CHAMPLAIN HEIGHTS NEWS

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

November 2019



New Incentive Assembly format designed to improve School Spirit!





Students congratulated for helping the Saint John community!



Students perform Boom Whacker Happy Birthday to students who had a birthday in September or October....on staff members helmets! So much fun.

Important Dates:

- November 4th— PSSC meeting @5:30—Home and School Meeting @6:30
- Nov. 7th— 1st Enrichment My Way! 9-10am
- Nov. 7th—Remembrance Day Assembly 10:30-11am—Any students who are in Brownies, Guides, Scouts, Beavers please wear your uniform on this day for the assembly.
- Nov. 8th—NO SCHOOL for students—Report Card preparation and Professional Learning Day.
- Nov. 11th—No School—Remembrance Day.
- November 13th—Mad Science Starts
- November 18th—Report Cards go home
- November 18th—Kick Off to Kindergarten Parent information night—6-7pm
- Book Fair—Tuesday Nov. 19th, student viewing; Wednesday Nov. 20th student shopping, Open to parents/guardians during parent teacher Thursday Nov. 21st 4-7pm and Friday Nov. 22nd 9-11am
- Nov. 22nd—No school students—Professional Learning for staff, Parent Teacher 9-11am
- December 2nd—PSSC @5:30, H&S @6:30
- December 12 and 13th Holiday Shopping Bazaar Our friends at Irving Oil will be helping us this year and Santa Claus will be visiting on the 12th.
- Thursday December 19th—Annual Holiday Concert at Champlain Heights School 3 shows: 9-9:45; 10:30-11:15; 12:45-1:30, snow date Friday December 20th.
- Friday December 20th—Last day before Holiday Break.
- Students return to school on Tuesday January 7th, 2020.

In need of items for our Maker Space:

If parents/guardians have any of the following items we would love to have them:

Broken small electronic devices (reverse engineering); 2 L milk cartons; small broken or unused toys (to remix); tape of all sorts; small screwdrivers and clamps; bottle caps of all kinds. Thank you for your help!



MAKER SPACE LEARNING:

Our students loved this LEGO challenge:

Mrs. Young is stuck on an island in the ocean, the volcano is about to erupt, build something that will get her home safely!

November Physical Education update from Mrs. Wade:

All students have been working on maintaining good personal space to safely move in the gym and on increasing their stamina to fully participate in all our class activities. Students in K-1 have been developing their cooperative play skills and body awareness skills. Grades 2-3 students have explored chasing & fleeing (tag) strategies and tactics and have begun to play games involving target skills. Grade 4-5 students have reviewed chasing and fleeing games (tag) strategies and tactics and are working on identifying emotions during game play and developing persistency skills.

A gentle reminder to all our CHS families that students must wear a pair of sneakers to safely participate in Phys Ed (mandated by the NB Phys Ed Safety Guidelines).

More information about the Physical Education program at CHS can be found on Mrs. Wade's website: www.wadePE.weebly.com



Christmas Bazaar in support of the Benin Orphanage

Thursday December 12th and Friday December 13th

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 Thursday and as many as they like on Friday to ensure all classes have a good variety of items to choose from. It will be <u>student only</u> shopping until noon on Friday, then, anyone can come and purchase what they like. Items can be dropped off at the office.

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 Tuesday and monitor the Bazaar for both Thursday and Friday 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 Thursday December 12th.