

MADOC PUBLIC and MADOC TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

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Mrs. Barry's Message

Newsletter-Administrator's Message

Welcome Back! We are excited to begin the 2011-2012 school year and look forward to working with both Madoc Public School and Madoc Township Public School staff, students, parents and community members! We hope everyone enjoyed a safe, fun and relaxing summer vacation. You will usually find Mr. Derek Potts (Vice-Principal) at MTPS in the morning and Mrs. Joanne Barry (Principal) can usually be found at MPS. You are welcome to contact either school if you need to speak to an administrator.

At **MPS** you will notice that our **junior/intermediate playground equipment had a makeover** this summer. Thank you to the staff and community volunteers who spent a hot day scraping and painting. In the spring two of our portables will be removed from the yard as well.

At MTPS we are celebrating our 50th Anniversary on Thanksgiving weekend. (Saturday October 8th, 2011 from 10-5pm with Official Ceremonies at 1pm and Sunday October 9th Open House from 10am-1:00pm) We are still looking for old photos and will be at the Madoc Agricultural Fair selling commemorative items including a book about our history, a calendar, and other items.

Parents are reminded that students are **not to be dropped off at school** prior to our supervision being on the school yard. **Supervision starts on our yard at 7:45**. All students that are late must sign in at the main office. Please call the school and let us know when your child is going to be late or absent.

You will have an opportunity to meet the staff and tour your child's school at our annual Meet the Teacher evening at MTPS on the 21st and at MPS on the 22nd). We look forward to seeing everyone.

If you are interested in becoming involved in your child's school, we encourage you to consider joining School Council. School Council members are an advisory body for the Administration and get involved in many important decisions and fundraisers. Elections will be held for **MTPS parents on September 26th and for MPS parents on September 27th**. Both meetings will be held in the library at each school and will begin at **6pm**. We always welcome new members to Council and have many ways parents and community members can get involved in their community school.

We need and welcome parent and community volunteers at both schools. You must have a police check completed and are encouraged to complete this process early in the year if you hope to join your child on a class trip. Volunteers are need in Breakfast Club, Food Days, Pediculosis checks, in the library re-shelving books, and for many fundraising and spirit days events. Please fill out the Volunteer Application Form and let the office or your child's teacher know if you, another family member or community member wish to get involved.

We look forward to a great year together!

Joanne Barry
Principal

Derek Potts
Vice-Principal

HEALTH & SAFETY

Hey Moms and Dads:

Is your little one starting school, or entering a new school? Please remember to bring a copy of your child's immunization record to the school, when you register.

Immunization Record
Fiche d'immunisation

Name
Nom

Date of Birth
Date de naissance

Ontario Health Card Number
Numero de carte Sante de l'Ontario

Ontario Ministry of Health
Ministere de la Sante

Immunization Record
Fiche d'immunisation

Publicly Funded Routine
Immunization Schedule for Ontario /
Calendrier de vaccination
systematique publique en Ontario

| Immunization / Vaccination | Age / Tranche d'age | When to get / Quand faire | Where to get / Où faire |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Diphtheria / Difterie | 4-6 months / 4-6 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| Pertussis / Coqueluche | 2, 4, 6 months / 2, 4, 6 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| Polio / Polio | 2, 4, 6 months / 2, 4, 6 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMR / MMR | 12-23 months / 12-23 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMRV / MMRV | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMRV2 / MMRV2 | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMRV3 / MMRV3 | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMRV4 / MMRV4 | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMRV5 / MMRV5 | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMRV6 / MMRV6 | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMRV7 / MMRV7 | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
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| MMRV49 / MMRV49 | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |
| MMRV50 / MMRV50 | 18-24 months / 18-24 mois | ✓ | ✓ |

**REMEMBER,
VACCINES ARE
MANDATORY
FOR YOUR
CHILD TO STAY
IN SCHOOL.**

If your child is in need of an immunization, visit the health unit website at www.yourhealthunit.ca for clinic times and locations, or call the health unit at 613-966-5513 ext. 221.

Health Unit



Hastings &
Prince Edward Counties

Food Allergies at M. P. S.



This year we have children at Madoc Public School with severe peanut allergies and serious egg allergies. A child with a serious food allergy can suffer a reaction merely by touching a food containing eggs or peanuts or products made from these foods.

School boards now have policies and procedures to meet the needs of children with these food allergies. For example, when a student has a peanut or nut allergy, the school asks all parents not to send peanuts or nuts from home or students in specific classrooms where the allergy exists are asked not to bring foods made with eggs (for example). It is very important that the whole school community, including teachers, parents and other children, understand the risks and help allergic children avoid a life-threatening reaction.

News Release: O.P.P

Back to School

Once again it is time for students to head back to school and for motorists to be on the lookout for school buses and students. The public is reminded that every driver while on a highway while meeting a stopped school bus that has its overhead red signal-lights flashing shall stop before reaching the bus and shall not proceed until the bus moves or the overhead red signal-lights have stopped flashing (Section 175(11) of the Highway Traffic Act).

Many of our children walk to school and motorists should also be aware of the increased pedestrian traffic around our local schools, as children make their way for their first exciting day(s). Reduce your speed in school zones and be extra cautious.

Let's make it safe for our children!

PC Terry Briard, Community Services Officer, 613-473-4234

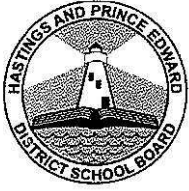
DROP OFF & PICK UP



Whether it is in the morning at 8:10 or at 2:30 p.m., these are the busiest times of the day! In order to cause the least amount of confusion and congestion in the halls, please:

- Drop off and pick up students **ONLY** at the office.
- ALWAYS send a note or call the school if you are picking up student(s).
- If you have forgotten to send a note or to call, please arrive a few minutes early so students can be notified of pick up before bus time.
- If someone **OTHER THAN** a parent/guardian is picking up your child, always notify the school office with a note or we may not be able to allow the pick up to occur. **In order to ensure your child's safety we will no longer accept verbal consent in this matter.**
- (School Fax # 613-473-1274)

HEALTH & SAFETY



Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board

A Great Place to Learn and A Great Place to Work!

Dwayne Inch, Chair of the Board

Rob McGall, Director of Education

September, 2011

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board (HPEDSB) is committed to providing safe learning environments for students, staff, school visitors and community members. Principals consider a range of progressive discipline options to address inappropriate student behaviour and help students learn from their choices.

When student behaviours pose a potential threat to safety, the HPEDSB/Community Threat Assessment Protocol (CTAP) provides an additional method to support Principals. Examples of behaviours that the HPEDSB/CTAP can be used to investigate include but are not limited to:

- Possession of a weapon/replica
- Bomb threat/plan
- A verbal, written or electronic (internet, text) threat to kill or injure self/others or other threats of violence
- Fire setting

The HPEDSB/CTAP is a two-tiered response to student threat making behaviour. Principals may initially activate the In-School Threat Assessment Team, which consists of the school administrator, school based counselor and support staff. If necessary, there may be consultation with the Superintendent of Safe Schools, and the Supervisor of the Safe School's Team. Where appropriate, the HPEDSB Community Threat Assessment Team will be activated.

Parents/guardians will be notified in advance if their child will be discussed through the HPEDSB/Community Threat Assessment Protocol. Personal information shared throughout this process will respect and balance each individual's right to privacy while ensuring the safety of all.

If you have any questions regarding the HPEDSB/CTAP, please contact Mandy Savery-Whiteway, Superintendent of Education – Safe Schools at 613-966-1170 or 1-800-267-4350, extension 2203.

Sincerely,

Rob McGall
Director of Education

Home-School Connections



Hastings and Prince Edward
District School Board

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Literacy

Why Is Literacy Important?

People read and write for many different reasons:

- for pleasure and interest
- to keep in touch with family and friends
- to obtain and use information that will help them solve problems and make choices and decisions
- to learn about the world and to communicate their thoughts to others
- for work purposes

More broadly, literacy is about how we communicate in society. It is about social practices and relationships, about knowledge, language, and culture.

Literacy finds its place in our lives alongside other ways of communication. Those who use literacy may take it for granted – but those who cannot use it are excluded from much of the communication in today's world. Knowing how to read and write paves the way to success in school that will build self-confidence and will motivate your child to set high expectations.

Numeracy Connections

Numeracy Questions to Solve at Home!

Questions modelled on information from the Guinness Book of World Records, 2002 (questions based on grade 4,5,6 curriculum expectations).

On June 26, 1998, Danny Capps spat a dead cricket a total distance of 9 m. If he practiced each day for one year, what is the total distance he would have spat a dead cricket in a full year?

Ashrita Furman pogo-sticked up the 1 900 step CN Tower in Toronto in 57 minutes on July 23, 1999 – approximately one step every two seconds. At this rate, how long would it take her to climb the 2900 Burj Khalifa Tower in Dubai?

In 1900 Johann Hurlinger walked on his hands for 1 400 km, about the distance from Madoc to Halifax, Nova Scotia. He did this in 60 daily 10-hour sessions. How many hours did it take Johann to do this? What is his average speed in km/hr.?

Growing with Character

HPEDSB prides itself in being a system of character. All partners within the Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board community know, understand and demonstrate a commitment to the Growing with Character attributes:

- Caring
- Cooperation
- Honesty
- Humour
- Integrity
- Respect
- Responsibility
- Trustworthiness

These attributes provide the foundation to the realization of the system goals.

BIPSA

The Hastings and Prince Edward District School board's (HPEDSB) Board Improvement Plan for Student Achievement (BIPSA) has 5 Smart Goals. Smart Goals are Specific, Measureable, Attainable, Realistic, and Timely. Smart Goals reflect student learning from Kindergarten through grade 12.

The following is the HPEDSB Smart Goal for writing:

HPEDSB Students will independently generate, gather, and organize ideas and information to write quality non-fiction (in all subject areas) for an intended purpose and audience.

Home-School Connections

MPS Staff for 2011-2012

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|------------------|-------------------|
| Kelli Hewitt | JKA/JSKB | Sharon Crawford | Office Supervisor |
| Jennifer Davidson | SKB(B days) | Sharon O'Connor | Office Assistant |
| Ginger Dickson | 1 | Garret Carleton | Lead Hand |
| Jean Leslie | 1/2 | Rick Scero | Custodian |
| Maurice McFadden | 2 | Jeremiah Allen | Night Custodian |
| Cindy Knights | 3 | Ene Reid | Library Tech |
| Val McTaggart | 3/4 | Lynn Harris | CYC |
| Marian Scanlan | 4 | Tina Frantz | EA |
| Debbie McNaught | 5 | Rachel Gibson | EA |
| Brian Long | 5/6 | Lynne Lahey | EA |
| Karen Cheyne | 6 | Janet Hill | EA |
| Chris Aikman | 7 | Charmaine Hewitt | EA |
| Wanda Dicks | 7 | Teresa Rose | EA |
| Steve McFadden | 7/8 | Lynne Lahey | EA |
| Shelley Bonter | 8 | Joan Lucas | EA |
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| Jennifer Curtis | 8 | Marlene Pollock | EA |
| Glenda McComb | Connections | | |
| Eileen Lucas | In-School Resource Teacher | | |
| Kyla Wiesner | Essential Skills Program (Until October | | |
| Ali McKenney | Essential Skills Program (Returns in October) | | |
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| Bryan Waite | Prep | | |
| Alison Keane | Prep (B days) | | |
| Kim Kennedy | French | | |
| Nicole Long | French | | |
| Emily Adams | Learning Partner (shared with Tweed Schools) | | |



STUDENT PLANNERS
ON SALE IN YOUR CHILD'S
CLASSROOM.
PRICE OF PLANNER \$6.00

If your child is going to be absent from school, please call the school and leave a message. Our answering machine is on 24 hours a day, so please feel free to call us anytime to leave a message. 613-473-2487

Extension 280 is our attendance line





VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

 There are so many ways to get involved in and to
  enhance your child's education. We value the work
  that volunteers do in various activities around the
  school. Our students benefit from support in class-
  rooms, trip excursions, sporting events and serving
  breakfast in our Food for Learning programs. If you
  are interested in volunteering, please complete the
  Volunteer Registration form available at our school
  office. A current police check is also needed and
  forms are also available at our main office.
 






























COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS



Girl Guides of Canada Guides du Canada

Girl Guide Registration Sparks, Brownies, Guides, Pathfinders, Rangers and Adults

Girl Guides of Canada-Guides du Canada (GGC) stands for what it has always stood for - fun, friendship and adventure. GGC is a safe, accepting environment with diverse and exciting programs and activities that offers girls the chance to learn, grow and discover through age-appropriate programming.

From sports, camping and science to eco-activities, fashion design and community projects, Guiding's girl-centred programming has something for everyone. Guiding is bold, fun, energetic and gives girls the tools and resources they need to achieve greatness.

Registration for new girl members is ongoing.

We're always looking for Guide Leaders and you can join anytime throughout the year.

For more information call 1-800-565-8111

REGISTRATION FOR
BRUCE LEE HOUSE LEAGUE HOCKEY
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2011
AT THE MADOC ARENA
FROM 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 P.M.
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT
HAROLD OR KAREN BAILEY
AT
613-473-2427



MADOC MARTIAL ARTS CLUB

Karate * Jiu Jitsu * Kung Fu

Mondays 6:00 PM (Children)

Monday 7:00 PM (Adults)

@ CHSS Gym 3

Scenci- Robert Walthers

613-473-4366

Adopt-a-Child

Do you need some help fitting your child with winter clothes-
Not sure where to turn?

Adopt-a-child program supports working families in
Need of assistance.

Register for the Adopt-a-child program:

September 14 - 30, 2011 **9am-4pm @ Centre Hastings**

OPP office 105953 Hwy # 7, Madoc, ON

September 20, 2011 6-8 PM Marmora Arena

September 21, 2011 6-8pm-Littliest Jail House in Tweed

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Campbell's Labels For Education

Please save labels and send them into the school. We need the complete label.



All Labels are eligible if they are a Campbell's Product.

Campbell's * Pace Salsa * V8 vegetable cocktail/V8 Fusion/V8 Splash * Goldfish crackers * Habitant

(All Campbell products)

RABIES

LOW-COST VACCINATION CLINICS FOR CATS AND DOGS

9:00am to 1:00pm

\$25.00 per animal HST included (CASH ONLY)

NO EXAMS

DOGS MUST BE ON A LEASH AND CATS SHOULD BE IN CARRIERS

* **STIRLING VETERINARY SERVICES**

36 WILSON RD, 2ND CONCESSION,
HUNTINGDON, TWSP

* **TWEED VETERINARY SERVICE**

13 BRIDGE ST. EAST 9:00am - 2:00pm

* **ENGLISH LINE VETERINARY SERVICES**

527 COUNTY RD. 38

(IF ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT OTHER CLINICS OR TO SEE IF YOUR VETERINARIAN IS HOLDING A CLINIC PLEASE

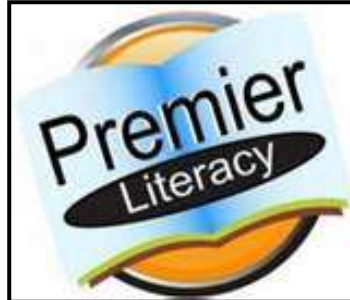
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ALL YOUR VETERINARY OFFICE)



Premier Literacy at Home

Premier Literacy is available for free and can be downloaded on your computers at home. Parents who are interested in having this technology available for their child to use at home can log in at <http://www.premierathome.com>. The username is **hpedsb** and the password is **family**. This is a program that is beneficial for all of our students when it comes to supporting their reading and writing and to identify key information using the study skill tools to help complete research projects within Premier.



50th Anniversary Madoc Township School

Many of our students, parents, grandparents attended Madoc Township School, so come out for our 50th anniversary.

Saturday October 8th, 2011

Open house: 10:00am - 5:00pm

Official Ceremonies begin at 1:00pm

Sunday October 9th, 2011

Open House- 10:00am - 1:00pm





| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 | 2 |
| 5 | 6 Day 1 First day of school for students! JKA | 7 Day 2 JSKB SKB | 8 Day 3 3 JKA | 9 Day 4 JSKB SKB |
| 12 Day 5 | 13 Day 1 Hep B, Meningitis, Gardisol Vaccinations Grade 7s and 8s Cross Country -2:30 JSKB SKB | 14 Day 2 2 JKA | 15 Day 3 1:10 -Constable Briard visits JK & SK JSKB SKB | 16 Day 4 1:10 -Constable Briard visits JK JKA |
| 19 Day 5 | 20 Day 1 JKA | 21 Day 2 JSKB SKB | 22 Day 3 ASG X Country at Stirling Senior Meet the Teacher BBQ - 5:00-6:00 Gym- 6:00-6:15 Classes 6:15-7:30 JKA | 23 PA DAY |
| 26 Day 4 Picture Day! Gr's JK - 7 JSKB SKB | 27 Day 5 Picture day! Gr's JK, SK & 8 School Council Meeting 6:00PM JKA | 28 Day 1 Terry Fox Walk 1:15 - 2:15 Bring a toonie JSKB SKB | 29 Day 2 JKA | 30 Day 3 JSKB SKB |



- **Up coming events:**
- Intermediate soccer at Thurlow October 4
- Intermediate soccer ASG - October 6
- Holiday- October 10
- X country at Sandbanks
- Bus Safety 8:50 - 9:20 JK-3; 9:30 - 10 Gr. 4 - 8
- Terrific Kids- October 21 @ 8:30
- Picture Retakes- October 27