



Library News

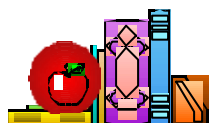
By Sharon Patry

Halloween storytelling was a huge success.

Teachers and students alike enjoyed the day.

Book Draw winners for November:

Michelle Still - 2Sullivan
Catena Figliuzzi -
4Richardson



Wigglesworth the Bookworm is set to make an appearance at Terry Fox School. He will be visiting to confirm a rumour that has spread through the library grapevine. The rumour is that Terry Fox kids **LOVE TO READ.**

All the students need to do to help is write their name, and the title and author of the book they read on a section of

Wigglesworth's tail (available from your teacher or in the library), then just cut it out and

place it in the "Wigglesworth Box" in the library. Then be on the look out and watch Wigglesworth grow.

We would really like to thank Kedre Browne for sharing his artistic talent with us and helping to make Wigglesworth come to life. His hard work was greatly appreciated.



Dates to Remember

- Dec. 4th 7 :00 pm Governing Board meeting
- Dec 5th 7 :00 pm Daycare Committee meeting
- Dec 6th 7 :15 pm PPO meeting
- Dec 8th Ped Day
- Dec 11th The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe
- Dec 14th Festival of lights
- Dec 17th Caroling
- Dec 18th Pizza Day
- Dec 22nd Kids go home at 12 :55 pm

Principal's Corner

A message from Mr. B

I am pleased to announce that the ventilation system will be installed and functioning by Friday, December the 8th. We will be conducting air quality tests in January to make sure the ventilation system is working properly.

Next Friday, December 8th is a school level ped. day please keep your children at home. Our daycare will be opened next Friday for parents who wish to use this service/

I've ordered walkie talkies for the daycare staff with a view of improving security in the school after hours. Starting in January daycare parents will only be allowed to pick up the daycare kids from the London Drive entrance. The parents will no longer have to go around the school looking for their children.

Also please note that on Friday, Decembert 22nd school will end at 12:55. Consequently there will not be lunchtime busing. Make sure that ALL children bring a lunch to school on that day and that there is someone at home to meet them when they arrive. Our daycare will remain open as usual until 6:30.

A Peek into the Classroom

A look at what goes on inside the class

Mme Martine's Grade 2

Les classes de deuxième année ont participé à des élections très « politiquement correctes ». En effet, 3 équipes de la classe de Mme Martine ont préparé et fait une campagne électorale représentant 3 candidats (Roboto, Coco et Samuel). Une quatrième équipe s'occupait de la préparation, de l'organisation, du bureau de scrutin ainsi que du décompte. Les trois classes de deuxième année ont voté selon le même processus établi pour les élections gouvernementales. Comme dans toutes les bonnes élections, la démocratie a élu **Roboto** comme étant le copain préféré.

Grade 5

Grade 5 students have been working on the theme of RESPECT and what it means to us and the world around us. To help with our understanding of this so important area, we wrote

and performed a number of skits involving cooperation, listening, being kind, helpful and polite to each other (what we consider the five most important areas of respect). To help guide us through this so important life-topic, we have enlisted the help of Mr. Gerry Turpin and Mrs. Gail Day from Parentaide.

Christmas Baskets for the Needy

With the holiday season approaching the students and staff will be preparing Christmas baskets for the needy. They hope to be able to help ten families this year with their efforts, your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

The Festival of Lights

This year the students will be participating in a Festival of Lights. This celebration will include: Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, Diwali and Ramadan. This celebration will take place on Dec. 14th, at 9:00 am and again at 10:15 am, and the parents are welcome to attend.

Outreach into the Community

With the help of our pastoral animator Theresa Bigland, the students in grades 4-6 will be creating cards and decorations to help share their Christmas spirit with the residents of McMaster House, a seniors residence in the area. The cards and decorations will be hand delivered by a few of the grade 6 students. I'm sure that their efforts will be greatly appreciated.



- The Mlle Lionetti's grade 3's did a terrific job creating 2 beautiful quilts.
- As tu vu les chevaux berçants de la classe à Mme Royal (2)? C'est très beau les amis.
- The Terry Fox web site: <http://pages.infinit.net/sambl/>

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