**Announcements**

The theme for the month of April is “Citizenship”.

As we all know there have been many restrictions this year due to COVID -19. We are very lucky, in following protocol and working with “The Huntsman” in St. Andrews that we have been able to secure our annual Science field trip for our Grade 6 students.

All students were given a permission slip/information letter last week, which was due back this past Friday (April 23rd). Starting today (Monday, April 26th), we have two Grade six class bubbles going to The Huntsman as part of their unit on “Diversity of Life.” The following is the schedule for the Grade 6 homerooms:

Monday, April 26th – Madame Beyea and Mrs. Blanchard

Tuesday, April 27th – Madame Lise and Madame Murphy

Wednesday, April 28th – Madame Arbeau

This is a school and curriculum-based field trip and there are to be no cell phones taken on this trip. We will be leaving the school at 8:45 a.m. sharp and returning to the school by 2:30 p.m. All students are going to enjoy a great adventure of learning.

Shout Outs!

We would like to take the opportunity to wish two of our students congratulations: Grace Totten, who is in Grade 6 and Krisana MacLeod, who is in Grade 8.

In the Virtual South – East NB Regional Science Fair, Grace won 1st prize in the Gold-Jr. division for: “Les effets du sucre dans la culture du brio – cuir.” Krisana won the Grand Prize for “Burning Iron” and will move on to represent New Brunswick at the Canada Wide Science Fair from May 17th – 21st. We are so proud of these two students and want to send out a huge thank you to the Science teachers and the parents who supported these students every step of the way. Congratulations again to both Grace and Krisana! We are so honored to have you representing our school!

There is cheese pizza available this Friday. Don’t forget that the canteen will be open Friday as well! All items are $1.

Breakfast items have been available in the Student Lounge since 8:10 a.m. and will continue to be available until 8:40 a.m.

**The month of April is National Poetry Month** – Today (Monday, April 26th) is the final day to submit your poem. The winner will be announced by Wednesday, April 28th which is “Poetry Reading Day.” The winner will win a $50.00 gift card to Indigo. Good luck!

**This month is also National Mathematical Education Month** – The Math team has organized an afternoon of fun and learning on Friday, April 30th. Each class bubble will have the opportunity to participate virtually in different Math games. What a wonderful way to end the month!

**April is Autism Month –**

**Student Vote –** Starting this Friday, April 30th during Foundations class, the students will be provided with PowerPoints and videos, explaining the voting process, the responsibilities of the municipal government and videos from the candidates running for Mayor, Councilor at Large and Ward 1 Councilors.

The Mock Student Vote will take place on Thursday, May 6th. The results will be shared on Tuesday, May 11th and we will take the opportunity to compare the student results with the actual election results.

Any student birthdays…

We are week 8 in the duty schedule.

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