CHAMPLAIN HEIGHTS NEWS

VISION ~ 'Inspiring life long learning through exploration in a safe place' December 2019



Annual Holiday Bazaar set to be a Festive Event





Christmas Bazaar in support of the Benín Orphanage

Tuesday December 10th and Wednesday December 11th

We are supporting the Benin Orphanage again this year by having a Christmas Bazaar. We are hoping that you will send in <u>gently used</u> toys, jewelry, books and household items etc. that we can sell at the bazaar. Please no glass items as the students have to take the items home in their book bags. The students will be able to buy 2 items on Tuesday and as many as they like on Wednesday to ensure all classes have a good variety of items to choose from. The money raised will go for school fees, food, medical support, clothing and utilities. THANK- YOU for your support again this year!! We are in need of volunteers to help set up on Monday and monitor the Bazaar for both Tuesday and Wednesday when it is open, if interested in helping out please email Mrs. Young @ Kathy.young@nbed.nb.ca

Our friends at Irving Oil will be on hand to help the children wrap their treasures. Santa will also be visiting on Tuesday December 10th. Items in the bazaar will be priced between .50 cents and \$5.00.

WE are in need of MANY more items for the Bazaar.....please help, we currently do not have enough items.

Lest We Forget Remembrance Day Ceremony at CHS



Important Dates:

- December 10 and 11th Holiday Shopping Bazaar Our friends at Irving Oil will be helping us this year and Santa Claus will be visiting.
- December 13th—Grade 4 classes are on a field trip.
- Thursday December 19th—Concert Day! We are at Champlain Heights school this year. Please do not park on both sides of the circle, park on the side streets.
- Friday December 20th— Snow date for the concert. Last day before Holiday Break, this is a FULL DAY of school for students.
- Monday January 6th—NO SCHOOL for students—Professional Learning for staff.
- Tuesday January 7th—1st day back for students.

Champlain Heights School Enrichment continues to Delight Students and Staff

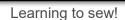


Remixing Toys

Building structures

Disco Dance Party!





Mini Stick tournament



Bird House feeders

Educational ideas for the next snow day. All a part of the curriculum Snow Day Challenges

How fast does your heart beat in a minute? The best place to **find your pulse** is on your wrist or neck. Count the number of beats in your pulse for 15 seconds and multiply by 4, or count the number of beats for 30 seconds and multiply by 2.

Do 40 jumping jacks. Measure it again. What is the difference?

Have a compliment day. Decide who to give compliments to for the rest of the day. Write a couple of them down on post-its to hand out to people where you go most. (store, daycare, mail carrier, swimming lessons)

Crafty? Like to make things? Explore the website: https://leftbraincraftbrain.c om/

Lots of STEM and STEAM activities to explore. 😳

What letters when written in lowercase can be read the same right side up or upside down?

Symmetry is a basic geometric concept. Understanding how one side of an object mirrors the rest is important in art, medicine and other fields.

REUSE:

Do some cleaning. Donate gently used books to a doctor's waiting room or a church nursery. Could also clean out old toys and donate to the nursery or a local preschool or daycare. Space Lover? Check out all the fun interesting things on the NASA website! Go to: https://www.nasa.gov/st

https://www.n em/ Like to bake? Bake and donate some to fire fighters, police officers or ambulance drivers. Find easy recipes at:

https://www.foodnetwork.com/recipes/packages/r ecipes-for-kids/cooking-with-kids

Is there a neighbour that could use some help with cleaning snow from walkways?

Repurpose by Upcycling: Take something you normally would throw out or recycle and turn it into something new! Some ideas here:

https://www.onegreenplanet.org/lifestyle/funupcycling-projects-that-are-perfect-to-make-withkids/

You are having fun AND doing something great for the environment!

Don't forget to just PLAY Whatever the type, play can work to help your child learn important skills that they will need as adults to succeed in today's global society.

- Play Can Foster Effective
 Communication. ...
- Play Helps Develop Social Skills. ...
- Play Develops Cognitive, Critical
- Thinking, & Motor Skills. ...
- Play Creates Confidence In Children.

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