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Perth Andover Fundraiser - ZUMBATOMIC

As part of our ongoing fundraising initiatives for Perth Andover, we will be holding a Zumbatomic night at Gretna Green on **Monday, May 7th from 6:00-7:00 p.m.** in the school gym. Zumbatomic is a kid-friendly class that is great fun and exercise for the entire family. The cost is \$5.00 per person and children must be accompanied by an adult as there will be a waiver form to sign for children under 16. Bring your family, friends and neighbours. Erica Fitpatrick, a local Zumba instructor and Gretna Green mom, has volunteered her time to help us raise funds for Perth Andover. Thank you Erica!!

So far, our school has raised \$550.00 for Perth Andover by holding Hat Day, Face Painting Day and Cowboy/Cowgirl Day last week for the students and staff. Thank you for supporting this worthy cause.

Provincial & District Assessments

Our provincial and district assessments are coming up in May and June. Please make every effort to have your children at school during this time. Please notify the school if your child is sick or unable to attend school during the assessment period. Here are the dates:

- Grade 4** District Science Assessment - May 7- May 9
- Grade 2** Provincial Literacy Assessment - May 24-May 31
- Grade 3** Provincial Math Assessment - May 24 - May 31
- Grade 4** Provincial Literacy Assessment - May 24 - May 31
- Grade 5** Provincial Math Assessment - May 24 - May 31
- Grade 4** District Math Assessment - June 4 - June 8



Bullying Presentation

On Thursday, May 10th, Dr. Paul Behnke will be here to present his show, focused on bullying, "The Bully & The Purple Pants" to our students.

Rotary Club Turnaround Achievement Award.



This year's Rotary Club Turnaround Achievement Awards ceremony will be held on Thursday, May 17th at 6:00 p.m. at the Rodd. This year's recipient from Gretna Green is **Cassidy Savoie** in Mrs. Hosford's grade 4 class. We are very proud of Cassidy and all that she has accomplished.

Kin Film Festival



category.

The Miramichi Kinsmen and School District 16 are pleased to accept film entries for the first annual Kin Film Festival. All School District 16 students are invited to participate. Films can be submitted in one of two categories: Open and The Kinsmen Category. The top 10 films in each category will be screened on Saturday, May 12th, at Miramichi Empire Studio 5 from 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Cash prizes of \$500, \$250 and \$100 will be awarded for the winners in each

Gretna Green Sports

Grade 5 Girls & Boys Volleyball will be starting on Thursday, May 10 from 2:30-3:30 p.m. Mrs. Morehouse will be coaching the students this year. Please make sure your child is picked up at the school by 3:30.

Grade 5 Archery is well underway under the supervision of Mr. Ryan. Students are having a great time. Mr. Ryan has been keeping a bulletin board outside the gym doors with pictures of students who've hit the bull's eye!

Home & School Meeting

The Home & School will be holding a meeting on Tuesday, May 15th at 6:30 p.m. in the Media Room. **Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.**

PSSC

The PSSC will be having a meeting on Wednesday, May 30th at 6:30 p.m. in the Library.

Important Dates to Remember

Thursday, May 3rd - NO SCHOOL - NBTA AGM & PD

Friday, May 4th - NO SCHOOL - Subject Council

Saturday, May 12th - Kin Film Festival

Sunday, May 13th - Mother's Day ☺

Wednesday, May 15th - Home & School Meeting 6:30 pm

Thursday, May 17th - Rotary Turnaround Achievement Awards at the Rodd 6:00 pm

Monday, May 21st - NO SCHOOL - Victoria Day

Wednesday, May 30th - PSSC Meeting 6:30 p.m.



******Shining Stars******

The following students were sent to the office during the month of April on
Positive Referrals:

Colton Allison, Cole Donnelly and Sydnee Gallant

The following students also need to be recognized for their selfless acts:

- Jordan Rupke for donating his birthday money to the Perth Andover Fundraiser
- Eden Maltby for recycling bottles and donating the money to our breakfast program
- The Kennedy family for their very generous donation to the Perth Andover Fundraiser

Remember to check out our website for updates, notices, class pages, calendars, newsletters and daily announcements!

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