



# North & South Esk Regional



October 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.

### **Information Session on New Middle School Report Card**

On Thursday October 20th at 6:30 we will be having an information session on the new report card.

This session will look at how the new report card will look in November and how it affects students in grades 7 & 8.

We encourage parents to come out and familiarize themselves with our new system.

### **Parent School Support Committee (PSSC)**

We will be having our PSSC meeting immediately following the New Report Card session on Thursday, October 20th.

## BREAKFAST

for

## Safe Grad



### **Pancake Breakfast**

**Monday, October 31**

NSER Cafeteria

7:30 - 8:30

*All proceeds raised will be in support of the NSER 2017 Safe Grad Class*

*\$5 at the Door*



## HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES

NSER Students and Staff will be participating in Halloween Activities on Monday, October 31st. Students are encouraged to dress up for the activities.



# NSER HAUNTED HOUSE

**Friday, October 28th**

**Fraidy Cat Hours**  
5:30-7:00

**Fearless Hours**  
7:30-9:00

**\$5 each**

**All Proceeds to Support NSER Safe Grad**

**Be Afraid... Be Very Afraid!**

## Halloween Fright Night Costume Dance

**Saturday, October 29th**  
Sunny Corner Legion  
10 pm - 2 am

**\$10 each · DJ · 19+**

**All Proceeds to Support NSER Safe Grad**





NSER's Rotary Interact Club will once again be hosting Trick or Eat on Halloween in support of local food bank. Their goal for this year is to raise \$3,000 worth of non-perishable food items. We thank you in advance for your support of this great fundraiser. Stay tuned for more upcoming fundraisers from Rotary Interact.

**Student Forms** - It is very important to have all forms back at the school. These forms include health, leaving school property, etc. These are necessary in case there is ever an emergency we need to have all the students updated contact information.

### Rotary Interact Club



Kathleen Dunn (Treasurer), Carlie Hallihan (Vice President)  
Denver Matchett (President), Jocelyn Russell (Secretary)

## Halloween Dance

Thursday  
October 27th  
\$5 Each

Gr. 7-8 6:30 - 8:30  
Gr. 9-12 8:30 - 10:30

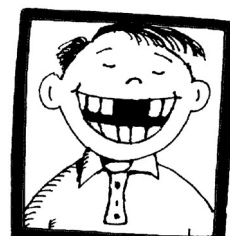


## Graduation Information

**Grad Photos** - Lifetouch will be here to take grad pictures on Tuesday, December 13 to Thursday, December 15. A grad information session will take place in the next couple of weeks.

**Josten's Rings** - A Josten's ring rep will be here on Tuesday, October 25th at noon. Parents are more than welcome to stop in and look at all the different rings. Should a student wish to purchase a ring, there is a deposit required of \$60 at time of ordering.

**Graduation** - It may be early to think about graduation however it will be here before we realize it. I would encourage parents to start planning for this time of the year as it is extremely expensive. Graduates will be looking at approximately \$1000 for all activities surrounding this time. Pictures, rings, prom, grad banquet, etc. In addition to expenses, students are very busy with scholarship applications, post-secondary education and more. Mrs. Ward-Cain has given all graduates a handbook. Please take the time to review this document as it will help your son/daughter keep on track towards this exciting time in their lives.



PICTURE RETAKE DAY!

Picture Re-Takes will take place on Thursday, October 27th beginning after lunch.

### Chinese Winter Camp

Are you interested in taking an exchange student but don't know if you would really enjoy it? We are offering a one week Winter Camp. You would host a Chinese student from February 4-11. There will be a group of Chinese students here for that week to experience New Brunswick and Canadian culture in the winter months. If this is something you would be interested in doing, please contact the school within the next two weeks.

## Lunch Time Sewing Group

NSER will be offering a lunch time sewing group for interested students. To support a variety of projects for this group, the group is asking for donations that include:

- cotton fabric and/or clean used cotton sheets
- quilt batting and polyester pillow stuffing
- quality...sewing scissors, straight pins, and thread (not from \$ store)
- ironing board; and working PORTABLE sewing machines (we do not have access to repairing machines)

Please contact Mrs. Jennifer Mitchell to discuss items and/or for drop-off of donations: email [jennifer.mitchell@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:jennifer.mitchell@nbed.nb.ca) or leave message with return name and number @ 836-7000



## Important Dates

- October 20 - Information Session - New Report Cards
- October 20 - PSSC Elections
- October 25 - Josten's Ring Rep @ Noon
- October 27 - Picture Re-Takes & Halloween Dance
- October 28 - Haunted House
- October 29 - Adult Halloween Dance @ SC Legion
- October 31 - Pancake Breakfast 7:30 am
- October 31 - Halloween Activities
- November 11 - Remembrance Day (No School)
- November 18 - Parent Teacher (No School)
- December 16 - NSER Formal
- December 23 - Last Day before Christmas Break

### NSER CAR CARE

Vehicle Wash & Interior Vacuum - \$20

Vehicle Wash, Wax and Interior Cleaning - \$30

Contact NSER for an Appointment - 836-700 or email [brock.curtis@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:brock.curtis@nbed.nb.ca)



Auditions for this year's winter drama program took place on September 29. Practices will be on Mondays and Wednesdays after school and will begin in the coming weeks.

NSER We School is off to a roaring start! There are over 30 middle school students participating this year and our first fund raiser has been completed! The students cooked for Haiti in a Facebook Dessert Auction that raised \$405. The monies raised will pay for our teacher in Haiti!

We School is hosting a \$1000 50/50 draw in the month of October. The monies raised from this fundraiser will pay for our t-shirts!



### All Doors Locked



All doors at NSER are locked at 8:30 am. All students and visitors must buzz in after that time. We have a security system at the front doors. When you arrive at NSER, you will see a silver intercom box on the far left of the main doors. Just press the button and someone will buzz you into the school. There are brief times during the day when there is no one in the office to buzz in. Visitors may want to call ahead.

### CELL PHONES



Students are permitted to use cell phones while at school, however, they are not to be used during instructional hours. Teachers may confiscate a phone until the end of the day should a student be using them during instructional time.

As parents and guardians, please be aware of this when you are texting them. If it is something they need to know asap then contact the office and we will get the message to them.

**REMINDER THAT ALL VISITORS MUST REPORT TO THE OFFICE UPON ARRIVAL TO THE SCHOOL**