Good evening, this is Bonnie Demmons, Principal of HMMS, with messages for the week of September 17th.

Please see the attached edition of the Harry Miller Happenings for the week ahead.

As a result of declining enrolment in the grade 7 Late French Immersion classes, we embarked on a required split class at the grade 7 and 8 Late French Immersion level. We thank you all for your patience and understanding as these changes were made and also changes to several of our students’ schedules in other programs. New schedules will take effect tomorrow, as teachers discussed and reviewed with their homeroom students at the end of last week. Letters were also sent home with the grade 7 and 8 Late French Immersion students earlier last week with the names of the subjects and associated teachers for that class. Thank you once again.

We are in search of a Junior Varsity Girls Soccer coach for this season. If you are able to assist with this, please contact the main office at 849-5515 or e-mail Mrs. Cheryl Throop at Cheryl.throop@nbed.nb.ca We greatly appreciate your support and volunteerism at HMMS.

Picture retakes will take place on Thursday, September 20th and we would ask that students, if they have not already done so, return their picture forms indicating their request for retakes. This simplifies the process for Thursday. Thank you for your assistance with this.

Our HMMS Terry Fox Walk will be held this Friday, September 21st in the morning. Each grade level will walk during one of the morning periods (grade 6 during period 1, grade 7 period 2 and grade 8 during period3). We invite students to donate a Toonie for Terry and all students will participate in the walk. The walk will be approximately 26 minutes, to represent the 26 miles that Terry ran each day. Thank you to Ms. Barrett for arranging this and providing great resources to staff and students on the impact Terry Fox had and still has in our communities.

Thank you to the parents and staff who assisted with our first dance of the school year. It was a great evening and we look forward to organizing more social events for our students throughout the course of the year. Again if there are parents or family members interested in volunteering with the library over the noon hours or with evening events, please contact the main office.

Thanks so much, and have a great week!