

# November 2010

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TOKW Day  
Report Cards Issued 4:00 pm - 6:00pm  
Parent Teacher 9:00 am - 11:30 am

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Grad Photos  
Remembrance Day Ceremony 1:00pm  
Remembrance Day  
No School

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Grade 9/12  
Immunization

Grade 7(girls)  
Immunization

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# N.S.E.R. NEWS

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## TOKW Day 2010

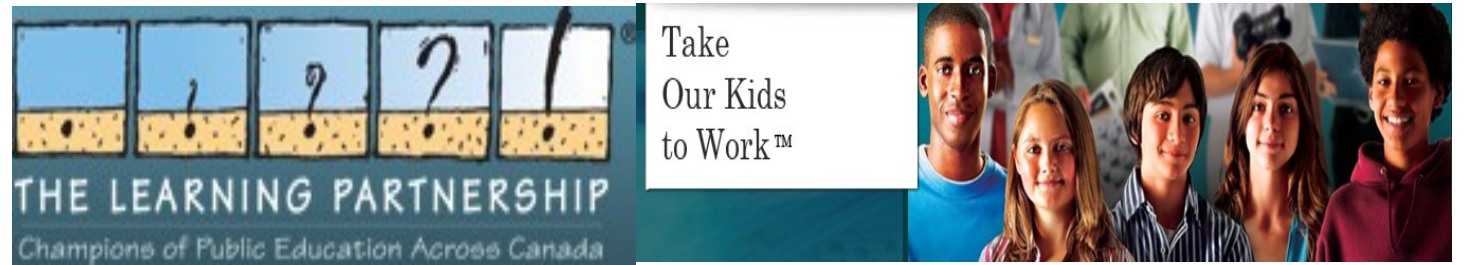
Wednesday, November 3th - **Take our Kids to Work** is an annual National program in which Grade 9 students are hosted by parents, relatives and volunteers at workplaces across the country. The program supports career development by helping students connect school, the world or work and their own futures.

**PARENTS** - Introduce your child to workplace and co-workers

**TEACHERS** - Help your students experience a day in the life of a mentor

**EMPLOYERS** - Play a role in the development of young Canadians by hosting a student

**STUDENT** - Experience the world of work first hand



## REMEMBRANCE DAY

All Veterans, parents and community members are cordially invited to attend N. S. E. R.' s annual Remembrance Day Ceremony will be held on **Wednesday, November 10th at 1:00 pm**. Students will be presenting a selection of readings and musical selections, and each homeroom class will also be laying a wreath in memory of our fallen soldiers and peacekeepers.



## Yearbook Contest

Jostens 2nd annual Yearbook Commercial Contest is now underway. This unique contest helps you promote the yearbook at your school while giving creative students a chance to win some great prizes including the grand prize of \$ 1,000 cash! Other prizes include and iPad, and iPod Touch and an iPod Nano.

### Who Can Enter the Contest?

All students , whether they are on a yearbook staff or not, are eligible to enter as long as they are 13 years of age or older. The contest is open to all legal residents of the US, District of Columbia, US military and Canada (except Quebec) that are 13 years of age.



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### Take Our Kids to Work ...This Wednesday!

Hundreds of thousands of Grade 9 students from across Canada will spend the day at work on **Wednesday, November 3, 2010** exploring a wide variety of career options.

#### Having a Successful Day

The key to having a great day is being ready for when the students walk through the door. The following is a reminder of some of the steps that can be taken ahead of time to ensure that you and the students enjoy a safe and informative day.

#### During the Day:

- Make Sure that your fellow employees are aware of TOKW day.
- Let the receptionist know which students are coming and who their contact person will be for the day.
- Start the day with a group orientation session emphasize security, health and safety issues.
- Ensure all students are supervised at all times, preferably on a one – to – one basis.
- Provide a variety of experience for the students to see all levels of responsibility in the work environment.
- If possible, provide lunch for the students that day.
- Try to encourage discussion and meaningful conversation about job possibilities with the particular work place.

### Jostens' YearBook Contest...(continued.)

1. Create an original video commercial promoting their school's yearbook.
2. Enter their commercial through our Jostens Facebook Committee Contest app.  
  
<http://apps.facebook.com/jostensvideocontest>
3. SHARE, VIEW and RANK their commercial. They will be awarded points for video sharing, views, thumbs up and thumbs down rankings and the video with the most points at the end of the contest is the winner. (contest ends March 31, 2011 at Midnight CDT)

### Jostens Photo Contest

Take fabulous pictures and get a chance to win amazing prizes! Entries are now being accepted in the 2011 Jostens Canada Photo Contest. Each photo will be judged based on its ability to tell a story relevant to the high school or middle school experience. Composition, emotional, technical and artistic qualities will also be judged. Check out previous winners and more details. on Yearbook Avenue. Go to the Showcase menu and select Contests.

**All entries must be postmarked by April 30, 2011**

### In The Spirit of Christmas

The students and Staff of N. S. E. R. will be adopting Seven Christmas Families again this year through the Early Intervention Program. Classes will work together to raise money and collect items to provide these families with a Christmas to remember. If you would like more information about this program, or would like to make a donation of any type, please contact Mrs. Hamilton.



### Healthy Choices

District 16 Public Health Nurse, Darlene MacDonald made a visit to our school last month and stimulated interest for our students on how to make Healthy choices.



We look forward to her return to do a presentation on Energy drinks.

### Graduation Portrait Program Why Choose Lifetouch....

In school professional studio set up!

**\$10 Bronze sitting (6 proofs)**

**\$15 Silver Sitting (12 proofs)**

**\$25 Gold sitting (20 proofs)**

**Single Orders as low as \$37.00**

Discount/Value added sent with proofs.

All Photos ordered are retouched at NO additional cost.

(Extensive touch retouching is extra ie, braces).

Choice of print finishes. Frames and canvas prints available.

### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- November 3 - Take Your Kid to Work - Grade 9 / Report Cards go Home
- November 4 - Parent Teacher 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm
- November 5 - Parent Teacher 9:00 am - 11:30 am - No School
- November 10 - Remembrance Day Ceremony 1:00 pm
- November 11 - Remembrance Day - No School
- November 17 - Grad Photos
- December 23 - Last Day For Students
- December 27 - Christmas Break
- January 10 - Curriculum Implementation Day - No School
- January 11 - First Day For Students
- January 24-27 - Semester 1 Exams
- January 28, 31 - Turn-Around Day - No School
- February 1 - Semester 2 Begins
- March 7-11 - March Break - No School
- March 31 - Parent Teacher (Evening)
- April 1 - Parent Teacher (Morning) - No School
- April 22 - Good Friday - No School
- April 25 - Easter Monday - No School
- May 6 - Subject Council - No School
- May 23 - Victoria Day - No School
- June 13-16 - Semester II Exams
- June 17 - Prom
- June 19 - Baccalaureate - 2pm/Grad Banquet - 3 pm
- June 23 - Graduation - 7:30 pm/Safe Grad - 10:30
- June 24 - Last Day For Students

### GRAD PHOTOS

November 17, 2010

\$ 10 Sitting Fee



### CHRISTMAS FORMAL

Friday, December 3rd

8:00 pm - 11:00 pm

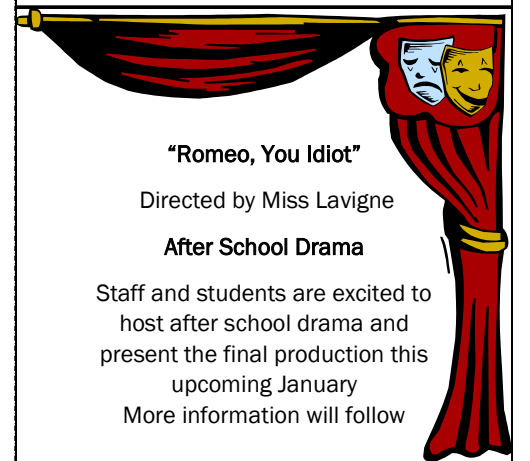


### NSER WEBSITE

Parents/students can take advantage of N. S. E. R. 's website to stay connected with the school. Parents can check the website regularly to see our latest news, look at student work, stay informed of extra-curricular activities, check homework, etc. Please check the site often to stay up to date on what's happening at NSER. <http://nser.nbed.nb.ca/>

### GUIDANCE

NSER would like to invite Grade 11 & 12 students along with parents to our *Guidance Information Session* which will be hosted at NSER on **Tuesday, November 9th at 7:00 pm.** It's not too early for our Grade 11 students to start thinking about next year.



### "Romeo, You Idiot"

Directed by Miss Lavigne

### After School Drama

Staff and students are excited to host after school drama and present the final production this upcoming January  
More information will follow

### CAREER CRUISING

[www.careercruising.com](http://www.careercruising.com)

Username: nser - Password: Sunny798

### New At a Glance Page in Career Profiles

To help students more quickly access critical information for careers of interest, we have added a new At a Glance page to each profile. These new pages, which are now the entry point to the career profiles, present key points on core tasks, workplace, earnings, education and training, and attributes and abilities. Students can use the "More" links in each section of the At a Glance page to view more detailed information. Students can also continue to access all sections of the career profiles using the left-hand menu of each profile.

While the At a Glance page will help all students get the information they need more quickly, we also believe the short, point-form text will make the occupation information more accessible to students who are less proficient readers.