

VERNON RIVER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL
Parent Newsletter #10
Monday, January 8th, 2018
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David Wood, Principal

Sandra Walker, Vice-Principal

Welcome Back:

We would like to welcome everyone back – we hope you all had a wonderful holiday season and wish all students and their families a Happy and Prosperous New Year!

Student of the Month

Awards for December:

Congratulations to the following students who received student of the month awards for December:



Gracie Dougan
Julianna Naddy
Ada Bruce
Abigail MacKinnon
Liam Dijkema
Beckett Campbell
Aislyn Trainor
Tanner Anderson
Bridget Whalen

Reagan Ford
Cameron Myers
Rebecca Pirch
Albert Martens
Whitney Campbell
Athletes – Gaby Sioen
Dylan MacLean
Music – Anneka Kouwenberg
Band – Kalan Bastedo
French – Gaby Sioen

November Awards:
Tyler Delodder
Band - Karisa Quinn

January 2018 Calendar:

The January calendar is attached.

Morning Sports:

Morning sports will continue on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 8:00 am, beginning January 9th.



Home and School Meeting:

The next Home and School meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 25th at 7:00 pm.

Student of the Month

Assembly for January:

Student of the month assembly for January will be held on Friday, January 26th at 2:15 p.m.

"Sports Theme Day": Friday, January 26th will be "Sports Theme Day". Any donation you can make to this grade 9 end of year fundraiser would be greatly appreciated...thank you!

TCAP – Kid Fit Program:

TCAP is pleased to announce a new session of **Kid Fit** starting January 9th at 3:30 pm. Kid Fit is a fun, active program where children will play games, sports,

or engage in age appropriate fitness activities. Best of all – it's FREE thanks to the support of Eastern Region Sport and Recreation Council. Sessions will run Tuesday and Thursday from 3:30-4:30 pm for 6 weeks. For ages 5-10. For additional information please contact Stephanie MacLean at TCAP by calling (902) 838-3429 or by email at tcapwellness@gmail.com.

From the PEI Home and School Federation:
Home and School News Update, January 2018

1. 2018 Extra Mile Awards

Nominate a school staff person (i.e. teacher, education/admin. assistant, custodian) for the PEI Home and School Federation's *Extra Mile Award*. Submission deadline is: January 12, 2018. More details are online at: <http://peihsf.ca/extramile>

2. Resolutions: Affecting Change in PEI's Education System

Resolutions submission deadline is January 31, 2018 for issues to be considered at the 65th Annual Meeting & Convention on April 8th, 2018. Assistance with writing resolutions is available. Contact the Federation office at (902) 620-3186 / 1-800-916-0664 / peihsf@edu.pe.ca

3. 2018 Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week

Teacher-Staff Appreciation Week will be celebrated February 12 - 16, 2018. Home and schools are encouraged to find ways of saying thank you to all staff members for the contributions they make to the lives of our children during this week.

4. President's Reports

Presidents of Home and School Associations are asked to submit a one page annual report outlining your local Home and School Association's activities for the 2017-2018 school year. These reports are inserted into the Annual Book of Reports. If you have questions and/or need assistance, contact the Federation office at: 620-3186 / 1-800-916-0664. Please send your report to us at: peihsf@edu.pe.ca by February 28, 2018.

5. Save the date for Annual Meeting & Convention

The P.E.I. Home and School Federation will hold its **65th Annual Meeting & Convention** on **Saturday, April 14, 2018**. All Home and Schoolers are invited to attend with each association asked to designate five attendees as your school's voting delegates. You are encouraged to include teachers, administrators and staff as delegates.

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EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION AWARD 2018 (CLOSES APRIL 30, 2018): Education 20/20 Inc.

is offering an Excellence in Education Award in the amount of **\$2,500** for the purpose of supporting and encouraging a quality education for Prince Edward Islanders. More at: <http://education2020.ca/>

