

VERNON RIVER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL
Parent Newsletter #14
Tuesday, April 16th, 2024
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Dave Wood, Principal

Lori Targett, Vice-Principal

Staffing Update: Kerry MacPhee, day custodian at Vernon River Consolidated School, has accepted a permanent position at Southern Kings Consolidated School, effective April 16th. We wish Kerry all the best in his new position, and thank him for his dedication and hard work!

We would like to welcome Ryan Wilkie to the day custodian position at VRCS from April 16, 2024 to February 28, 2025. Shannon Harding-Walker will return from her maternity leave at that time.



Student of the Month Awards for

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

Evan MacLeod
Jake McCabe
Dilreet Kaur
Marcus Mercado
Jacob Johnston
Emelyn Kenny
Kyaira Chappell
Jack Doyle
Nicolas MacPherson
Ezekiel Tinton
Sadie White
Nate Campbell
Jaani Singh
Griffin Winegarden
Kase Enman
Riley Kelly
Jessica Murphy
Robert Morrison
Carlie Dixon
Marley McDougall

Beckett Campbell
Phys Ed. – Wyatt Corrigan, Griffin Winegarden
French – Brooklyn Compton
Music – Mason Doughart, Chevelle O’Brien
Band – Ali Kenny

February Awards:

Jacob Beamish, Hudson MacKinnon,
Jaxon Martens, Korbin Meston

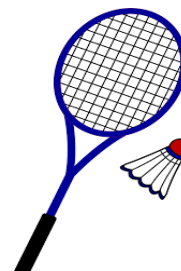


Futsal Tournament/UN's World Water

Day Fundraiser: Well done to all classes for their fantastic fundraising in the Global Leadership Project. Together, we raised \$909.91. This money will be used to build water systems in Ghana. The ice cream party goes to both grade 2 and grade 4 who raised \$222.00 each!

Badminton Competition: Well done to all athletes who competed in the Zone 4 Badminton Meets this month, you were wonderful representatives of our school! Congrats to Gracie Dougan, Jessica Murphy, Leif White, Finn Watts, Ada Bruce, Aivah Douse, Beckett Campbell and Jack Bastedo who all moved on to the Zone 4 finals.

If you have any VRCS jerseys used during sports or extracurricular events, please return them to the office as soon as possible so we can have them ready for the next round of competitions.



Provincial Science Fair:

Congratulations to Emma McQuillan and Molly Visser who represented VRCS at the Provincial Science Fair. Molly received an Honorable Mention in the Grade 9/10 division and Emma received a special award for an outstanding project in the field of chemistry from the Chemical Institute of Canada. Well done, ladies!

No Classes: Parents are reminded there will be no classes on Friday, April 19th (Professional Learning Day) and Friday, May 3rd (Area Association Annual Meeting).



Welcome To Kindergarten: Children starting kindergarten in September 2024 and their parents are invited to the Welcome to Kindergarten event on **Friday, April 19th, 2024 from 4:15 – 5:15pm** at Vernon River School.



Theme Days/Spring Bake Sale: The following fundraisers are scheduled for the week of April 22nd, with proceeds going towards the grade 9 end of year activities:

- April 22nd – Hawaii Day
- April 23rd – Hat Day
- April 24th – Neon Day
- April 25th – Anything But a Backpack Day
- April 26th – School Spirit Day – Wear School Colors

Participation in theme days is by donation, any amount you can give will be greatly appreciated!

Bake Sale - On Tuesday, April 23rd the grade 9 class will also be holding a bake sale.



Thank you for supporting the grade 9 class in their fundraising efforts!

Easter Seals Ambassador Visit: Lucie Gallant, PEI’s 2024 Easter Seals Ambassador, will visit Vernon River School on Thursday, April 25th at 8:50am. Lucie is ten years old and is a grade 5 student at Ecole-sur-Mer in Summerside. Lucie’s

motto is “with a positive mind you can do extraordinary things”.

Students are asked to please bring in a toonie to donate to the Easter Seals campaign – thank you for your support!

Grade 6 HPV Immunization: Grade 6 students will receive their second HPV vaccination on Friday, April 26th at 9:00am. Parents completed the consent forms for the HPV immunization last fall.

Student of the Month Assembly for April: Student of the month assembly for April will be held on Friday, April 26th at 2:15pm.

