 for a regular book. Please contact Mr. Nathan Hoyt or Mrs, Ara Henry should you require further information. These may be purchased on-line.

**CALENDAR**

May 25 Green and Gold Public Performance- 7 pm

May 26 Green and Gold Public Performance- 1 pm

May 29 Professional Learning pm- Early Dismissal

May 30 Awards Evening and Art Show- 6:30 pm

June 19 Grand March (8 pm) and Prom

June 22 Last day of classes- Graduation 7 pm

Crysta Collicott

 Principal