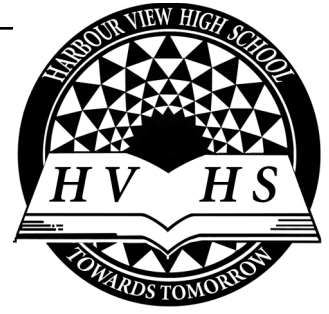


# HARBOUR VIEWS

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“Success breeds confidence.”  
- Beryl Markham



## Nelson Mandela’s great-grandson visits Saint John



L-R: Ethan Nylen,  
Rachel Sheehan,  
Siyabulela Mandela,  
Jacob Moore,  
Abby Murphy

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By Jacob Moore

On April 1<sup>st</sup>, I, Mrs. Vickers, Ethan Nylen, Abby Murphy, Rachel Sheehan and I were invited to the PRUDE inc. building on Union Street to meet Siyabulela Mandela, the great-grandson of Nelson Mandela.

Nelson Mandela won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1993. In 1994, he was elected president of South Africa. Despite being in prison for 27 years of his life, because of his anti-apartheid beliefs, Mandela never faltered.

“I have fought against white domination, and I have fought against black domination. I have cherished the ideal of a democratic and free society in which all persons live together in harmony and with equal opportunities. It is an ideal which I hope to live for and to achieve. But if needs be, it is an ideal for which I am prepared to die”—Nelson Mandela.

His devotion to the elimination of the apartheid government, and the elimination of institutionalized racial segregation in South Africa, makes him a leader to be revered still today.

To have the opportunity to meet his great-grandson was humbling, but it is not only for what his great-grandfather did that Siyabulela Mandela should be celebrated. He has a message of his own. Mr. Mandela wanted to speak with us because we are the youth; the future is ours to hold in our hands.

“What stuck with me the most is when Mr. Mandela said, ‘Keep your eye on the ball, and keep the ball rolling,’” says Ethan Nylen.

“You can party hard, but you can also study hard,” says Mr. Mandela. In a time where we are going away to university, it is important for us to take in everything: the experience of residence, the life of a new city, the friendships, the people. “Don’t just go for your degree,” he says, because there is more to life than just that. It is important to keep our eye on the degree, because that’s important, but it is also important to keep the ball that is our lives rolling.”

“People are talking about closing borders and people talking about building the walls. I think as communities, we have a collective responsibility to offer a different narrative and that narrative will be a narrative of reconciliation,” he told Global News.

In a time of border walls and the resurgence of racism in politics, it is more important than ever to understand people, to communicate with them, and that is why, for his PhD in international relations and conflict resolution, Siyabulela Mandela is travelling the world and speaking about the importance of cultural and social understanding. He is truly a testament to the spirit of his great-grandfather, one that adds to the legacy of Nelson Mandela, and it was an honour to have met him.

May at HVHS

3– No school

6 - No school

20 - Victoria Day, no school

29 - Arts Gala



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By Clara Kelly

Hey grads!

Our next event will be held on May 22<sup>nd</sup>, in the gym. This event will take place after school, and will be filled with childhood games and activities. It is birthday party themed event that is sure to be lots of fun. Listen for announcements for when signups will be posted.

Our last major fundraiser for this year is our online fundraiser, with Indigo for

book lovers. If you follow this link, <https://indigo.flipgive.com/f/912352>, you are able to purchase items from Indigo and our prom fund will receive a percentage of the purchase. We have a 20% return on purchased gift cards, and up to a 3% return on other items. Please spread the word. We will be having an in-store event on May 11<sup>th</sup>, from 12pm-2:30pm. This is a Saturday afternoon when a percentage of the cost of the items purchased in store is donated to our prom and safe grad fund. These two events are easy ways to get involved and help us raise more money for your prom and safe grad.

Important dates to remember are that prom is June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and graduation is June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Our grad rehearsal is on June 19<sup>th</sup>. Prom is approaching quickly; we hope you are getting excited! Finally, this is a reminder to listen to announcements, frequently check the Facebook group (Harbour View High GC 2018-2019) and check the Grad Class bulletin board for updates on all our events. We are working hard to keep everyone informed. We hope you have had an incredible year so far, and we hope you will continue to participate in all our activities. On behalf of the executive, we hope you have had a wonderful year so far. It is coming to an end quickly, and we hope you will have a great last few weeks.

Thank you, and let's have a marvelous May!

Congratulations to Sophia Wilcott who recently participated in *Poetry in Voice* at the national competition held in Winnipeg, Manitoba. According to its website *Poetry in Voice* was “Founded by Scott Griffin, chairman and founder of the illustrious Griffin Trust For Excellence In Poetry, [and] is a registered charity that encourages Canadian students to fall in love with poetry through reading, recitation and writing.”



Sophia traveled to Winnipeg with Ms. Vickers who said, “Sophie represented HV with huge amounts of grace and dignity, soaking up everything the workshops had to offer, soothing stressed peers, and taking every opportunity to learn and develop.”

Congratulations, Sophie!



Congratulations to Ruhamma Zaheeb and Logan Breen who placed third and first respectively at the District Oratory competition. Logan will represent ASDS at the provincial competition later this month.





Brad Penny - Turnaround Achievement Award recipients  
 Juan Gallego - placed first in the SJEC Concours d'art oratoire (French Oratory Contest) in his category  
 Jillian Beck - awarded an NBIAA Award of Excellence  
 Lucas Moulton - received his driver's permit  
 Jon Crossman - fantastic job with the *Relay for Life* coin drive  
 Kendra Ernst - Congratulations on being accepted into the X-Ray Technology program  
 Ethan Crowley - placed first in the SJEC Concours d'art oratoire (French Oratory Contest) for Grade 10 Early Immersion  
 Ryan Craig & Layne Zollner - representing NB on NB Spruce 7s Rugby in Florida this week  
 Cameron Stewart - he's always respectful, kind to others and helpful  
 Brandon Cavalcanti, Jonathan Clark, and Devon Arnold-Jamer all had perfect attendance in Q3.  
 Amelia West, Declan Hartery & Charlotte Casey - attending debate nationals  
 To all the students who made this year's rowing team!

## HV continues to celebrate our scholarship winners



Clara Kelly has been awarded the University of New Brunswick's **Foley-Woodroffe** scholarship.

Selection is made based on academic achievement and extra-curricular activities.

This four-year renewable scholarship is valued at **\$47,380**.

**Congratulations Clara!**




Sophia Wilcott has been awarded Dalhousie University's **Fountain Scholarship**, and the **Dalhousie Chancellor's Scholarship**.

Fountain Scholars are among a few exceptional candidates, and offered a position in the School of Performing Arts directly out of high school.

The Chancellor's Scholarship is awarded based on outstanding achievement.

These four-year renewable scholarships are valued at a combined total of **\$72,000**.

**Congratulations Sophie!**




Michael Delaney has been awarded St. Francis Xavier University's **Schwartz Business Order of Merit Entrance Award**.

This scholarship is awarded based on the qualities of leadership and service to community, as well as academic achievement.

This four-year renewable scholarship is valued at **\$30,000**.

**Congratulations Michael!**




Jacob Richard has won second place in the **Skills Canada NB Secondary Welding Competition**, and its resulting award.

This competition challenges students and measures their skills and knowledge of the discipline. Jacob is one of the top two grade 12 students in the province.

This scholarship is valued at up to **\$10,000**.

**Congratulations Jacob!**





Congratulations to our girls and boys rugby teams for a great showing at this year's Rugbyfest!

Congratulations to all the choir and band members for representing HVHS so well at this year's Competitive Festival of Music.

(You rock, sometimes literally!)

# Relay for Life: A night of memories

Story and photos By Aaron Sousa

Another year has come and gone and so has Harbour Views most popular overnight fundraiser. Harbour View has hosted a *Relay for Life* event for over a decade, with each year proving to be a success.

Students who attended *Relay* on April 26th got to enjoy adrenaline pumping party games like Laser Tag and Tug O' War, as well as calm, relaxing activities such as board games, Family Feud and playing Xbox.

This year, Ms. Wilson's Leadership Class set a fundraising goal of \$30,000 – the most amount of money that they've ever tried to raise at a single *Relay*. Although there is still plenty of tallying to be done, the class believes that they are very close to their goal.

At the event, students honoured the purpose of *Relay* by participating in a Victory Lap with a team of survivors. Later that night, they took part in a moment of silence before walking additional laps during the Luminary Ceremony.

"I'm really glad I got to be a part of something that impacts everyone's life," says Grade 12 Student Kristen Adams.

Adams says this was her second relay at Harbour View and has wanted to help plan the event since last year after helping Leadership set up Luminaries.

"From that day I knew I wanted to do it when I was in Grade 12 so I was really excited all year to have this course and take part in doing this."

Grade 9 student Adam Hampton attended *Relay* for his first time this year.

"I really liked how everyone was around to support cancer research," Hampton says, "If it's for cancer research, I'll do anything."

Hampton says he has his personal connection to *Relay* and Cancer Research.

"My mom died from Cancer last September," he says. "I love [funding] Cancer Research. As long as it can help kill cancer, that's the one thing I'll do best."

According to Dan Fowlie, a representative from the Canadian Cancer Society who spoke during the opening ceremonies, when helping other schools plan their own *Relay*, he says they use Harbour View's model as an example.

Fundraising totals for this year's *Relay* are expected to be released within a couple of days.

To stay up to date on info for next year's event and highlights from this year, you can follow Harbour View's *Relay For Life* Instagram account @relayforlifehvhs.



Live music provided by Tom Doiron, Jacob Moore, Emily Mifflin and Connor Campbell



Banana shenanigans with Niovi Roustas, Jon Crossman, Ellie Bidgood, Emma Benjamin and Emily Jackson



SRC Prez Josh Merrett takes on the slip 'n' slide. Brrrr.





(left) Relay kicks off with a survivor lap. Family and friends of Harbour View walk a victory lap first and then are joined by the rest of the Relay participants.

Bottom left:

Kaitlyn LeBlanc, Ellie Lomax, Kim Quinn, Taylor Genier, Kayla Curran

Bottom right: Mr. Butler gets a little rush of adrenaline.



Grace Comeau, Lynne Cormier, Julia McKinnon



## Grade 9 student participates in Art Battle

Submitted by A. Bordage (with thanks to Ms. Worden for the tip)



Zac Bordage recently completed in an Art Battle. This is a competition held in different cities around the globe. The winners from each division go on and compete for the main title. The contest itself consists of two 20 minute rounds in which the artists paint whatever comes to mind. The crowd then votes and the two top painters in each round move onto the final round. Zac was the youngest painter out of 12 competitors in the battle he competed in. In the end, Zac made it to the final round, and is very excited to compete once again next year.

Way to go, Zac!



By Jenny Burpee

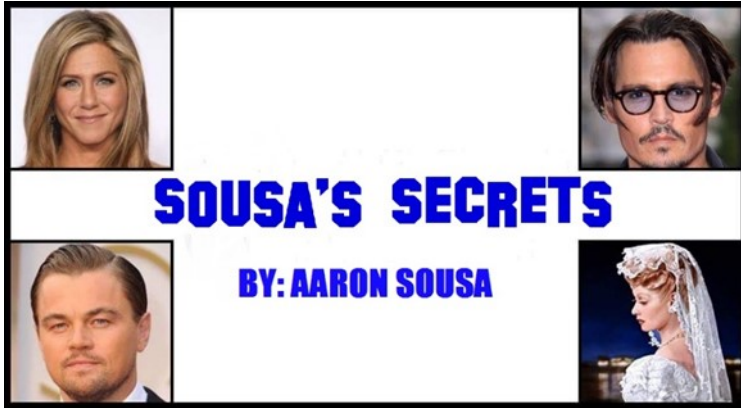
In the world of musical theatre there are a few musicals that absolutely everyone is familiar with. Whether you love it or hate it, you've heard at least one song. One of those musicals is *Wicked*. *Wicked* is the story of Glinda the Good and The Wicked Witch of the West from the classic musical *The Wizard of Oz*. In this story, The Wicked Witch, who is named Elphaba, and Glinda are roommates in college. They go on an adventure to the Emerald City to meet the wizard. It's a story of friendship, adventure, self love, and defying society's expectations.



*Wicked* is truly on my list of top ten musicals to see live before I die. I love the songs; there is not a single song that doesn't convey some sort of story or message. Songs that stand out above the rest include "The Wizard and I," "What is This Feeling?" "Popular," "For Good," "Dancing Through Life," and the truly iconic "Defying Gravity". If my words aren't enough to make you want to go see it, here's a statistic for you: on July 12th, 2018 *Wicked* passed legendary musical, *A Chorus Line* as the sixth-longest running show on Broadway with 6138 performances since opening October 30th, 2003.

I truly hope you get a chance to check out the cast recording of *Wicked*. It's one show I wouldn't miss out on.

Have a great month of May Vikings, and I'll see you next month.



Harbour View High School, can you believe that there's only one more month of school? That is bizarre! My grade 12 year has flown by way too fast! It won't be long until myself and the rest of my grad class will walk across the stage and turn over the tassels on our grad caps. I'm going to miss it here, friends. But I know that this is only the beginning and whatever I do in life, I'll always be a Viking. Now before I start crying, let's get to this month's news in Entertainment.

**Adele:** Big news out of Hollywood this month. According to Entertainment Tonight, Pop Songstress Adele has called it quits with her husband Simon Konecki. An emailed statement to The Associated Press confirmed their separation on

April 19th. The couple started dating in the summer of 2011 and just celebrated two years of marriage in March. Konecki is the CEO of Drop4Drop, which according to the organization's website, is a charity that prides itself on "alleviating the world's water crisis by funding sustainable clean water projects." Adele gave birth to their son Angelo in 2012 and according to their press release "They are committed to raising their son together lovingly. As always, they ask for privacy. There will be no further comment."

**Georgia Engel:** The actress behind the character Georgette Franklin Baxter on the hit TV show "The Mary Tyler Moore Show" has passed away this month according to a statement from long-time friend and executor John Quilty. Engel passed away on April 12th at her home in New Jersey near Princeton. The cause of death is unclear because Engel was a Christian Scientist and did not seek medical attention. According to CNN, her career was one that lasted for decades and started on Broadway where she debuted as an understudy in the original Broadway Production of "Hello Dolly," portraying naive hat clerk, Minnie Fay. In 1972, Engel landed a guest role on The Mary Tyler Moore Show as the ditzy girlfriend and later wife of pompous TV newsreader Ted Baxter. After the show was cancelled in 1977, she stayed out of the limelight for a while, returning only for a few small roles in movies and TV. Engel is being remembered by her colleagues via social media. Long-time friend and fellow actress Betty White took to Instagram to share a photo of herself and Engel with the caption "Friends Forever says it all." Engel is survived by her sisters Robin and Penny who say the funeral service will remain private. Engel was 70.



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**Motown 60:** The National Academy of Recording Arts celebrated "Hitsville U.S.A." last month in honour of the 60th anniversary of Motown. Motown 60: A Grammy Celebration aired on CBS on April 21st and featured performances from contemporary artists such as Tori Kelly, Pentatonix, Meghan Trainor and Little Big Town. Television audiences also heard Motown legends like Diana Ross, Smokey Robinson, Martha Reeves and Stevie Wonder. As of April 22nd, viewers took to Twitter to express their displeasure because the event excluded a tribute to The Jackson 5. According to the *Boston Free Press*, there were plans for J.Lo to honour the quintet, however, in light of the controversy around the latest Michael Jackson documentary *Leaving Neverland*, those plans were immediately scrapped. One Twitter user shared a photo of Jackson with the caption "He is legend, he is Motown." The moment of the night that viewers seemed to enjoy the most was Diana Ross with her musical love letter to Berry Gordy, the founder of the Motown record label. Blind musician Stevie Wonder closed out the show with his rendition of *Signed,*

*Sealed,*



*Delivered, I'm Yours.*



# VIKING SPORTS

By Ethan Higgins Watson

April was a fantastic month for the athletics at Harbour View High School! All of our teams have competed at a top level against their competitors and demonstrated plenty of talent on the courts and fields. The Viking athletes stayed persistent throughout April and worked hard on developing their skills. Each team had a variety of highlights to share!

The senior boys' volleyball team participated in two tournaments throughout April and also played a couple of regular season games. The team's first tournament was held in Fredericton and the boys faced off against three different high schools. Each team was very competitive and the Vikings did their best to stick with the opposition but unfortunately lost the

games. In the team's second tournament, held at Leo Hayes High School, a similar outcome presented itself to the team where they faced some very strong competition. The boys held their own with each team, but in the end, they could not out score their opponents. The team took this as learning experience and persisted on in their season. The boys are hoping to host Regionals this year, as they are currently ranked first in our region.

The junior boys' volleyball team finished their season during April. The guys played their hearts out every game and did their best to improve their skills all around. As the season progressed the boys developed their abilities and began to form as a team. Unfortunately, the team did not make it to Regionals this year, but there's always next year!

The senior girls' volleyball team has been playing a great season so far! They've continued to work hard during their practices and games. The girls' team has put a lot of effort into the technical aspect of their game by practicing proper placement for defence and coverage on offence. The girls' abilities and knowledge of the sport have absolutely improved since the beginning of the year and I'm sure it's advanced their game play drastically. Keep up the great work girls!

The junior girls' volleyball team had a wonderful season! It came to an end unfortunately as the girls did not qualify for Regionals, but they still had plenty of fun. The team played their last match against SJHS and lost, which was the defining factor that left the Vikings out of Regionals this season. However, at the tournament they attended in Rothesay, the girls finished second! Way to go team! Hopefully next year the Vikings will come back stronger than ever and go all the way to Provincials.

As the air gets warmer and the skies get brighter, our sports seasons have changed and multiple sports have started up during April. The rugby teams commenced their training and so has the rowing team. As their seasons progress, more events will come up for me to write about, so make sure to read the next issue of the Harbour Views to find out how all the athletes of Harbour View High School perform in the next month!



Back L-R: Kaylee Kilpatrick, Patty Black Spencer Randell, Owen Lohnes, Will Delaney, Colin Black, Gerry Bidgood, Ethan Higgins-Watson, Michael Delaney, Simon Lewien, Jason Kilpatrick

Kneeling L-R: Ryan Booth, Kaden Major, Michael Scott, Ethan Nysten, Luke Umar-Khitab, Jack Fury-Miller