

North & South Esk Regional

May 2016

NSER Mission: It is the mission of NSER to support and challenge students to meet and exceed their potential.

NSER Vision: NSER's number one priority is the intellectual development of its students and also giving priority to social, emotional and physical development.

NSER Values: The intellectual, emotional, physical, and social needs of each child will be developed to his or her fullest potential. Expectations for students will be age appropriate and pedagogically based. A spirit of cooperation will be fostered among students, staff, and community. All students and staff will show respect for students, staff and the campus. All students will be encouraged and given the opportunity to participate in extra and co-curricular activities. A high moral standard will be exemplified by the staff, and expected of our students.

NSER Drag Team

NSER is very excited to have our first GIRLS Team as part of the Annual High School Drag Races that will take place at the Miramichi Dragway Park on May 20th and 21st. It's exciting to see the girls step up and want to take part in breaking the mold in drag racing.

A huge shout out to our Sponsors for 2016; without them NSER would not have a team! Danny's Roofing Inc., R. Tozer Construction, Courtesy Convenience, NBCSA, NAPA, Mike's, Breakwater Consulting & Design, Upper Oxbow Outdoor Adventure, Lounsbury

Automotive.

It is going to be a very exciting time for both teams as they not only battle the other High School teams but also each other. Go Cobras!

The Drag Team will also be having a BBQ at Walmart on Saturday, May 7th from 10:30 - 3:00 ... if you are in the area stop by and show your support to the 2016 Drag Team!





Sr. Girls Volleyball Tournament

NSER will host the Senior Girls Volleyball Northern A Zone tournament on Saturday, May 7. Our girls are scheduled to play at 9:00, 11:30 and 12:45, with crossovers beginning at 3:15. Come on out and watch a great day of volleyball and support our Cobras!



Cafeteria Rebate - As you know NSER took over their cafeteria services 2 years ago. We are starting to reap the benefits of this big move. NSER received a very nice cheque from NSE Food Services as part of the cafeteria profit sharing program. This money goes directly to the student council to support activities, clubs, teams, etc. So when your son or daughter buys their lunch here, the profits come back to the school.

POW WOW

On Wednesday April 13th, NSER hosted its 4th Annual Cultural Awareness Powwow which turned out a very big crowd and in fact, will be very hard to beat as it just may be the best one yet!! Powwows are First Nation people's way of gathering together to join in dancing, singing, visiting, renewing old friendships and making new ones. We were honored to have in attendance Metepenagiag FN Chief & Council, our Superintendent, MVHS NEAT Committee, Veterans, Elders, Metepenagiag School, NSEE, drummers and dancers from all parts of NB, Quebec and Nova Scotia. Students really enjoyed themselves and were eager to participate in all the games and especially loved the Candy Dance. Every year, our powwow grows as does our understanding and mutual respect for one another. It is truly an honor to organize events such as this to share the beauty, strength and resilience of our Mi'kmag culture and traditions with you all and I look forward to planning our next gathering.









NSER and Croft have teamed up with Lounsbury Automotive to fundraise up to \$5000 per school.

In the next week or so you will receive a form to fill out about test driving a new Buick. We need to get 250 forms filled out before the drive date of May 28th. The drive will happen during the Rib Fest and Striper Cup. We will be set up in 99.3 The River's parking lot where there will be the following vehicles to try: Enclave, Encore, Verano, Lacrosse, Canyon, Terrain, Acadia, and 1/2 tons for you to try out. So remember, May 28th from 10 am to 4 pm.



NSER was chosen as a Walmart school this year. What does this mean for us? Well, we have our Drag Team doing a BBQ on May 7th at Walmart. Plus they just donated \$7000 worth of school supplies!!! Thank you Walmart!

Important Dates

May 5-6 No school, teacher meetings

May 10 UNB Bus Tour

May 7 Drag Team BBQ a Walmart

May 12-14 Drama Festival

May 20-21 Drag Team Races
May 23 No school - Victoria Day

May 27 No school - CI Meetings

May 28 Safe Grad Softball Tournament

June 16 Prom

June 20 Baccalaureate Service

June 23 Graduation

June 24 Last Day for Students



Chelsey Vanderbeck was selected to receive a NBIAA Sportsmanship Award.

Chelsey has been invited to the NBIAA Dinner as she is one of the top six student athletes in our conference. The award is for displaying outstanding sportsmanship towards your team mates, coaches, opponents and game officials.

SPECIAL THANKS!

NSER We School had a Spaghetti Dinner and Dessert Auction on April 13th. Mr. Linkletter would like to thank all who helped out including Cynthia Tozer and Penny Tozer. We raised \$1,050 towards our Goal of \$3000. The money raised will go to Free the Children projects in Haiti! Thanks again!



ATTENTION GRADUATES - Graduates are asked to submit a copy of any letters or emails they have received regarding scholarship and or bursary offers to Mrs. Ward-Cain as soon as possible. Also a reminder that Grad Fees are due - \$75