

Holy Name Hawk Happenings

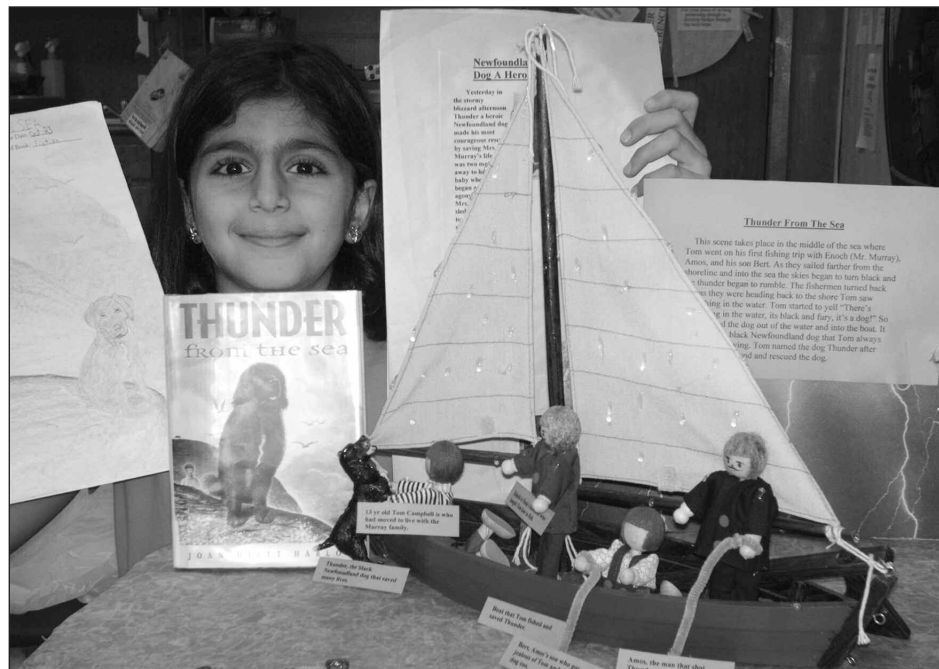
In classroom news ... In their study of Visual Arts, Grade 1 students have been learning about and experimenting with various colours. Students have learned to identify the various categories of colour – primary colours, secondary colours, warm/cool colours, and neutral colours. Some of the activities and creative work completed include: primary colour handprints, pattern caterpillars made using primary colours, 'blotter bugs' made with secondary colours that were created by mixing and experimentation, warm/cool colour collages, and animal pictures created using only neutral colours. Students have created their very own

art book to house their creations. Student art books will be available for viewing on parent-teacher interview night and will be sent home at a later date.

In school news ... The Student Council will be holding its first 'Loonie License Day' of the year on Friday, Nov. 24. Proceeds from this fundraiser will go toward general school funds, as well as supporting two worthy community groups: the St. Michael's Alternative (Victoria Campus) Food and Clothing Drive and the Essex Food Bank. With the holidays fast-approaching, many people in our community who often go without the basic necessities will be

able to enjoy some extra food and clothing thanks to the generosity of Holy Name School!

Students can purchase a license for privileges and activities not normally made available to them at the cost of \$1 per activity. Students will have the opportunity to choose up to five 'privileges' to be cashed in on 'Loonie License Day'. If students choose to participate in all five activities agreed upon and chosen by their particular class, they would then contribute \$5. All monies in support of 'Loonie License Day' are due no later than Friday, Nov. 24. Thank you for supporting your student council!



CREATIVE NOVEL MUSEUMS – Sarah Zaarour displays her novel museum on the book entitled "Thunder By the Sea". Ms. Schmidt's grade 5 class at Maplewood Public School created novel museums last month. A novel museum is an engineered designed showpiece that displays a scene from a novel that students had chosen. The students considered places, objects, setting, and characters that are significant to the reader for their museum. Each museum displays 'artifacts' from the book and labels explaining the artifact's significance. Novel museums are intended to teach the visitor something about the book and inspire others to read.

Red Raider News

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The curling season at EDHS is in full swing. The curling team defeated Assumption in an exciting game at the Sun Parlor Curling Club in Leamington Nov. 13. The game went both ways, but in the end the Raiders came out above with a 6-3 victory.

The curling team played a makeup game Nov. 14 against Kennedy at the Curling Club of Kingsville. The Raiders must have been a little too confident with their previous day's win because Kennedy took the victory with a score of 16-1.

The curling team faced Riverside for the third game of the week Nov. 15. That

day's 7-5 loss gives the team a 2-2 record.

The girls' hockey team played their first game of the season on Nov. 16 against Leamington. The teams tied 2-2.

The boys' hockey team defeated Riverside on Nov. 15 with a score of 7-2.

The junior girls' basketball team beat Brennan in the quarterfinal game. Kelsey Balkwill and Courtney Johnston lead the team to a victory of 46-17 for the Raiders.

The team also played Sandwich in the semi finals on Nov. 15 at EDHS. Both teams were determined to take the victory but with

more fans on the Raiders' side, The girls worked hard and came out on top defeating Sandwich 50-35.

The girls moved onto the WECSSAA championship game on Nov. 19 at St. Clair College (see story on page 17).

The junior boys' football team defeated General Amherst on Nov. 14 in the play-off action. The boys played strong and ended the game with a score of 46-17.

EDHS is holding a can drive for the Essex Area Food Bank in the next couple of weeks. The first period class that brings in the most cans will receive a free pizza party.

Colchester North School News

On November 10 Colchester's students honoured Remembrance Day in a touching ceremony organized by Ms. Sandstedt. Students from different classes contributed by singing songs or reciting poems which inspired us to remember the soldiers who fought for our country.

Ms. Regehr's class has been busy writing, using interesting word choices to create a more vivid picture in

the reader's mind. Here are some samples.

"One day I went to gymnastics and *hopped* all around the whole entire gym! I *leaped* so high I *soared* around the gym." – by Samantha F.

"I like to *zig-zag* around the playground. I like to *blast* around the playground. I like to *chat* with my friends. I *chase* them around the playground." – by Brandon S. Justine Y. from Mrs. Fox's

grade 5 class has also been writing and created a descriptive acrostic poem about Coca Cola:

Cold
Original
Classic
Awesome
Cool
Own
Likeable
Ask your mom!

Colchester students are selling Christmas poinsettias until Nov. 24.

Mr. Moore is once again organizing the annual craft show to be held Dec. 1 and 2. The craft show is a huge success and takes up all three gyms in the school. Helping

out at this event is a great opportunity for students to get community service hours.

As the days go by, more information about the

Toronto Trip is surfacing. The students will be enjoying the musical "Wicked" and then attending a dinner tournament at the Medieval Times.

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