

HAMIOTA SCHOOLS NEWSLETTER

BUSINESS NAME

APRIL, 2019

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

The 2018-19 school year continues to fly by with so many wonderful things happening in both schools. I want to start off by congratulating the cast and crew of "High School Musical" for their wonderful performances this past month. All those involved spent countless hours learning their lines, songs, and dance steps in preparation for the big show. The students truly amazed me with their abilities. I want to thank all of the staff, parents and community volunteers for their hard work to transform the gymnasium into a theatre that was beautifully decorated. The costumes and the sets were extravagant! A special thanks to staff members Diane Brown, Kevin Salmi, and Karen Mathison for ensuring this production came to life! Jana Tannas also deserves a big thank you for all her work with the choreography.

The gymnasium has been a busy place this past month with birdies flying all around.

The middle years and senior years badminton teams have been busy practicing and playing in preparation for divisional tournaments and for provincials. I would like to congratulate all of those students who participated, who earned a ribbon or won their way to a provincial berth. The baseball and fastpitch teams have been practicing in preparation for their upcoming seasons and we are hopeful that true ball weather appears and stays around for a while. Finally, middle years soccer is underway with Hamiota Collegiate fielding a co-ed team this season. At HES, Mr. Coughlan scheduled the annual Pickle Ball Tournament at noon hours and this year Griffin Zilkey and Kaden Allan took home the jar of pickles as champions!

Hamiota Elementary School welcomed our future kindergarten students and parents to our school on April 11 for a Getting Ready for Kindergarten session. We are excited to see the new group of students who are eager to join our school family. Hamiota Schools hosted a Celebration of

Learning on April 17 and 18. This celebration gave our students an opportunity to share their work with family and friends. It was great to see so many people come out. The evening of the 17th also gave the Collegiate a chance to welcome the current grade 5 and grade 8 students to two different orientation sessions for next year. Both sessions were well attended.

The month of May will prove to be equally as busy as the past month. The two schools will also be looking to the future as we will host our annual May planning day on the 10th. This day gives the staff a chance to set goals and directions for the upcoming school year. This year I would like to send out a stakeholders survey to gather some input as to what you would like to see happen in our schools so please stay tuned for more information. Looking ahead the senior band is planning a trip to Moose Jaw, the grade 11 will be trained in First Aid, the division will be hosting a career fair, the band will be performing at their third band concert and the new kindergarten students for next year will be participating in the EYE assessment.

As usual, much has happened since the last newsletter and things will only continue to get busier. Thanks again for all your support and feel free to contact the school should you have any questions, concerns, or simply to chat.

Take care.

Bruce Coulter
Principal



Upcoming Dates:

May 7 & 8 Gr. 11 First Aid Training

May 8 Gr. 6 & 9 Immunizations

May 9 Highway Cleanup (HCI)

May 9 Taco-in-a-Bag Lunch (HES)

May 10 School Planning Day
(no classes)

May 17 HCI Bake Sale & Barbeque
Fundraiser for the Cathy-Jo Growing
Minds Reading Room

May 17 Soccer Jamboree (HES)

May 20 Victoria Day (no classes)

May 22 Grade 3 Lilac Visit

May 23 PWSD Career Fair in Russell

May 24-25 Senior Band Trip

May 26 HCI Fundraiser Meal, Silent
Auction and Entertainment.

Tickets only at HCI Office by May 24

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KINDERGARTEN NEWS from Ms. Surovy

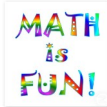
It's certainly hard to believe that we are already into the final stretch of the school year! I am so proud of how far we have come since the beginning of the year and I am excited to see



how much learning we can squeeze into the final months of school.

I wanted to start by thanking all of the families that came out to Celebration of Learning on April 17 and 18. Some of our favorite things to share were our "Me Books" where students completed sentences and drew pictures about themselves, their families, and their community. We also enjoyed displaying our 3D Season Trees for Science and showing off some of our Alphabet Centre work. It was wonderful to catch up with everyone and see all of Kindergarten students so excited to share their learning with their families.

Throughout the month of April, we have also been working on Easter and Spring themed math centres to practice our counting, subitizing, number sense, and patterning skills. We have also been working on printing and forming our numbers properly. This month, we have also been busy representing numbers in different ways by searching for Easter eggs in our sensory tub and placing them in the proper basket!



We have now learned all of the letters of the Alphabet! Students had so much fun travelling to Letterland each week to meet a new character and learn all about each letter during our Alphabet Centres. We will celebrate our learning with an Alphabet Party at the beginning of May! More information about this will be sent home in BEAR Books in the coming weeks. We will continue to work on our letter sounds and printing as part of our Literacy Centres. During this time, we also learn how to read while working in our Guided Reading groups. Students have been working hard to use picture cues to help them read pattern books and have begun to work on sounding out words. We have also been busy learning our



Kindergarten High Frequency words, practicing how to read and spell each word during our Morning Meeting and while working at our Literacy Centres.

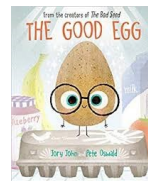
Our Home Reading program is in full swing! Students love choosing their Home

Reading book at the end of the day and I am very excited to see the progress students are making in their reading. Thank-you to all of our parents for supporting this program! Please remember to log Home Reading Books that have been read in the R.E.D. (Read Every Day) section of BEAR Books each night.

This month, we have also been busy with several writing projects. We have spent some time writing our spring and we just completed an Earth Day writing project where we discussed different ways that we can help the Earth stay healthy. We are now able to write two sentences using our High Frequency words and phonetic spelling!



Our class has also been busy learning all about the Zones of Regulation, a program that helps students learn about self-regulation and emotional control. We have had lots of fun exploring the four zones of regulation and learning about some of the characters from Disney's "Inside Out" in the process! This month, we have been working on making a poster for each of the Zones. Throughout the month of March, we have also focused on learning about "Integrity."



"We read Jory John's "The Good Egg" and discussed several different ways that the characters show Integrity. Next month we will be focusing on "Responsibility" as our character trait of the month.

Here are a few important dates and reminders for events that are coming up in May:

Wednesdays—Kindergarten Library Day

May 8—Kindergarten 100 Day

May 10—No School (Planning Day)

May 19—Cassidy's Birthday

May 20—No School (Victoria Day)

May 23—Kaiden's Birthday



****Please check BEAR Books for notes and information that may be sent home this month!**

GRADE ONE NEWS from Mrs. Nowosad

April has sure flown by, and we are so happy to see the sun and the grass!

We continue to be busy in Grade 1, working hard to master our addition facts as well as solving addition and subtraction word problems. We are working on our graphing unit, which has been fun and even included graphing some jelly beans at Easter time.

In Language Arts, we did a large research project on animals. Students were able to go to the website www.pebblego.com to read and listen to information about a variety of different animals. They were able to choose one that interested them, research the required information and then create some awesome animal booklets. I am very proud of the hard work each student put into this project. We have also been working on sequencing stories and using transition words when retelling a story.

In Science, we have been working on our unit called Characteristics of Living Things. We have learned what characteristics are needed for something to be living. We have planted some marigolds and bean seeds and are anxiously waiting to see how well they will grow.

I am very proud of our Grade 1 and Grade 4 classes for taking some time to go and help clean up our playground. There was a ton of garbage that they were able to pick up to help make it look much better!



Thank you to all my students and families who were able to come in for Celebration of Learning. It was nice to see everyone, and especially the pride in students as they showed off their great work!



GRADE 2 NEWS from Mrs. Gregory & Mrs. McNabb

The grade two classroom continues to be a busy place to learn and have fun. In math, we have been working on problems that require subtracting 2 digit numbers. We continue to practise decomposing numbers to help us subtract. It has been fun trying to come up with some incredible equations to equal a given number. We completed a wanted poster for a number by representing it in many different ways. We have also been measuring using a variety of nonstandard units. We continue to work on predicting an element in a repeating pattern as well as extending increasing patterns. In science we continue to work on our unit on Position and Motion.

We have made ramps and tested to see if objects would roll or slide down the ramp. We also covered pennies with different materials to test which ones were the best and worst sliders. Everyone enjoyed letting toy cars go down low, medium and high ramps. We measured how far the cars would go and discovered the cars went furthest on the medium and high ramps and didn't go as far when going down the

low ramps. We have also learned about six simple machines. The Grade 2's have been sharpening their pencils, writing entertaining Easter stories with a focus on developing a strong beginning, middle and end.

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They are learning about parts of speech such as nouns, verbs and adjectives.

They had fun writing List Poems using a describing word and a noun. Here are a few ... enjoy!!!

Hockey

Cool stick
Hard puck
Nice net
Fast players
White ice
Sharp skates
By Carter

Farms

Big fields
Yellow wheat
Lime green soy beans
Black canola
Red Case
Green John Deere
By Thompson

School

Mad math
Squeaky lockers
Heavy backpacks
Extraordinary reading
Colorful markers
Sportsy gym
Beautiful music
By Harmony

Nature

Sandy lake
Bad mosquitoes
Hot sand
Nice Rain
Beautiful trees
Light sun
By Brittyn

Our Celebration of Learning was well attended and everyone did a great job showing their work to their parents.

It is hard to believe that there are only two more months left in the school year and we are sure they will be just as busy if not busier than this past month has been.

GRADE 3 NEWS from Mrs. Dixon

It's been another busy month around here. We worked hard on some animal research and were really pleased to be able to share our projects as Power Points. We enjoyed presenting both to our classmates, and to our families during Celebration of Learning Day! Thanks to everyone who was able to drop by and share in our learning!

In Math, Miss Hawkins has been teaching us all about multiplication and how it's related to repeated addition. We've been using catchy counting songs to help us with skip counting by 3s up to 7s.

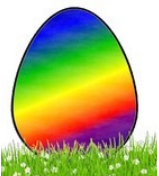
In Social Studies, Miss Hawkins has capably piloted us on two virtual plane trips to Tanzania and Mozambique, Africa! We've learned how precious the use of water is in these countries and compared how much we use daily in Canada. If we had to carry our water, we would become much more efficient in using it!



We celebrated Earth Day during our last Lilac visit, as we helped our feathered friends by making bird feeders for them. It was a beautiful, sunny morning when we hung them in the trees and many of our buddies enjoyed basking in the warmth outside after a long winter. We also made a “bouquet” of paper flowers for them...hopefully, these will brighten their days until real flowers make their appearances! Speaking of our buddies, we wrote some interesting biographies about them, following some interviews we conducted this winter. If you're passing by our bulletin board, be sure to stop by and give them a read. It's hard to believe we only have one visit left this school year!



Our April home reading program has been Easter Egg Reading. As students read, they are able to decorate their egg. There are some cool designs being created, and of course, home reading is being completed. Well done, Grade 3s!



It's also hard to believe that Miss Hawkins' student teaching term is finished next week. We really appreciate all the hard work and interest she has put into our classroom. We will sure miss her, but many of us will look forward to seeing her at Day Camps this summer. Thanks so much, Miss Hawkins - high fives, cool handshakes and teddy bear hugs to you!

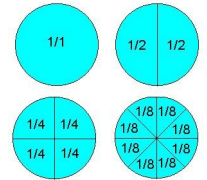
GRADE 4 NEWS from Mrs. L. Routledge

We are ready to say goodbye to April and hello to May, and warmer weather! April has been a very busy month here in Grade 4 and we are thinking it's not going to slow down anytime soon!

April was a BIG month to show off our hard work and accomplishments so far this year! Celebration of Learning was a hit, with all families attending to celebrate their child's successes. The Bigfoot dioramas were on display in the hallway and many positive comments and cheery laughter were heard as families took in the creativity and imagination of the Grade 4 students.

Bigfoot continues to be a hot topic in ELA. The students are forming opinions and learning how to support them using evidence from various forms of text; books, magazine articles, videos, internet, etc. Persuasive writing continues!

In math, we have been comparing and ordering fractions and exploring fractions of a set. These are tricky concepts so we are hitting them hard. Soon we will begin working with decimals!



In social studies we are researching Arctic animals. We have been learning about habitats, diet, predators vs. prey, interesting habits, adaptations, etc. of our particular animal. The students will present their findings to the class.



UPCOMING DATES AT HAMIOTA ELEMENTARY

May 9 ~ Taco in a bag hot lunch

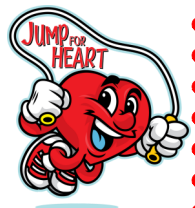
May 10 ~ No classes for
Planning Day

May 17 ~ Soccer Jamboree

May 20 ~ No classes for Victoria Day

May 22 ~ Grade 3 Lilac Visit

HES raised a total of
\$5,843.35 for Heart and
Stroke by participating in
the Jump Rope for Heart
program. This
was the highest
we have ever
raised.



**Thank you for all your
generous support!**

GRADE 5 NEWS from Mrs. D. Routledge

It Grade 5 Newsletter

Wow! Another month has flown by. It's hard to believe there are only two months left!

This past month we had our Celebration of Learning day and evaluated the goals we set for ourselves in November. Many of the goals ranged from getting faster at multiplication to improving reading levels to having nicer handwriting. We discovered that some people were quite successful at accomplishing what they had set out to do, while others still need a little more time to reach their goal. We would like to thank all the parents who were able to come in for Celebration of Learning to look at our social studies projects, French videos and other things we have accomplished.

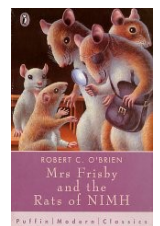
We just wrapped up our social studies unit this week, and are looking forward to starting a science unit on the human body! We will be starting by looking at nutrition labels and learning how to evaluate which foods are better for us. We will also be looking at the many different systems it takes for our bodies to run smoothly.

Nutrition Facts	
Serving Size (1 quesadilla)	
Amount Per Serving	
Calories 302	
	% Daily Values*
Total Fat 15g	23%
Saturated Fat 9g	45%
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol 67mg	22%
Sodium 502mg	21%
Total Carbohydrate 22g	7%
Dietary Fiber 2g	8%
Sugars 12g	
Protein 20g	40%
*Percent Daily Values are based on a diet of other people's secrets.	

In math, we are working on fractions and decimals and the many ways to represent them. One thing we are struggling to remember is when we change a fraction to a decimal, we have to make sure the denominator is 10, 100 or 1000.

0.01	0.16	0.35	0.43	0.98
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In language arts, we have just completed our research projects where we had to organize our research into paragraphs with topic sentences, concluding sentences, and lots of details in between. We have now begun to do a novel called 'Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH' with our main focus being to develop our vocabulary.



With only two months left, we still have much to accomplish!



Happy spring, everyone!

GRADE 5 BADMINTON by Mr. Coughlan



Grade 5 boys and girls were off to Britle on April 22nd for a badminton singles tournament. All players put in a great effort for their first ever tournament.

Special congrats goes out to Kaden Allan who finished 2nd in the boys tournament.

In picture

Back: Alexis Summer, Hudson Bond, Kaden Allan, Griffin Zilkey, Nolan Drake, Hunter Hamilton

Front: Alyssa Kirk, Alec Strachan

Are YOU or someone YOU KNOW going into GRADE 6 this fall?

Every day we make decisions that protect ourselves and the people around us to keep everyone safe. We are taught to wear a seatbelt when riding in a car, to stay home from school when we are sick, and we get immunizations to keep ourselves and everyone around us healthy today, tomorrow and in the future.

Grade 6 students will receive three vaccines in the 2019-2020 school year. These vaccines are Hepatitis B, HPV (Human Papillomavirus) and Meningococcal and they are all very important. These vaccines prepare young bodies with a defense (antibodies) that will protect against these diseases, if and when they are exposed to them at an older age. Our goal, as health care providers, is to help protect all children against serious diseases.

All of these vaccines protect against serious infections. The Hepatitis B vaccine protects against liver disease. The HPV vaccine protects against several HPV viral infections, some of which can lead to certain types of cancers. The meningococcal vaccine protects against a life-threatening illness, caused by a bacteria that can infect the blood and brain.

These vaccines work best when given at a younger age for two reasons. It allows children to develop an immune response before they are exposed to the viruses and younger people create more antibodies to the vaccine than those in their late teens. Immunizing as many children as possible also helps to protect those that cannot be immunized because of other serious health issues.

If you have questions about these vaccines, or the school immunization program, please feel free to call your local public health office (204-764-4213), or speak to your health care provider.

Information about these vaccines and a consent form will be sent home with all Grade 6 children in Sept 2019.



PRAIRIE MOUNTAIN HEALTH

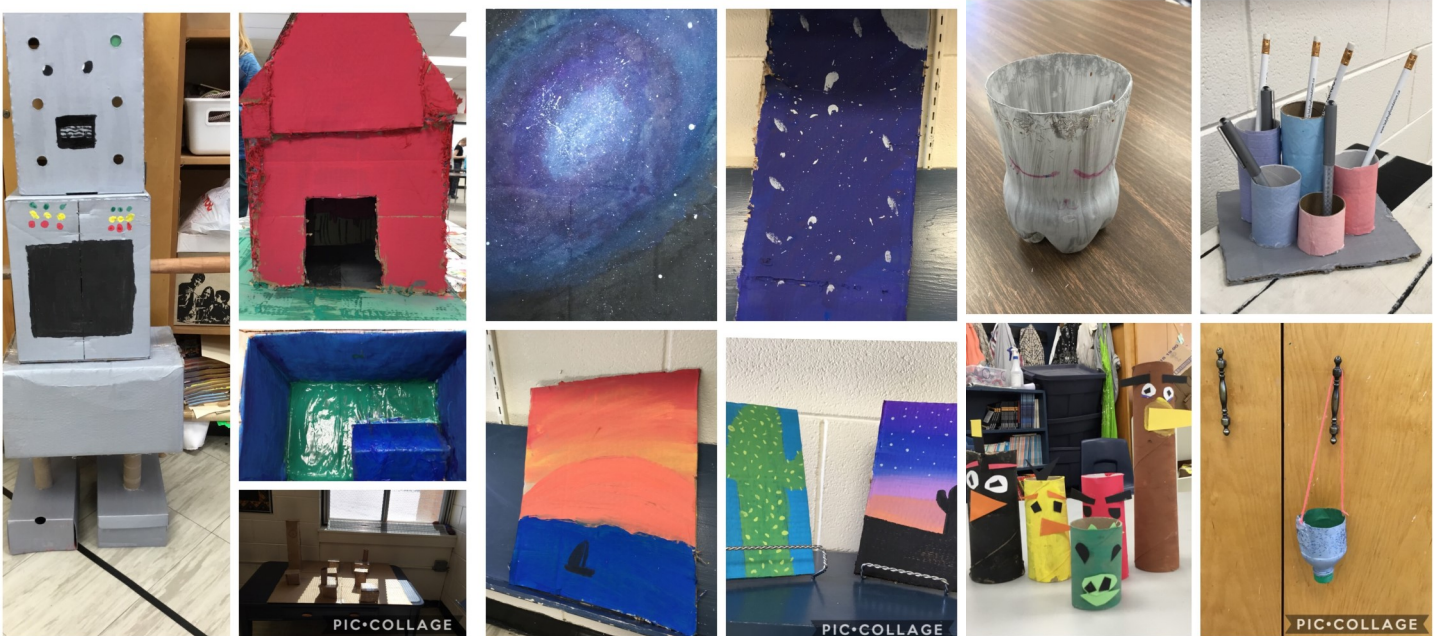
CLASSROOM ENERGY DIET by Alexis Dale student writer from Mrs. Obach's Grade 6 Class

For a little while we have been working on the Classroom Energy Diet Challenge, which includes different challenges that will help the earth. The prize is a sum of money which we are crossing our fingers that we win.

One of the challenges that we have participated in is the *One Hour with No Power challenge*. When we went to submit our hours we soon found out that we needed 15 hours to submit the challenge, so our class came up with the idea to get our fellow peers to help us get our hours and thankfully we got them with the help from our friends.

Another challenge that we really enjoyed was the *Recycled Art challenge*. In this challenge you had to make an art piece out of recycling. We found that if we really think we can make something even more great than we expected! Some of the ideas we came up with were: a recycled robot (Jeff), a fairy house, a village, a pig barn, a paper mache dancer, a paper mache baseball and bat, a paper mache cactus, cardboard angry birds, painting on cardboard, bird feeders and a pencil holder.

All of these things we really enjoyed and we hope you enjoy reading about all of our fun with this project that we participated in.



SENIOR BADMINTON by Mr. Smith



Back: Liam Caldwell, Reece Breneman, Rylan Kent, Colin Crampain, Cale Murray, Cole Allan, Mr. Cory Smith (coach)

Middle: Kyle Johns, Brady Dziver, Kayden Sutherland, Kyler Sutherland, David McConnell, Cole Allan, Nash Gurr, Hayden Crampain

Front: Chantelle Chappell, Sheena Johnson, Telyna Lake, Kaitlyn Campbell, Zachi Espayos, Hailey Chappell

Missing: Alexa, Tessa, Jana



MIDDLE YEARS SOCCER from Ms. Surovy

Practices: Tuesdays and Thursdays
3:30-4:30

Bring cleats (or running shoes), shin pads, soccer socks, and a water bottle.

DRESS FOR THE WEATHER!



Varsity badminton is coming to a close. We hosted the south half playoff on Wednesday April 17th. Placements were:

Varsity doubles:

1st Reece Breneman and Hayden Crampain

2nd Cole Allan and Cale Murray

Varsity Singles:

1st Kayden Sutherland .

JV Doubles

1st Colin Crampain and Nash Gurr

3rd Cole Clark and Brady Dziver.

1st Hailey Chappell and Zachi Espayos

3rd Tessa McIntyre and Telyna Lake

JV Singles

2nd Kate Leigh Heapy

3rd Alexa Bernier

1st Rylan Kent

2nd Kyler Sutherland.

At the end of the Zones we had 10 athletes earn the right to go to provincials. Heading to Winkler for Girls are Hailey, Zachi and Kate-Leigh who all placed 1st. Colin and Nash won the JV boys doubles. Varsity players heading to Thompson May 2nd are Cole and Cale who placed 1st and Reece and Hayden who placed 2nd in the finals as well as Kayden Sutherland who finished 2nd.

Great work all and good luck in Winkler and Thompson!

MIDDLE YEARS BADMINTON by Miss Hawkins



Back: Aiden Murray, Connor Ramsey, Rylan Gage, Owen Cal, Reanna Gage, McKenna Laberge, Ella Gurr

Fourth Row: Ty Kirk, John Lelond, Caleb McTavish, Will McConnell, Riley McTavish, Whitney Rozdeba, Kia Knight, Trinity Lints, Je Anne Villela, Shirley Johnson, Cydney Boryskavich, Lilly McDonald, Kylie Lodge

Third Row: Hailen Pompano, Sev Antonio, Peyton Tolton, Landon Dmyterko, Chael Rozdeba, Garrett Kent, Danika Smith, Rudy Bond, Surrey Smith, Kylin Robinson, Sophie Ragandang, Miss Sarah Lopes (coach)

Second Row: Jaxen Dziver, Caleb Hamilton, Shane Sparrow, Rogue Toth, Tara Knight, Tristin McTavish, Miss Jillian Hawkins (coach)

Front Row: Seth Hamilton, Charlie Airey, Carson Smith, Drayson Sheridan, Colt Brooks, Jade Crampton, Sarah Chappell, Alexis Dale, Kayleigh Knight, Calli Wilson-Davey, Alex Boryskavich, Madison Mann

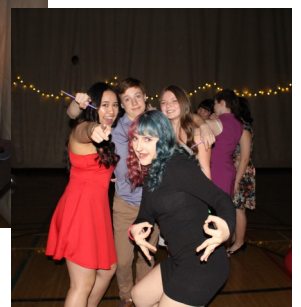
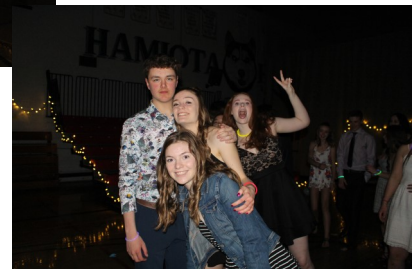
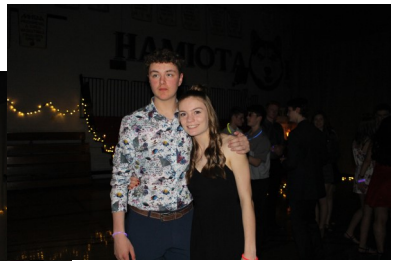
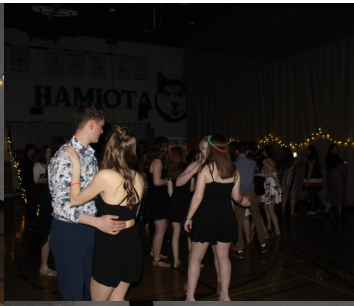
Middle year's badminton has come to a close at HCI for the 2019 season. Once again there were a great number of students who participated. There were over 40 athletes from grades 6 – 8. Miss Hawkins coached the girls and Ms. Lopes coached the boys. The practices focused on building skills and strategy and putting those to work during game play.

The badminton season ended with divisional tournaments for the students. Congratulations to the following players for earning a spot at one or more of the tournaments: Tara Knight, Sarah Chappell, Kayleigh Knight, Tristin McTavish, Alexis Dale, Calli Wilson-Davey, Sev Antonio, Drayson Sheridan, Chael Rozdeba, Carson Smith, Surrey Smith, Shirley Johnson, Kylie Lodge, Lilly McDonald, Sophie Ragandang, Kylin Robinson, Shane Sparrow, Rudy Bond, Riley McTavish, Danika Smith, Kia Knight, Cydney Boryskavich, Whitney Rozdeba, Ella Gurr, JeAnne Villela, Reanna Gage, Trinity Lints, Garrett Kent, Colt Brooks, Rylan Gage, Ty Kirk, Aiden Murray, Owen Cal, Connor Ramsey, Will McConnell, John Lelond, and Caleb McTavish.

STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS from Josh Wright

This past month our new student council has fully taken over responsibilities for their assigned positions. This is how the new student council looks; President-Olivia, Vice President-Foster, Secretary-Kiara, Treasurer- Eve, Sports rep-Kayden, Social rep-Jana, Literary rep-Dawson, Room rep-Joshua.

We have added 2 canteen reps-Hailey Chappell and Kareena Sims and our Junior vice president is Tess McTavish. It has been a busy month for our council, getting used to our new roles. We organized a dance this month that took place on the 18th. It was very successful, with lots of people attending. Thanks to all who helped out and volunteered their time. Our volunteer of the month was Carrie-Ann Sheane. We are currently planning our June Fun Day and barbeque.



PARK WEST SCHOOL DIVISION

HCI'S spring fundraiser this year will be for the Cath-Jo Harrison Growing Minds Reading Room at Hamiota Elementary School which is requiring substantial renovations. Fundraising will begin with a Bake Sale & Barbeque for the public and students, on May 17th at the collegiate. We will be asking for support from our school families asking for baking items. A fundraising dinner with entertainment and a silent auction will be held on May 26th. Brett Hemrica is also auctioning off his hair to be cut for a good cause. Please watch for more information!



HCI Bake Sale + BBQ

Proceeds going to
Cathy-Jo Harrison Growing Minds Reading Room

When: Friday May 17th
Where: Hamiota Collegiate Lobby
Time: 11:30-1:00
Cost: Hot Dogs- \$2.00
Drinks- \$1.00
Prices of baked items vary



Cathy-Jo Harrison Growing Minds Reading Room Fundraiser

Tickets
12 and older: \$25
Under 12: \$15

Sunday May 26th at the HCI Gymnasium

Doors open at 5:30pm

Includes: An Italian dinner, silent auction, variety of entertainment including music, dancing and Brett Hemrica is auctioning off his hair to be cut for a good cause

Buy tickets in advance only at the HCI office. Pay at the school when receiving tickets only until May 24th

STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN BIRDTAIL RIVER FESTIVAL

The Birdtail River Fine Arts Festival ended with their final concert of vocal, dance, piano and instrumental sessions. Congratulations to the following Hamiota students on winning awards at the festival: Vi Smith Memorial Folk Song Medallion—Ariah Davison, Isabella Vocal Award—Jude Davison, Grade 2 Piano Medallion—Roanna Davison, Nicholson Farms Award Gr. 4 Piano, Crocus Bakery Piano Award and Provincial nomination—Ella Gurr, Dance Scholarship—Brady Gregory & Kendra Dale, Instrumental Solo scholarship—Alex Boryskavich, and Band Scholarship—Hamiota School Band. Great job and congratulations to all who took part.

HCI ANNUAL SPORTS BANQUET

On June 13th Hamiota Collegiate will be hosting its annual sports banquet to recognize all students who have played sports this year and to honour students who have excelled. The evening will also include a banquet—roast beef, meatballs, baked potato, hash brown casserole, vegetable, salad, dessert and beverage. **Tickets must be paid for and picked up by Friday, June 7.** Cost of tickets is \$20.00 for adults and \$5.00 for athletes and students. As well we are pleased to have Bob Caldwell as our guest speaker this year.



Bob Caldwell was born in Hamiota. He is a graduate of Hamiota Collegiate, where he was active in all sports, winning the Male Athlete of the Year award. He also played with the Senior Red Sox for 8 years and on the Senior Hockey team. He began his teaching career in Deloraine in 1975. He is now retired from teaching. He has years of experience working with hockey players from Initiation Program through to NCAA and believes strongly that teaching skills and fundamentals are the keys to developing quality players. Experiences include being guest coach with Canada’s national team, traveling to Russia to study their system in the 1970’s, participating in the Hockey Canada- Hockey Finland coach exchange and coaching with Andy Murray at Western Michigan University. He coached the U18 team in Poland and also travelled to Romania in efforts to help them develop their hockey programs. He has also facilitated coach programs in Finland and Scotland. Bob has prepared and produced 5 DVDs on puck control and small area games that he makes available free of charge to all coaches who attend skills seminars. He also developed the three level “Developing Skilled Defenseman” seminars for Hockey Canada’s coach’s program. Bob has filled a number of volunteer roles: serving as Hockey Manitoba Master Mentor, sitting on Hockey Canada’s Checking Committee and National Coach Mentorship Advisory Council and is past chair of Sport Manitoba’s Advisory Board. Bob was one of the driving forces behind the formation of the National Coach Mentorship Program. In 2012, Bob was named Hockey Manitoba’s Volunteer of the year and in 2015 was the recipient of the prestigious Hockey Canada’s Gordon Jukes Award presented to the person who has made exceptional contributions to the development of amateur hockey in Canada. In 2018, he was the winner of the Brandon Sun Community Leader Coaching Award and was inducted into Brandon University Sports Hall of Fame.

GIRLS FASTPITCH

BOYS BASEBALL

Tues., April 30	Russell @ Hamiota 5:30 & 7:00	Wed., May 1	5:30	Hamiota vs Shoal Lake/Strathclair/ /Rossburn @ Oak River
Mon., May 6	Birtle @ Hamiota 5:30 & 7:00	Sun., May 5	12:00	Ste.Rose/McCreary @ Hamiota
Tues., May 7	Hamiota @ Russell 5:30 & 7:00		4:00	Dauphin @ Hamiota
Thurs., May 9	Hamiota @ Birtle 5:30 & 7:00	Wed., May 8	5:30	Hamiota @ Birtle
May 13/14	Make up Games	Fri., May 10	5:30	Rivers @ Hamiota
Wed., May 14	Game 5 between Hamiota & Birtle if necessary to break series tie	Sun., May 12	12:00	Hamiota @ Major Pratt—Russell
Week of May 20	Possible Inter-Zone game			
May 30-June 1	Possible Provincials in Russell			

HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL

HAMIOTA SCHOOLS



Back: Sarah Chappell, Addison Johns, Janna Tannas (Choreographer), Tristan McTavish, Calli Wilson-Davey, Rogue Toth, Roanna Davison, Shirley Johnson, Surrey Smith, Kylynn Kasto, Kayleigh Knight, Kendra Drake, Kolby Alexander, Sheena Johnson, Mrs. Karen Mathison (Producer), Jade Crampton

Middle: Mrs. Diane Brown (Director), Caleb Rindlisbacher, Machaela Tannas, Vince David, Kareena Sims, Chantelle Chappell, Emma McConnell, Tess McTavish, Dawson Brooks, Miss Jillian Hawkins, Mr. Shaun Hunter, Kiara Kirk, Mr. Dave Brown (Sound & Lighting)

Front: Christyna Caldwell, Rhylen DeBin, Kyler Sutherland, Brendan Lawn, Hayden Crampain, Hailey Chappell, Jana McTavish, Mr. Kevin Salmi (Musical Director)

Floor: Kayden Sutherland, David McConnell

High School Musical was a great success!!! Thanks to the cast and crew for their many hours of work preparing, rehearsing and performing. Thanks to students Chantelle Chappell and Machaela Tannas who assisted with choreography, Yesenia Klasen for her work on props, to Shanna Lelond and Cole Clark for poster design, to Mr. Crampain (who also helped with sound) and his Entrepreneur Class for tickets and to Aaron Clark for video and Aiden Murray, Kylie Lodge and Kylin Robinson for taking pictures. Thanks also to the parents who supported their students and to those who assisted with set construction, painting, backstage assistance, concession, bringing cookies, and Sunday Clean-up. Thanks to Norm & Jacquie Gage for the loan of their basketball net and to the Hamiota Community Drama Group for the loan of their stage. Thanks to Mr. Coulter and the entire staff of their patience and support. Special thanks to Mrs. Hawkins for ticket sales, working the door and organizing ushers and to custodian Mr. Matiation for his assistance.