

# HARVEY HIGH NEWS

March 15, 2021

Minibus Announcement: It is with great pleasure that I share the news of an \$80,600 cheque that was issued to District to pay for our minibus bus in full. As a result of overwhelming community support, the various fundraising ventures and donations netted a profit of \$50,648.50. This left us with a \$30,000 deficit. Unexpectedly, Gordon and Donna Feeney, Harvey Regional High School graduates (1959 and 1958 respectively) currently residing in Ontario, generously contributed \$30,000 to close that gap. Harvey truly is a wonderful place to live. As I said to Mr. Feeney in one of our conversations, "You can take a man and woman out of Harvey, but you can never take Harvey out the man and woman." What an incredible donation to the children of our community! Thank you to all who so kindly helped in any way to realize the goal to purchase our minibus. The students of our school will be the beneficiaries of this gift for many years to come.

While the pandemic has certainly had an impact on extra-curricular activities this year, we are able to start up volleyball season now that we are at the Yellow Alert Level. Volleyball tryouts have been completed and we have four teams: senior girls, senior boys, middle school girls and middle school boys. As well, we have started up a high school badminton group that will practice each week. Continue to check under the "Extracurricular-Athletics" link on the HHS website for weekly updates on team practices and games.

Christmas Mommies Organization sponsors the We've Got Your Back Program. Weekly, backpacks of food are sent home with students. If you are interested in having your child be part of this program or you know of someone's family who may benefit, please reach out to me at <a href="mailto:crysta.collicott@nbed.nb.ca">crysta.collicott@nbed.nb.ca</a>. Currently, nineteen bags are sent weekly.

## **CALENDAR**

## March

- 19- MS students no school due to report card preparation and professional learning for teachers
- 19- HS regular classes
- 31- Report cards issues for MS (6-8)

## April

- 2- Good Friday
- 5- Easter Monday
- 12- Report cards issued for HS (9-12)
- 14- Grades 6-12- No school- Parent Teacher Interviews and Professional Learning

#### May

- 7- NBTA Council Day- No classes for students
- 17- NBTA Branch Meeting Day- No school for students
- 24- Victoria Day

#### June

- 22- Graduation- 1:00 pm
- 24- Rain date for graduation- 1:00 pm
- 25- Last day of classes

# Crysta Collicott

**Principal**