

Montague Consolidated School Parent Newsletter

September 2023

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Dates to Remember:

Sept 19 – Home and School Information Sessions
@ **6:30pm.**

Sept 21 – Meet the Teacher @ **6pm**

Sept 22 - Terry Fox Walk/Run

Sept 25 – Grade 6 HPV needles

Sept 28 – Orange Shirt Day

Sept 29 – Professional Learning Day **No School**

Oct 2 – National Day of Truth and Reconciliation
No School

Oct 19th – School Pictures



Cross Country will be beginning soon for students in grade 3-6. Zone meet is **October 11th at SKC**. Students must attend lunch practises and get permission forms in order to be able to go to SKC. Provincials are **October 21st in Mill River** and athletes who move on from SKC must be able to attend provincials!

Terry Fox Run/Walk will be on Friday
September 22nd.

Milk Program Update

The Home and School Committee is looking for a volunteer to administer the milk program for the 2023/2024 school year. Duties include:

Creating the schedule on the Hot Lunch Platform

Submitting the weekly order to Purity Dairy

Responding to user inquiries

Receiving invoices and submitting payment

If you are interested in volunteering for this role please reach out to mcschoolandhome@gmail.com.

Unfortunately, we will not be able to activate the milk ordering platform until we have a volunteer in place.

Thanks

Montague Consolidated after school gymnastics

The Island Gymnastics Academy is pleased to announce that we are once again able to offer gymnastics classes out of Montague Consolidated School for both Boys and Girls from Kindergarten to grade 6, starting September 26th.

For more information and to register please use the following link:

<https://app.amilia.com/store/en/IGA/shop/programs/94187>

If you have any questions please contact me by email or phone,

islandgymnasticsacademy@gmail.com

902-892-3081

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School Pictures Oct 19th

Retakes will be Oct 23rd.

MUSIC News



Band Auditions

Auditions for the band are beginning next week, Thursday September 21. Auditions are open to Grade 4, 5 and 6 students. There are a limited number of spots in the band but we do need singers, guitar players, drummers, keyboard players and bass players. Anyone who is interested is encouraged to sign up. An audition does not guarantee a spot, but it is great practice for a number of other skills. Sign up sheets are outside Mr. Giddings's Music Room.

Musical

Looking ahead we are pleased to be able to offer a musical to any student in Grades 3 through 6 this year. Anyone who auditions gets to be a part of it! Auditions for this will occur around November or December. More information will follow as we move closer!



Home and School

Home and School Information Session! Come and see what Home and School is all about! Tuesday September 19th at 6:30pm in the Staff Room , directions will be posted on the gym doors.



Parents please remember to pack cutlery in your child's lunch if they need it. We do not have any cutlery in the office.

Should you require a change to your child's daily routine, **please call the office prior to 1:30pm** to ensure adequate time for communication between the office and the class/student(s). It is just too busy in the office towards the end of the day to get messages out this late.



Please be reminded to send your child with a water bottle each day.

Labeling Belongings

If you could please label your child's belongings, it is much easier when clothing is left outside if it is labeled to get them back to the right owner! Thanks!

BOB-MART

Is looking for boys' and girls' clothes size small. Also, for sneakers.



This October, in honour of Waste Reduction Week Earth Rangers and Call2Recycle are partnering on a program where elementary schools in PEI will compete for who can collect the most used batteries and for the chance to win 1 of 3 amazing cash prizes.

Did you know that properly recycling your batteries can help protect animals? Batteries that go in the garbage end up in landfills, adding to solid waste that can be harmful to the environment. You can do your part to make sure more batteries are recycled by participating in the Battery Blitz School Mission Challenge! Please bring them to our school and we will dispose of them in the Call2Recycle collection boxes.

There are three amazing Cash Grand Prizes available for the 3 PEI schools that bring in the most batteries by weight!

Send us your batteries. Each homeroom will have a box to fill. Our last collection day will be October 27th.

