



Beautiful Plains School Division

Carberry Collegiate

Grades 5–8 Newsletter

November 2011

Student Led Conferences

November 23–25 are the dates set for grades 5 to 8 conferences. Watch for information coming home closer to the dates. Please contact the school office by November 16 if you would like to request a specific time for your conference.

Book Fair a Success!

A huge "thank you" to all that attended and volunteered to make the book fair a success. Approximately \$1000 of Scholastic credit is available for our school!

Contest winners were as follows:

Guess the Reading Star — There were 16/20 correct guesses. Congratulations to Taylor H. and Caitlin M. from class 5R!

Family Draw—Chandler (5/6J)

Guess How Many Pages: 5-8 Livia (5R)
9-12 Brian P.

Guess How Many Chocolate Bars: Jory (5R)

A special thanks to **parent volunteers:** Kim Baron, Kim Adriaansen, Diane Schneider, Katherine Maendel, Sharon Biehn, Candis Olmstead, and Cathy Drayson. Lastly, thanks to **staff volunteers:** Mrs. Fehr, Miss Gawaziuk and **student:** Samantha Van Damme

Snow Way Out!

Grade 5 and 6's along with their teachers, proudly present Snow Way Out on Dec. 14th at **7:00** pm. This mini-musical will be a wonderful way to celebrate the winter

Upcoming Dates:

Nov. 4

Picture Retakes at R.J. Waugh at 10:30

Nov. 9

Remembrance Day Service

Nov. 10 & 11

No school

Nov. 12

Career Trek Starts

Nov. 23th

We Day—Grade 8's

Nov 23 & 24

Student led conferences

Nov 25

No School for grades 5—8

Dec. 13

Grade 7-12 Band Concert

Dec. 14

Grades 5 & 6 Snow Way Out!

Dec. 15th

Grades 7-12 Dance

Reminder:

- ⇒ Please use the crosswalk located at the north end of the bus loop when buses are loading or unloading students. Thanks for your cooperation!
- ⇒ Please remind your child to check the weather outdoors and dress accordingly. The cold weather is coming!
- ⇒ Students must change their shoes upon the arrival of snow. Please ensure your child has 2 pairs. Indoor shoes must be worn at all times.



On November 23rd, youth from across Canada come together to be inspired by well known speakers that motivate youth to make

change in their local communities and world wide. The focus is to educate awareness regarding social justice issues. The first activity the Grade's 8 participated in was the "Halloween for Hunger" campaign which entailed collecting non-perishable food from families in Carberry. The students collected over 600 pounds of food!

The next activity will be the sale of Rafiki Friend Necklaces to support the drought in Africa. Watch for more information coming home.

Remembrance Day Service



Our students and staff will observe Remembrance Day on Wednesday, November 9 at 11:00am. Parents and community members are welcome to join us for this service.

L'Histoire en Action

Our French classes are buzzing. All classes have started their next story in our AIM program. It is impressive how quickly students have progressed to reach this point using the gestured approach. The goal is ensure students are transferring their new vocabulary into their spontaneous speech.

We welcome Madame Sul into our grade 6 and 8 French classes. She is completing a francophone unit with the grade 8's.

Students will have the opportunity to experience a Francoconnexion session organized by Madame Sul and Madame Robinson on Nov.16th.

Soccer Summit

On October 11, 2011 at the Carberry Ball Park grade 7 and 8 students from Carberry, Neepawa and Brookdale participated in the annual Soccer Summit. Students were divided into teams, a mixture of each town and grade. Each team played two games throughout the day. After the travelling teams departed, Carberry students played against each other. Overall, the Soccer Summit was a hit! Everyone had lots of fun and can't wait until next year.

Amy and Tess (class 8W)

Quebec Trip May 2013

Thank-you to grade 8 parents/guardians who attended the Quebec trip meeting. For those students who have already enrolled, this will be a memorable cultural experience for you.

For those students that are proficient and continuing on to grade 9 French next year, please visit www.efours.ca/student or call 1-800-263-2806 to enroll. You may also visit Mrs. Robinson's website and follow the links.

Junior High Volleyball Report

Our Junior High Boys and Girls have been busy practicing their volleyball skills and are now ready for some games. Good luck! Go Cougars!

Home Games:

November 15th @ 4:30 - 6:30 vs. Neepawa (boys)

November 21st @ 4:30 - 6:30 vs. Douglas (girls are playing, too)

Away Games:

November 17th @ 4:30 - 6:30 @ Douglas (boys)

November 29@ 4:30-6:30 @ Douglas (girls)

Addictions Foundation of Manitoba Presentation

The AFM presents **The Parent Information Program**. It is an education and therapeutic program designed to help support parents with their adolescent's use of alcohol or other drugs and to better equip parents to deal with this issue. The program will be 4 consecutive Wednesday evenings (7-9pm).

Sessions are scheduled for Nov.2,9,16 and 23rd and are held at 510 Frederick Street in Brandon. This programs runs biannually every year in November and April. For more information call Tessa Small at 523-4696 ext 238.

Thank you to..

- Ms. Clark for organizing the Book Fair
- the Grades 5-8 for doing their part to help create a positive school climate
- the teachers for organizing a fun Halloween afternoon
- Mrs. Jordan, Mr. Robson, and Mr. White for coaching the junior high volleyball teams
- Community members for supporting Halloween for Hunger

November 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 Remembrance Day Program 11:00	10 No School	11 No School	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 Milt Stegall Guest speaker	19
20	21	22	23 WE Day Student Led Conferences	24 Student Led Conferences	25 No School	26
27	28	29	30			