

Featherston Drive Public School Weekly News for May 12, 2017

*** A weekly update of news and events for the Featherston Drive Public School Community***

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Featherston Spring Fair - Saturday, May 13, 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

P.A. Day (No School For Students) - Friday, May 19

Victoria Day (No School For Students) - Monday, May 22

E.Q.A.O. Assessment for Grade 3 and 6 Students - Wednesday, May 31 - Friday, June 2

P.A. Day (No School For Students) - Friday, June 9

Featherston School Council (All Parents Welcome) - Wednesday, June 14 - 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

FEATHERSTON SPRING FAIR

The **Featherston Community Spring Fair and Art Exhibition** is **TOMORROW (SATURDAY, MAY 13)** from **10:00 AM - 3:00 PM**.

Bring your Family, invite your neighbors to enjoy beautiful displays of **student artwork**, admire works of **local artisans**, tasty treats from our **bake sale, cake walk** and **BBQ**. You may also take part in our **cricket demonstration** on our own school grounds, **indoor bowling** and **games** for our children, an **E-Waste Depot** and much more!

FEATHERSTON T-SHIRTS will be available for sale. Try on samples to find your size, or order with the attached form. Send your online order to georgeinwalesby@hotmail.com

This event is sure to be a fantastic exhibition of Featherston school spirit, a collaboration of students, teachers, parents and community members. All parents are welcome to participate! Volunteers wanted, please contact Becky Staniforth, Council Chairperson at jakeyscarf@gmail.com

DONATIONS NEEDED - Our Spring Fair on May 13 will also include a **silent auction**. It is not too late to bring in donation of gift certificates, gift baskets, new items, services (i.e. landscaping, car detailing, etc.). If you have an item to donate, please contact Becky Staniforth at jakeyscarf@gmail.com or bring the item before 10:00 AM Saturday AM.

BAKED GOODS NEEDED - Parents are invited to bring baked goods for the bake sale, or cakes for the cake walk. Baked good or cakes may be brought to the small gym at 10:00 AM.

Are you Moving?

Please let the school know if are moving to help us plan for next year. Thank you!

JUNIOR BASKETBALL NEWS

On Thursday, May 11, our Grade 4 - 6 Boys Basketball Team finished first in their pool and third overall in their regional tournament at Canterbury High School. The format this year involved simultaneous three-on-three games played among the Grade 4, 5, and 6 boys. The boys demonstrated good sportsmanship, encouraged each other, and were excellent representatives of Featherston School. Congratulations boys on your performance, and many thanks to Mr. Eshleman for your dedicated coaching.

STUDENT-TEACHER BASKETBALL GAME

On Monday, May 8, the Featherston Athletic Council organized a student-teacher basketball game. Students in the Grade 7 / 8 Boys and Girls Basketball Teams faced off against the All-Star Teacher team, featuring the talents of Ms. Laurie, Mme Davies, Mr. Loucks, Mr. Papineau-Wright, Mme Tiernay, Mme Lillico, Mr. Cogan, Ms Lovett and special guest Hannah. Mr. Eshleman was our referee and Mr. Janna our sports announcer. The students entered with high-hopes of a victory, but the teacher team won by a few extra baskets. The students were catching up as the teachers were starting to run of steam. The students spectators cheered loudly for both sides. Most importantly, this event served as a fundraiser for the Featherston Athletic Council, to raise funds to support the athletic program at Featherston.