

APRIL

Dates to Remember:

April 2 - Autism Awareness Day
(Blue shirt day)

April 10th– Ice Cream Sale for
Easter Seals

April 11 – School Goals Day (No
School)

April 17 – Silly Sock Day

April 24 – Easter Seals Visit

May 8 – Welcome to Kindergarten
@ 6pm

May 23 – Kindergarten
Orientation 9-11:30am (NO
SCHOOL For Current K
Students)

ROCK BAND



MCS Rock Band performance
at Birchwood Intermediate
School on April 5, 2025 at 5
pm. Sound check at 12.30 pm

Resource
Abilities

The **Resource
Abilities Summer Tutoring
Program** is available for PEI
students with disabilities in
grades K-12. The fee is \$150
for an 8 week program (up to 3
sessions per week in your home
or other designated
location). The deadline to
directly apply with Resource
Abilities is May 30, 2025. The
online application can be found
at
<https://resourceabilities.ca/summer-tutoring/>.

Phys Ed News....



Badminton Club

April 1st - Badminton Zone
Qualifier meet at MCS. Singles
beginning at 1pm Doubles approx.
3pm.

April 7th - Badminton Zone
Finals at Morell High beginning at
1pm. For those who qualify from
the zone qualifier.



Wrestling

April 9th – Zone meet @ MCS

Grade 3/4 compete in
exhibition matches; Grade 5/6
compete for a chance at
provincials April 12th.

Library News.....

Book Fair

Thank you all so much for
supporting our winter Scholastic
Book Fair! It was wonderful to see
everyone, and we are very
thankful that this was another
successful fundraiser for our
library! Thank you! 😊

Author Visit

Author Willie Poll will be visiting
our school on April 28th as a part
of Canadian Children's Book
Week! We are very excited to host
her and look forward to the
workshop she will be doing with
our grade 4 students.

Band Visit

We are very excited to welcome
the Central Kings Rural High
School Grade 9 Band from Nova
Scotia who will be doing a special
performance for our students on
April 30th!

Easter Seals Ambassador Tour



Remi's motto:

**"And always remember
that you can do hard
things."**

Remi Dean will be visiting our
school on Thu, April 24th at
11:20am.

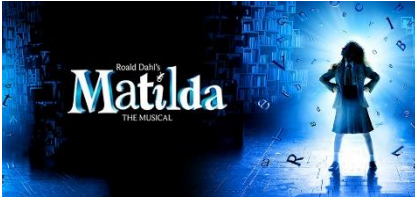
Fundraising for Easter Seals



We will be
having an Ice Cream Sandwich
Sale on Thursday April 10th for
\$2 each.

All proceeds from this will go
towards a school donation to be
presented to Easter Seals PEI.

**2025 Provincial Science
Fair** at the Eastlink Centre in
Charlottetown on **Tuesday,
April 8th**. Students must have
their own transportation.



We are happy to let you know we will be going to “Matilda” at the Confederation Centre April 22.

Colonel Grey is putting on this production and we are thrilled to be able to take everyone. Start time is 10:30am in town and we will depart here at 9:15am. Permission forms will be sent home next week.

Kindergarten

Welcome to Kindergarten

This will take place on Thursday May 8th from 6-7pm.

Kindergarten Orientation

This will take place on Friday May 23rd from 9-11:30am. 9-9:30 will be a parent session in the multi purpose room.

Parents are asked to register their children for Kindergarten

~ Children must be 5 years old by December 31, 2025 in order to be eligible for Kindergarten.

~ A registration form will be completed at the time of registration.

~Parents are reminded to bring two pieces of information, which verify proof of child’s age:

- Birth certificate
- PEI health card

~Verification of home address must also be provided, such as current utility bill.



Ensure that your school is registered

REGISTER NOW for the P.E.I. Home and School Federation’s Annual General Meeting & Convention...

Date/Time: Saturday, April 12, 2025, 08:45 a.m. – 01:30 p.m.

Fee: \$40 per person

Place: Rodd Charlottetown Hotel (75 Kent St. Charlottetown)

Conference Highlights:

Theme: Focus on the impact of technology on children’s development and education.

Keynote Speaker: Carl H. Burke, R.N., will share his personal story about the loss of his son to online sextortion and advocate for stronger online protections through the Online Harms Act.

Review 2025 Resolutions before April 12

Resolutions submitted by local Home and School Associations will be discussed and voted on at the AGM on April 12. Ensure your voting delegates (parents, guardians, educators and students) review these prior to the AGM. Proposed resolutions are:

2025-01 = [Add Milk Products to PEI School Food Program](#)

2025-02 = [Behaviour Resource Support in Island Schools](#)

2025-03 = [Support for Canada's Online Harms Act to Protect Children in Digital Spaces](#)

2025-04 = [Protecting Student, Parent, and Teacher Personal Data](#)

View resolutions online: <https://peihsf.ca/agm/>

Cyberbullying Awareness Day / Online Harms Act

A private member's bill brought forward by Souris-Elmira MLA, now education minister, Robin Croucher proclaimed April 25, 2025 as Cyberbullying Awareness Day, marking the anniversary of islander Harry Burke's death. Carl Burke, father of Harry, will speak about the Online Harms Act on April 12th at the

PEI Home and Schools Federation's AGM. More info at www.peihsf.ca/agm

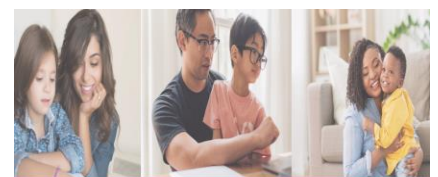
School Bus Driver Award

[School Bus Driver of the Year Award](#) recognizes school bus drivers on P.E.I. for keeping our students safe as they travel to and from school daily. [Submit nominations by May 2, 2025.](#)

Other community news....

~**National Volunteer Week, April 13-19, 2025** is a time to celebrate and thank Canada’s 24 million volunteers. The theme “Every Moment Matters” highlights the importance of every volunteer and each contribution they make at a moment when we need support more than ever. Let’s recognize and celebrate every volunteer and each contribution they’re making to strengthen inclusivity and wellbeing in our communities. Now more than ever, Every Moment Matters! #NVW2024 #EveryMomentMatters

~**Island Trails** is thrilled to introduce the **Island Trails Scholarship**, established in 2024 through the Community Foundation of PEI! This scholarship is designed to support the next generation of environmental stewards who are passionate about trails, conservation, and the great outdoors. Learn more and [Apply Here](#). Applications close on **April 18** — don’t miss this opportunity!



Small Changes, Big Differences

Fear-Less : Triple P Seminar

Helping Children Manage Anxiety

Venue: Charlottetown Library- Rotary Auditorium
100 Queen St, Charlottetown

Date: Sunday April 13, 2025

Time: 2pm

Presenter: Peter Mutch

Learn more about anxiety and how it affects children and families. Explore effective tools to manage it and foster resilience together

RSVP: please contact Triple P at triplep@gov.pe.ca or 902-368-6762

This seminar is free to attend!
triple-parenting.ca



