

Englewood Home and School Newsletter March 2024



Home & School Association Purchase Update → The Home & School Association has recently created a new accountability policy that says that purchases over \$250 made by the Home & School will be voted on at our monthly meetings. In early February, Bob (one of our school custodians) came to us and asked if we'd be willing to purchase a new storage bin for the school. The Englewood crazy carpets (that are used for sledding on the playground hills) were stored in a wooden storage bin that was starting to rot. At our Home & School meeting in February we voted, and the result was unanimously in favour of purchasing the bin. Thank you Bob for your hard work and keen eye!



PEIHSF Annual General Meeting → The PEI Home and School Federation's Annual General Meeting is on Saturday, April 13th from 8:45am-1:30pm at the Rodd in Charlottetown. The cost is \$40 and will be covered by Englewood Home & School Association. If you're interested in attending please let Rachael know by Thursday, March 21st, by emailing rachael.englewoodhomeandschool@gmail.com.



April Quilt & Slipper Raffle → Last year Joanne Smith generously donated a handmade quilt and a basket of homemade slippers for a raffle for our playground fundraiser. We raised more than enough for the playground, so we're holding the raffle for the month of April to raise money for an FM system for one of the Grade 4-6 classrooms. Tickets will be \$2 each or 3/\$5, and will be on sale starting April 2nd. Books of ten will be available in the office. A limited number of tickets will be sold and the draw will be held on April 30th!

MPI School Age March Break Camp → *Friday March 22 & Monday March 25 to Thursday March 28, 2024.* MPI will be offering a March Break Camp Week. There are still spaces available! Contact Rose for more information (see contact info to the right). The theme of the week is, "MPI Travels the World". Each day of the week will maintain its usual daily theme with a specific focus on exploring countries around the world:



Messy Madness Monday: Arts and Crafts of the World
Twisted Technology Tuesday: Virtual Tours of the World
Witty World Wednesday: World Cultural Traditions
Tactful Thrills Thursday: Games of the World
Foo-delicious Fun Friday: Taste the World

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COSPEI Gold Rush → Since January we have raised \$1,665 for the Home & School through this online fundraiser! The weekly pots are getting larger as more schools are joining, which means it's important to sign up for AutoPay so you don't miss a week! You can participate for as little as \$5 per week, and you can purchase up to 4 sets of numbers (so maximum of \$20 per week). Please feel free to tell family and friends about the draws; however you have to be in PEI at the time of the draw to win. If you don't sign up for AutoPay make sure you set your reminder alarms for every Tuesday at 1pm.

Upcoming Dates:

Weds. Mar. 20th:

- Sock Hop Grades K-3 Big Recess
- Stations Indoors

Thurs. Mar. 21st:

- Skate K-3 (9AM-10AM) 4-9 (10AM-11AM)
- PEI School Food orders due (noon)
- Sock Hop Grades 4-6 Big Recess
- ENGLEWOOD'S GOT TALENT SHOW (Parents Welcome)

Fri. Mar. 22nd: First Day of March Break (No School)

Tues. Mar. 26th: COSPEI draw, 1pm

Fri. Mar. 29th: Good Friday, No School

Sun. Mar. 31st: Milk Orders due by 11pm

Mon. Apr. 1st: Easter Monday, No School

Tues. Apr. 2nd: First Day Back (School on!)

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