

Cobequid Consolidated Elementary (Old Barns)

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We had a very exciting November. We had students cupstacking to enter the Guinness Book of World Records. The attempt was to have people stacking for 30 minutes across the globe. We were the only school in CCRSB participating. So congratulations to all our 181 participants. Thanks to everyone for visiting at Parent Teacher Interviews. At Parent Teacher Interviews, it was so great to have ongoing communication with parents to support our students together.

We will need some volunteers to help prepare vegetables and serve our turkey dinner. I think it is important that we all share a meal together so the school will pay for all students!

Thanks to all the volunteers who attended the Millbrook Culture and Heritage Centre trip. If you plan on attending a trip, please fill out a Volunteer package right away. Packages are available at the office.

Thanks to Will-Kare Paving for sponsoring the Halloween Fun Run. Our school had the most participants of any school, so we won \$150. The school added in more money, so the students decided to purchase equipment for the Omnikin balls and curling kits.

We appreciate the kindness in our community!

Merry Christmas! Have a safe and happy holiday!

Mrs. McInnis

Christmas Bazaar Donations Needed

It's never too early to look for Christmas Bazaar items. Our Gr. 5s host a Christmas shopping experience on Friday, December 15th for our students and we always need new or gently used items. If you are doing any Fall clean up in your house, please keep a box of treasures for our Christmas Bazaar. You can begin bringing in your items at Parent Teacher Interviews.



DECEMBER 2017

Music
Wednesdays & Fridays

Physical Education
Mondays & Thursdays

Popcorn Tues. & Thurs.

Dates to Remember:

- Nov. 29:** 4/5 & 5 Special Breakfast
- Nov. 30:** We Day trip.
- Dec. 1:** Parent/Teacher AM & PD in PM (NO SCHOOL)
- Dec. 5:** Mira Christmas Concert after lunch.
- Dec. 6:** 2, 2/3, 3/4 Special Breakfast
- Dec. 7:** Christmas Concert at CEC 6:30
- Dec. 9:** Breakfast with Santa
- Dec. 11:** We Club bake sale.
- Dec. 12:** Coles at Truro Mall 2:45
- Dec. 13:** P, P/1, 1 Special Breakfast
- Dec. 15:** Frisbee Presentation
- Dec. 15:** Christmas Store
- Dec. 18:** Clifton Agriculture Dinner
- Dec. 19:** Christmas Dinner Wear a tacky Christmas sweater.
- Dec. 21:** Musical Performance 9:45-10:30
- Dec. 22-Jan. 2:** Christmas Break
- Jan. 3:** School Resumes
- Jan. 3:** Special Performance- 12:45
- Jan. 9:** 6 pm Early French Immersion meeting
- Feb. 19:** Mona Louise Parsons Heritage Day
- March 10-18:** March Break
- March 23:** Assessment & Evaluation Day
- March 30:** Good Friday, NO SCHOOL
- April 2:** Easter Monday, NO SCHOOL
- April 18:** Parent Teacher Interviews
- April 20:** PD/Parent Teacher Interviews
- May 18:** PD Day
- May 21:** Victoria Day, NO SCHOOL
- June 27:** Last Day for Students
- June 29:** Report Card Day



CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Our annual Christmas concert will be held on December 7th. Teachers arrive at 6p.m. Doors open at 6:10 Please stay in the foyer until 6:15. Arrival time 6:15 in designated classrooms 6:30 start. Please plan to stay for the entire concert, we need a good audience. We expect the concert to be complete in about 45 minutes. The PTG will be selling 50/50 tickets. Student Pick-up at end of concert: Please pick up your children in the classrooms where they were dropped off before the concert. As a safety precaution, we would ask that you sign them out before leaving. We thank you in advance for your cooperation!

- Thanks to the Firemenettes for their generous breakfast donation. We will use it to provide a special breakfast for each grade.
- Welcome to our newest volunteer Mavis Gordon. Mrs. Gordon volunteers in various classes on Wednesday.
- Thanks to Cst. Lori who donated some New Balance sneakers to the school.
- Thanks to Cst. Lori for the Restorative Justice donations for the breakfast program.
- Our Grade 4's and 5's made Christmas pictures for distribution at check stops during December National Impaired Driving Awareness Day using the theme "Think of me, my family and your's this Christmas holiday season.
- Our Grade 2's and 3's are participating in the World Junior A Hockey Coloring Program. Their pictures will be on display December 10-16 at the Rath Eastlink Community.
- We are going to the Mira Nursing Home to entertain and perform a practice Christmas Concert.
- Our Grade 4 & 5's We Club members are inspired to be positive agents of social change. They are having a bake sale on December 11 at recess. Please send a loonie to support the student's bake sale.
- Please join us at 2:45pm at Cole's in the Truro Mall to pick out library books for our school library from the adopt a School program.
- Thanks to the Clifton Federation of Agriculture for lending us their tables so we can all eat Christmas Dinner on December 19.



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Come join us on Saturday, December 9th

8:30-10:30 a.m.

Pancakes and Ham

\$5 / person

Free Photo with Santa from **9-10 AM.**

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!!

Did You Know?

- ◆ The RECC centre has skates and helmets for loan if you ever want to attend a free family skate.
- ◆ Snowshoes are available to borrow. There is a deposit that will be refunded. (The county of Colchester and Bible Hill both have)
- ◆ The town of Truro has cross county skis to borrow for free

WEATHER

Please dress your child for the weather. We intend to go outside for recess and lunch everyday unless it is colder than -18, raining heavily, or there is lightning. Also teachers may chose to go outside for learning activities. You may wish to send an extra change of clothes if your child plays near the mud.

Have you seen our website www.cce.ccrsb.ca