

Husky Howler

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School Calendar

- April 13 - Last Day of School - Easter
- April 24 - School Reopens
- May 22 - Victoria Day
- June 22 - Last Day for Students
- June 23 - Administration Day

Message from the Administration

As we begin Semester 2 at Heritage Collegiate we would like to commend all those who have met with great success in Semester 1. We challenge those who did not meet their goals to put forth the necessary efforts in Semester 2. Remember to avail of all the supports in place (class calendars, powerschool, tutorials, etc.). Again, we extend many thanks to those families who continue to support via volunteering and donating to our many activities. Your kindness does not go unnoticed.

BALL FIELD FUNDRAISER

The administration is supporting an initiative of its School Council and its Award Foundation in providing the opportunity for local businesses, family groups, organizations, alumni, and interested citizens in fundraising for the final phase of our ballfield completion. We are seeking sponsorship of 100 fence posts for the erection of a fence surrounding the ballfield at cost of \$100 per post. An official income tax receipt can be issued to partnering businesses, groups, and individuals who would like to support this cause. A permanent billboard will be constructed to acknowledge all those who contribute to this endeavor. Please contact the school (467 2717) if you are interested in helping us realize our long standing/ dream of completing our ballfield. Our most sincere appreciation to Heritage Collegiate's Parent-Support Group who have generously purchased 10 of these posts!

Ms. Burry has started the [Grade 9 Career Module](#). During the module, some of the topics covered include learning about the High School credit system, post-secondary program options, budgeting and the on-line Career Cruising program. Later in the Spring, there will be a Grade 9 meeting for students and parents to go through the course selection process for Grade 10.

Husky Howl-Out

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~**Nathan Bladen, Katelyn Sawyer, Harnoor Singh, Alaina Chaulk** who each found money in the school hallway and turned it in to the office,
Lew Wiseman (bus driver) found money on his bus and turned it in to the office.

~**Sandy Holloway** for your contribution to the Breakfast Program.

~ **Paulette & Harold Stephenson** for your time and generosity with Art Club! We appreciate your baked goods in both Art Club and in the Breakfast Program.

Lost and Found Items are beginning to gather up. Students need to check the box outside the office door, if you are missing watches, bracelets, earrings, chains, calculators check with the secretary – some of these appear to be VALUABLE.

Art Club



Tuesdays @ 2:35 See Ms. Collins for details!



Heritage Collegiate will hold our Pink Shirt Day on **Feb. 20**

We are very pleased to announce that we have been chosen as 1 of 15 schools across the province to be offered a FREE presentation by **Jeremy Bennett**. Jeremy was diagnosed at a young age with a severe form of Obsessive Compulsive Disorder, anxiety and clinical depression. He knows first-hand the effects of mental illness. He is a graduate of St. Francis Xavier University with a degree in Psychology and Philosophy, a published author of 2 books, a speaker on the topic of stress and anxiety for the past ten years, produced three national and international television documentaries on the power of the mind. Jeremy has been featured on many national and international television networks such as CTV, Global TV, Vision TV, CBC, TSN, and TSN2 and has won many awards.

Grade 12 Students/Parents

Grade 12 students are now in the final stretch of their last year of High School. If they are planning on applying to a Post-Secondary program, they should do so as soon as possible. Ms. Burry (Guidance Counsellor) has already meet with all Grade 12 students to discuss their future plans. {REMINDER: those who are planning on applying for a student loan they will not be able to do so until sometime in June.} Ms. Burry will ensure that all students are aware of when the loan application is on line and she will inform them when she will be able to provide any help students might need.



PowerSchool

For the most up-to-date scores in courses, be sure to check PowerSchool.

Links for both PowerSchool & Course calendars available on the school's website.

Course Calendars

Be sure to make checking the course calendars a part of your daily routine.

Ski White Hills



Heritage Collegiate's Annual ski trip will occur on **Wednesday, March 1**. Forms have been sent out. **Please return these to Ms. Burry or Mrs. Blundon ASAP.** Limited space on the bus – get your forms in early if you plan to attend,

YEARBOOK NOTICE

We still have **yearbooks** from previous years to sell for \$10.00, please pass the word along. Years are: 2010-2011, 2011-2012, 2012-2013, 2013-2014, 2014-2015.

HUSKY ATHLETICS

On January 13-14, **Heritage Collegiate** played host to the **SSNL 3A Girls Varsity Volleyball Provincial**. We welcomed teams from **Tricentia Academy** (Arnold's Cove), **Roncalli Central High**, **Riverwood Academy** (Wing's Point), **Leo Burke Academy** (Bishop's Falls), **Pasadena Academy**, **St. James Regional High** (Port aux Basques), **White Hills Academy** (St. Anthony), and **Sheshatshiu Innu School**. For two days, the gym was bursting with excitement, from the energy of the opening and closing ceremonies to the intense three set matches with fans cheering from the sidelines! The atmosphere was electric! And, to add to this excitement, we had a visit from the newest addition to our team, Howler, the Husky!

Congratulations to our Lady Huskies on another great performance. You were great ambassadors for our school and you played awesome! Making it to the semis in a 9-team tournament is a great accomplishment. We are very proud of you all!

Not only was it a great experience for our host team but the whole school community. We got to show case our school to the province and expose our student body to high level competition. Many young students are excited about playing volleyball and maybe someday participating in such an event.

A tournament of this magnitude cannot happen without a great deal of work and support. There is no shortage of volunteers in our school community. Our students, staff, administration, support staff, parents, grandparents, community members and local sponsors were very eager to help ensure that the tournament was a success. And, it was a HUGE success! We received so many compliments from visiting teams regarding the organization of the tournament, the cleanliness of our building, the delicious hot turkey dinner served at the banquet, how accommodating we were as a host school, etc. Thank you **SO** much to everyone who helped in anyway. We appreciate everything you do to make our school a **GREAT** place to be!!



Heritage Collegiate Huskies

Silver Medalists at the 3A Varsity Volleyball Regionals



17U Boys Volleyball Team
wins gold at Holy Spirit
Invitational



SNOWSHOENING

GRADE 7



GRADE 8



GRADE 9

