September 2021

Students are settling into their classes and daily routines are established. This year we have 217 students enrolled. There are 117 in the French Immersion program and 100 in the English Prime program. Amongst that mix are several new students. We have 19.35 teaching staff, 7 educational assistants, 1, Behaviour Intervention Mentor, 1 administrative assistant, 3 custodians and 7 bus drivers.

The annual **POTATO FUNDRAISER** is now on. We are selling 20 lb ($12) and 50 lb ($23) boxes of russett potatoes. All proceeds realized will be used to subsidize the operational costs associated with student extra-curricular activities not otherwise covered by fees. We had excellent comments about the quality of the russett potatoes that were received last year.

**The easiest way to order is on-line:**

Step One: Go to Harvey High School's website: https://secure1.nbed.nb.ca/sites/ASD-W/harveyhighschool

Step Two: Click on the School Cash icon

Step Three: Create an account

Step Four: Place your order

If you prefer to **order by phone,** call 366-2200. The campaign ends **Monday, September 29, 2021**. Potatoes will be delivered to the school on Monday, October 4, 2021.

When potatoes arrive, volunteers who can help unload and distribute are needed. As per provincial guidelines, volunteers must provide proof of double vaccinations. If you are willing to lend a hand, please email or call.

Our TruEarth fundraising campaign continues. During the past two years we have been unable to hold our annual Harvey High School Education Foundation Relay. We are hoping to earn some of the lost revenue through selling TruEarth ecofriendly products. This is an online, NOTOUCH fundraiser. HHS Families are welcome to share with family and friends across Canada as TruEarth ships Canada wide (and shipping is free!). Thank you for your continued support. (<https://fundraising.tru.earth/harveyhigheducationfoundation>)

Soccer season and Cross Country season are in full swing. Special thanks to our many coaches for volunteering their time to coach these teams. 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. Prior to home games, current Covid protocols will be posted to our website.

Christmas Mommies Organization continues to offer We’ve Got Your Back Program. Weekly, backpacks of food are sent home with students. If you know of a family who would benefit or if you are interested in having your child(ren) be part of this program, please contact Crysta Collicott (366-2200, 366-3494 or email [crysta.collicott@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:crysta.collicott@nbed.nb.ca)) to make those arrangements.

**CALENDAR**

Nov. 12 Grades 9-12 Report Cards issued

Nov. 19 No classes for students- Professional Learning for staff; 9-12 parent-teacher interviews (virtual)

Nov. 29 Grades 6-8 Report Cards issued

Dec. 3 No classes for students- Professional Learning for staff; 6-8 parent-teacher interviews (virtual)

Dec. 23 Last day of classes

Jan. 10 First day of classes

Crysta Collicott