



## 40 Years and Counting...

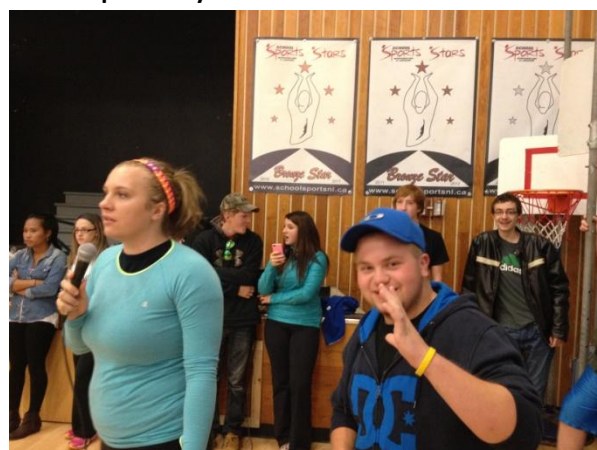
We Are Remembering Our Past & Looking Towards Our Future

September 19th, 2014

### Quick Hits

- Today – Sr. Boy's Regional Softball playdowns hosted by Random Island Academy at the Elizabeth Swan Park on Tilley's Road, Clarenville.....come cheer our boys on! First game is 3:00 pm
- Curriculum Night – Thursday October 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm
- School close-out for teacher PD – October 8<sup>th</sup> (tentative)
- Vista district-wide shutdown for teacher professional development – October 28<sup>th</sup>.
- **School Photos:** September 29<sup>th</sup>
- **High school trip to Trinity** – Tuesday, Sept. 23 – details to follow
- **Vegetable hamper sale** – notes are gone home, due back Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>....hampers delivered October 9<sup>th</sup>.
- **Friday, September 26<sup>th</sup> – Sr. Girls Regional Softball Playdowns hosted by Random Island Academy**
- **Synrevoice:** If you need a phone number either added or removed from the system, please contact Sandy at the school (547-2379).
- **Riverside Cross Country meet on September 23rd**

- The synrevoice system for the whole district will be out of service for upgrades from 1:00 pm today until further notice.



### Important Contact information

Random Island Academy is able to communicate with parents via synrevoice, emails, and social media. To ensure you are kept up-to-date on school events and information, please ensure that we have your most your contact information. To add a phone number or email address to our database, please contact the school at 547-2379.

### Lunch Program

With great effort and the support of volunteers, we are able to offer a hot lunch alternative for our students. All hot lunches cost \$3.50, and for convenience, can be purchased through the use of meal tickets. **The meal tickets will be sold in booklets of 5 at a cost of \$17.50 with each meal costing \$3.50.**

*Curtis Blackmore & Vincent Mulrooney*

**Lunches scheduled for next week are as follows:**

*Monday: hot dogs, cookie, & Juice*

*Tuesday: Spaghetti, cookie and juice*

*Wednesday: Turkey Soup & Roll, Cookie & Juice*

*Thursday: Chicken Burgers, Cookie & Juice*

*Friday: Wedgies, Cookie & Juice*

**Curriculum Night**

We will be holding our annual Curriculum Night on Thursday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm at the school. There will be a short session in the gymnasium to introduce our teaching staff, give an overview of an ELA teaching project, and introduce a recycling initiative of the school that may positively impact many families financially in our learning community. There will also be a Level 3 graduation parent meeting on this night.



**Bus Passes**

Students in grades k-6 must have a written note (can be written in the agenda) to receive a bus pass. This will alleviate safety issues concerning confirmation that parents/guardians are aware of their children's whereabouts. All students must state where they are getting off, even if on the same bus. **We would like to reiterate that requests for bus passes (with the exception of emergency situations) must be written in the child's agenda for that particular day.**

**Web Page**

Please keep yourself informed by visiting our webpage @<http://www.randomisland.k12.nf.ca> It is currently under construction but it will be fully updated soon! Thank you for your patience.

**Student Council News**

Our Student Council did another tremendous job in organizing the zTerry Fox Walk and Walk to Breakfast this past week. They set a fundraising goal of \$300.00, and well surpassed that goal by raising \$426.00. Also, a VERY BIG THANK YOU goes out to our volunteers who helped prepare the pancake breakfast that day. We couldn't do it without you! Some members of our student council will be traveling to Flower's Cove for the Provincial Student Leadership Conference.



**Allergies**

In our school community there are individuals living with these conditions each day. There are students and/or staff members at our school allergic to the following:

- Eggs
- Fish (including shellfish)
- Nuts (mixed nuts/hazelnuts)
- Scented products (hand sanitizer, cologne, perfume, hairsprays and gels)

These allergies are anaphylactic in nature and require individuals to carry a life-saving device called an epipen. To reduce the risk of an anaphylactic reaction we ask that you avoid bringing these products to school and be very cautious when packing lunches. As well, we have numerous environmental allergies including beesstings, hornets, feathers, grass, dust, cats, dogs, pollen and mold.