Debert Elementary School



Debert Elementary School Grade 6 Class: Front (1 to r)- Jada Totten, Julie Blackwood, Courtnee DeAdder, Michaela Copage, John Carrington, Chris Adshade, Alex Hamilton, Justin McNutt; Back (1 to r)- Kelley Frizzell, Christopher Ryan, Brandon Barclay, Carlie Barnhill, Michaela Priest, Tanner Bragg, Brad Metlin, Jordan Geldart. (Harrington Photo)



Doug Stiles presented the Debert Elementary Joy Stiles Awards to (1 to r) Jada Totten, Michaela Priest and Carlie Barnhill at the Grade Six celebration on June 24th. (Harrington Photo)



Reading Mentor Awards, for helping to improve reading proficiency and the love of reading in others, were presented to Debert Elementary Grade Six students (1 to r) Michaela Priest, Carlie Barnhill and Brandon Barclay. (Harrington Photo)

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Brooklyn Robichaud's hands are a blur and she tries to beat Danica Weatherbee(right) in the cup stacking relay at Debert Elementary School Field Day. Lack of sunshine did not keep students from having a fun time on one of their last school days of the year. (Harrington Photo)

By Linda Harrington

All classes took part in an end of the year school trips in June. Primary/One students went to the Wildlife Park. Grade 2's went to Joy Laking's Art Studio in Portaupique for a tour and art lesson, with a stop at Hidden Hilltop campground for recreational activities on the way home. Grade 3/4 students went to the Joggins Fossil Cliffs and Grade 5/6 students went to the Bedford Institute Oceanography. The Grade 6 students went on a day trip taking part in a variety of Physical Activities with Mr. Caudle, also.

Drama group presentations for the Primary to Grade Three classes took place on June 15th for Group A and June 16th for Group B. Congratulations to all students who performed on stage in the gymnasium.

Mug & Muffin Drama for Grades 4 - 6 took place on June 20th. Thank you to everyone who supported these events.

Field Day activities were held on June 21st. Spatters of rain did not dampen the enthusiasm as students took part in an obstacle course, hoola hoop contest, rubber chicken throw, cup stacking and much much more. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped out and to Mr. Caudle, as well.

Grade Six Graduation was held on June 24th in the gymnasium. Parents, teachers and fellow students wished them well as they head off to CCJHS next year.

There were three winners of the Joy Stiles Memorial Award this year. The award was presented to Grade Six students Michaela Priest, Jada Totten and Carlie Barnhill. Congratulations girls!

Two Debert Elementary teachers are retiring in June. Best wishes to Heather Fisher and Deanna Graham on their retirement. Mrs. Fisher taught for a total of 29 years with 24 of these years spent of DES. Mrs. Graham taught for a total of 24 years, with the past 9 years at DES.

A few changes in staffing for 2011/12- Mrs. Angela Loughead will teach Grade Four next year, Kim Brownell with teach Grade 5 and Mrs. Susan Dickie will be back to teach Grade 2.

Have a wonderful summer vacation. Classes resume for students on Sept. 6th.

Parrsboro Regional Elementary School



Congratulations to all the graduates of the Parrsboro Regional Elementary School. Photo by Michele Walton.



Alec Babineau was racing through the obstacle course as fast as he could during the Debert Elementary School Field Day on June 21st. (Harrington Photo)



Co-operation is the only way to make this event happen! Students had to pass a hoola hoop around a circle without letting go of hands. Students had a variety of interesting and challenging activities to choose from at the Debert Elementary School Field Day. (Harrrington Photo)

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