

# Hartland Community School News

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December 2016

**MOTTO: From Believing to Achieving**  
**VISION: Empowering Our Students to Enrich Our World**

## Student of the Month November 2016

Kindergarten	Sawyer Patterson
Grade One	Anders Albright
Grade Two	Tess Green
Grade Three	Emily Miller
Grade Four	Olivia Foster
Grade Five	Alicia Trites
Grade Six	Jade Shaw
Grade Seven	Toren Cullins
Grade Eight	George Anderson
Grade Nine	Madison Girdwood
Grade Ten	Cole Lawrence
Grade Eleven	Alisha Clifford-Bourgoin
Grade Twelve	Gracyn McLaughlin



## Bookaneer Book Fair

Thank you to all for supporting our Scholastic Bookaneer Book Fair and the importance of reading. It was a fantastic success and the profits we earned will be used to purchase new resources for our Kindergarten to Grade 8 classes and the library.

## Middle School Semi-Formal Dance

There will be a Christmas Dance for Grades 6-9 students on Thursday, Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm. Cost is \$4.00. We hope to see you there!

## HCS School Clothing

School clothing can be picked up at the school beginning Dec 7<sup>th</sup>.



## Christmas Concerts

Our Christmas Concerts are being held in the cafetorium on Tuesday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>.

### **Gr. K-5 at 9:00am**

### **Gr.6-12 Christmas Concert**

The HCS 6-12 Drama Club will be presenting their musical production on Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at Hartland Community School. Doors will open at 6:30pm.

The production is "The Adventures of Captain Starblaster and the Orb of Christmas", is not a traditional Christmas musical, but is sure to entertain young and old through songs, storytelling, and space adventures!



## Holiday Hoopla

K-8 students will have the opportunity to participate in Holiday Hoopla once again this year. This special day will be held on Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup>. Students are invited to wear fresh, clean winter pajamas while they circulate through some exciting activities. We will finish the morning with Christmas carols together. Looking forward to a fun-filled event!

## Athletes of the Month for November

Hartland Community School would like to congratulate the Athletes of the Month for November: MS Boys – Cole Crouse MS Girls – Olivia Smith

HS Boys – Dawson Nancekievill HS Girls – Emily Johnson. Your effort, attitude, sportsmanship and dedication will serve you well on the field, in the classroom, and in life. Congratulations!



## Christmas Dinner with Chartwells

Christmas Dinner will be held at HCS. This is a very special event at our school. K-5 dinner will be on Tuesday, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>. Cost is \$5.50 +milk.

**K-2** will be served at 11:15  
**3-5's** will be served at 11:30 (parents with tickets are welcome.)

**6-12** dinner will be on Wednesday, Dec. 21<sup>st</sup> at 11:55 at a cost of \$6.75 +milk.

This includes a traditional turkey dinner, creamy mashed potatoes, turkey, veggies, dressing and a Christmas cookie! Please have tickets purchased by Friday Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> and make any cheques payable to Chartwells.

## Cafeteria Service

Last day for Cafeteria service will be Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>. There will be a very limited menu available. Thanks to Chartwell's for your service to HCS.

**Creating a Growth Mindset**

**Environment in Your Home Part 3:**

Redirecting Fixed Mindset Thinking  
Redirect your child's fixed mindset statements. If you hear your child say "I can't do math" or "I just can't understand Shakespeare," point out the fixed mindset thinking and direct them to a growth mindset place. Remind your child that they may not understand yet, but will by asking questions, finding new strategies, setting small goals and working hard. Two examples of how to redirect such statements are included below.

IF YOUR CHILD SAYS	THEN YOU MIGHT SAY
"I can't do math"	"You may not understand this yet, so let's practice some more."
"I don't need to study; I always do well on math assessments."	"Studying can help prime the brain for further growth. Maybe you should let your teacher know that these assessments don't require much practice for you and that you are willing to take on more challenge."

*-Mindsets in the Classroom -*  
Mary Cay Ricci

**Toilet Paper the Town**

**Problem**

Many low-income Canadian families struggle to afford basic household goods and necessities each month.

**Be part of the Solution**

Support Hartland Community School's We Act Club in their efforts to Toilet Paper the Town! Soon many area families struggling to choose between purchasing essentials like food or toilet paper won't have to make that hard choice. Throughout the month of

December we are collecting toilet paper which will be donated to Valley Food Bank and Sanctuary House in Woodstock.

Imagine the donation we can make if each staff and student brings in just one roll of toilet paper! All donations that are made will be collected, organized and distributed by the We Act Club. Please help us to help others in our community.

**The Boys hockey team schedule for December and January:**

Wednesday December 7th @ CNHS 7:00

Friday December 9th @ St Quentin 8:00

Sunday December 11 @ NHS 6:00

**NHS tournament**

Friday Dec 16 1:00 vs NHS

Saturday Dec 16 12:30 vs Samuel De Champlain

Saturday Dec 16 4:00 vs TVHS

Championship game Sunday at 2:00

Monday December 19 vs TVHS 7:30 (home)

**January schedule:**

Saturday January 7th @ Samuel De Champlain 3:00

Monday January 9th vs St Quentin 7:30 (Home)

Friday January 13th @ St Quentin 8:00

Saturday January 14th vs Samuel de Champlain 7:00 (home)

Monday January 16th vs NHS 7:30 (home)

Wednesday January 18th @ TVHS 7:30

Saturday January 21 vs NSER 4:00 (home)

**Theme Days Dec.19<sup>th</sup> - Dec.23<sup>rd</sup>**

K-5 students and teachers would like to encourage everyone at HCS to participate in theme days from December 19th-23<sup>rd</sup>. Let's wear festive clothes as we celebrate the season:

**Monday (19<sup>th</sup>) - Green Day**

**Tuesday(20<sup>th</sup>) - Red Day**

**Wednesday(21<sup>st</sup>) - K-8 Pyjama Day**

**Thursday(22<sup>nd</sup>) - Christmas Sweater Day**

**Friday(23<sup>rd</sup>) - Christmas Hat Day**

**Christmas Break**

Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> is a half day for students. The busses will leave the school at approximately 12:00.

Classes will resume for students on Tuesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017

*Merry Christmas*



**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR**