



YCS NEWSLETTER; APR 14/09

It will soon be time to be thinking about sunscreen!



Calendar of Upcoming Events:

- Apr 15: **SAC workshop** (see note)
- Apr 16: **Book Worm Reading Night** (see note)
- Apr 21: **H&S mtg** (see note)
- Apr 22: **Earth Day!**
- Apr 23: **YCS Heritage Fair**
- Apr 24: **Regional Inservice PD Focus: Math** (No school for students in Yarmouth county.)

Planning ahead: Primary Orientation Day is being planned for June 1 for both English and French Immersion programs. More info soon.

OUR SCHOOL, OUR COMMUNITY

YCS Soccer Registration continues at Leisure Services until April 30th.

Art Gallery of Nova Scotia Western Branch April Activities are now available including "Family Sunday".

YCS School Advisory Council thanks YCS parents/guardians for making concerns known to government and opposition over needed increase in funding in upcoming budget.

Reminder that for more info from NSSBA, please visit: www.investineducation.ca.

School Advisory Council Workshop

All members of the school community and the public are welcome to attend a *School Advisory Council Workshop*. Topics include:

- NS School Accreditation Program 09 - 10
- Student Transportation
- Provincial Report Cards & Outcomes Information
- Roles & Responsibilities for SAC's

The workshop runs from 7-9pm and will take place:

Yarmouth County: April 15, 2009, Carleton

No registration required!

Refreshments will be served!

For more information please contact: T Cunningham at 749-5678 or tcunning@tcrsb.ca

YCS Heritage Fair:



Yarmouth Central will hold its Heritage Fair on Thurs, Apr 23! Demonstrations and displays will be done in two parts: 'live' presentations (skits, recitals, dances, live demonstrations, etc) will be done before lunch in a school assembly format. Projects (static displays, using multi-media, etc) will be on display after lunch for all to visit. They will be in the three hallways of the 'original' part of YCS. Thanks so much to everyone who is participating in our Heritage Fair. Special thanks to Mr Purdy for coordinating our school fair again this year!



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Home & School



Next Meeting is April 21: at 6pm join us for a presentation from Russell Deveau about how to protect your child on the internet. Following this presentation, we will have our monthly H&S meeting.

Unfortunately there will be **no Subway lunch this month**. We'll plan for the second Tuesday of May.

Spring Rain

Drip, drip, drip

The rain falls down.

Soaking all the little plants

In the soft spring ground.

~ Madelyn, 2Burr



BOOK WORM Reading Night -
April 16, 6:30-7:30pm

Reading is one of the best ways to connect with your child. On Apr 16, YCS will host a 'Book Worm' reading night. Join us for a fun night of reading, snacks, prizes and games in YCS Library.

Hosted by SSW, Melissa Fells and ANS Reading Mentor, Shawna Cromwell.



Medic Alert; No Child Without Program

Did you know that YCS continues to be one of the pilot schools for this free medical identification service? In our main office, you can pick up Medic Alert information package on how to register or renew your child's medical information for FREE! The importance of Medic Alert is that it speaks for the child when the parent is not there or the child is not able to talk about his/her own medical condition.