



Board Highlights

June 2011

Happening this Month!

June 1

KDS Circle Ceremony



June 1-3

NWT Track and Field

Grade 5 Earth Medicine Camp



June 7

SJF Awards Day



June 10

PD Day - Lunch dismissal for all schools



June 6-10

Grade 6 Caribou Camp



June 14

Regular Board Meeting, 7:00 pm



June 18

Aboriginal Honour Ceremony



June 20

EJHS Aboriginal Celebration

RLN Aboriginal Celebration

Thank You!

As the 2010-2011 school year comes to an end YK1 would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their hard work and commitment throughout the year. Without your time and efforts many things would not have been possible for us.

First of all, thank you to school PAC's. You are fundamental to the achievement of YK1 and YK1 students. Your collaboration with students, principals, teachers, school board members and the community lays the foundation for success in our district. As the voices of our schools, you take responsibility for educational issues, decision-making, and you encourage our community to get involved.

Thank you to the many volunteers for their tireless efforts throughout the year. These volunteers include staff, parents, and students. Your dedication has contributed to many successful events such as the Playground Build at N.J Macpherson School, the Multicultural Lunch at Ecole J.H. Sissons, the productions of The Wizard of Oz, Pinocchio, and Grease, and Range Lake North School's Family Fun Night. These are all memorable occasions and events and YK1 is proud to have such dedicated volunteers.

We would also like to thank District Office staff for all of their hard work and collaboration with the schools. Your work allows the office to run smoothly. Thank you to the Board of Trustees who make student success their priority – YK1 students benefit tremendously because of your hard work. Thank you to the ratepayers who support YK1 programs, and the businesses and organizations that support YK1.

Last but not least, thank you to our wonderful students for their hard work and continuous working. We look forward to seeing you in the fall.

*Have a wonderful and safe summer.
See you next year!*

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June 21

Aboriginal Day - no school

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June 23

MHS Grade 8 Grad

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June 24

RLN Family Day BBQ

KTW Field Day

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June 25

ESJF Graduation

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June 27

EJHS Sports Day

RLN Grade 8 Farewell & Awards

WMS Grade 8 Farewell & Dance

KDS Final Circle Ceremony

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June 28

Last day of school!

Report Cards go home

MHS Awards Assembly

WMS Year-End Talnet Show

KTW Awards & BBQ

EJHS Farewell Assembly

ESJF Assembly

PAC Corner

June 7 • SJF

June • wms, mhs

JUNE 15 • EJHS

Ed Jeske inducted into Education Hall of Fame

Congratulations on the justly deserved recognition Ed Jeske recently received from the Minister of Education, and his induction into the NWT Education Hall of Fame. His many years of service and teaching in Yellowknife Education District No 1 are still fondly remembered by many former students and staff. Through teaching, and countless hours of volunteer work, he taught life skills to students, fostered personal development and growth, and set the stage for further success.

YK1 proudly thanks Ed Jeske for his contribution to École Sir John Franklin High School, his students and colleagues, and to his development of skilled NWT workers.

Principal Appointment

Yellowknife Education District No.1 is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Ed Lippert as Principal of École Sir John Franklin High School.

Mr. Lippert has served as Assistant Principal of École Sir John Franklin High School since August 2008. He is a graduate of the University of Guelph specializing in Science and received his degree in Education from the University of Western Ontario. Mr. Lippert has continued his growth in education over the past 24 years by actively involving himself in professional development.

Mr. Lippert has had several years of experience teaching in the North, including 13 years at École Sir John Franklin High School and seven years at Samuel Hearne Secondary School in Inuvik. During this time Mr. Lippert has been head of the science department, taken on numerous leadership roles and has actively participated in the extracurricular lives of students by taking on lead roles in SCUBA, Grad and various other student events.

Residing in Yellowknife since 1990 with his wife Kathy, Mr. Lippert has found the community of Yellowknife the perfect place to raise his family. His two grown sons, Seth and Josh are both graduates of Sir John Franklin High School.

Mr. Lippert brings with him 24 years of active involvement in the Education field and recognizing the strength of the school, is excited with the opportunity to work towards building on the high quality programs that are available for students at École Sir John Franklin High School. Mr. Lippert is committed to the continual improvement of public education opportunities for all students in the North and especially for Yellowknife and Sir John Franklin High School.

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