



# Isabelle Sellon School June Newsletter



**Mission-** To learn, play and be well together

**Vision-** Innovative learning, Students as Leaders, Strength through courage

**Values-** Creativity, Innovation, Growth, Courage, Community Connection, Inclusion

## CONGRATULATIONS!

Our students participated in the "Where Challenge"; a contest sponsored by Teck and Mining Matters. This is a national competition that asks students aged 9-14, "What on Earth is in your stuff?" WHERE stands for each of the fields of geoscientist work: Water, Hazards, Energy, Resources and Environment.

We are thrilled to share the accomplishments of our students at Isabelle Sellon School.

Natalie K- "Sucked in?" won Best Creative in Literary category

Levi G- "Brass door knob" won Best Research in Literary

Jaiven P, Sophie W., and Hailey B. were awarded an "honorable mention" for their group project, "What are sneakers made from?".



## 2021-2022

Plans are well underway for the upcoming school year and we are hopeful for a different school start up from this year!

Class list planning will begin later this month and will be a collaborative process among school staff. We strive to create balanced classroom placements for the benefit of each student.

Class lists will be shared prior to the first day back for students, August 31st.

Grade 3 students will have a virtual orientation with Mrs. Shackleford and Mrs. Davidson on June 3rd; followed by a virtual parent orientation that evening from 5:30-6:00pm. This event will be recorded.

Grade 6 students and parents will also have a virtual orientation, June 3rd from 6:30-8:00pm

If you have questions or concerns about the upcoming school year, please connect with Mrs. Davidson or Mrs. Shackleford at the school.

## CELEBRATING THE SCHOOL YEAR

June 25th is the last day of the school year for all students! On this day we will celebrate our accomplishments and growth as a school with our traditional year end slide show. Although this will be virtual, a link will be published to our school website for families to view.

Students will participate in games and activities outside with their cohort during designated time slots. If the weather is unfavorable, these activities can be modified for indoors.

All students will be provided a free hot dog lunch as well.

This year, the Grade 6 Clap Out will be held outdoors. Parents are welcome to attend this outdoor event, but are required to wear a mask and maintain social distance. We will announce a time for the Grade 6 Clap Out in the days ahead.

## KEY DATES

June 3rd- Mental Wellness Day for Schools

June 3rd- Virtual Grade 3 Parent Orientation, zoom invite shared, 5:30-6pm

June 21st- National Indigenous Peoples Day; 7 Traditional Teachings virtual puppet show

June 25th- Last day of school for students





## And there's more good news...

Isabelle Sellon School has been awarded of three school prizes (\$500) for the amazing quality and quantity of entries submitted by participating students. Congratulations!

### Staffing at Isabelle Sellon School

All staff are in place for the new school year. We are excited to welcome new staff and are appreciative of the contributions from those staff that are moving on to other schools!

Grade 4 Teachers- Mrs. Cann and Miss Funk

Grade 5 Teachers- Miss Davis and Mr. Koentges

Grade 6 Teachers- Mrs. Kuftinoff and Mr. Crawford

Learning Commons Facilitator- Mr. Boewen

Music- Mrs. Neudorf Art- Mrs. Reeve

Educational Assistants- Mrs. Eden, Mrs. Hammer, Mrs. Gleave, Mrs. Rolston, and Mrs. Lindsell

We wish Mrs. Millis, Mrs. Bellavance, Miss Lang, Ms. Sandilands and Ms. Ginther all the best at their new school placements!



A year to remember! Have a great summer, everyone!!