

Tabusintac Rural School



Help

**Help the Children in Need
All you have to do is Give
Avoid Greed**

**Help the Earth by Protecting our Lands
Use your Mind
Your Heart
Your Hands**

By Monique Francis-Savoie



2011 is already a month old and with February being the shortest month of the year, the winter will move quickly. Parents and guardians are reminded to monitor what students are bringing to school. Students should not bring electronic devices, cell phones, video games or mp3 players. If it is absolutely necessary for your child to bring a cell phone, the cell phone is to be dropped off at the office and picked up at the end of the day. Younger students should leave toys at home to eliminate any confusion when a toy is lost or misplaced.

Students will no longer be permitted to participate in Physical Education classes if they are not wearing proper footwear. If for any reason your child does not have proper footwear please do not hesitate to notify the school and we will attempt to purchase or borrow proper footwear. On February 4th the students and staff will be wearing hockey jerseys to school in support of the Miramichi Pond Hockey Tournament.

CHOOSE PEACE

**WAR DESTROYS
OPINIONS, EQUALITY, VOILENCE
RUNNING FOR OUR LIVES
LEADERS MAKE THE WRONG CHOICES
DESTRUCTION OF SOCIETY**

**WE WILL STAND UP
AND LEARN FROM THE PAST
RETHINK OUR ACTIONS**

**TO LAY DOWN OUR GUNS
WAKE UP...
OPEN OUR EYES!**



By Kendrick Somerville

Snowshoe Activities

Students will continue to use the school's snowshoes during Physical Education classes. Students will be notified in advance of the snowshoe activity, therefore they will only participate if dressed properly with boots, coats, caps and gloves.



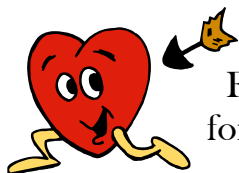
Snowshoeing by Grade 3-4

It's sometimes hard, big, strong
thin crust, trapped.
Light, cool metal.
Winter wonderland.
Fresh air, the snow is cold.
Heart pounding, slow.
Tough, wet, sparkling fun.
Metal snow.
Durable, lift your feet, trudging on ice.
Walking on water.
I feel the cold air slicing through my skin in the tinkling snow

Skating

Tabusintac Rural will be going to the outdoor rink in Tabusintac on February 11th. We will be leaving the school at 12:30 and returning at 2:15 pm, weather permitting. The school will also go skating on two other occasions, February 25th and March 18th. The dates times and locations will be written in their agendas.

Valentine's Day



Homeroom teachers may decide if they wish to have an activity on February 14th, last period of the day. Parents will be notified of plans for your child's class by the homeroom teacher.

Student Activity

This month's newsletter includes some student submissions. Due to the high number of class submissions, we have included a sampling of student activities.

100th Day of School

The 100th day of school is quickly approaching for the students in K-2! It is sure to be a fun-filled day of hands on activities dealing with the number 100. Our celebration is tentatively scheduled for February 24th, but this could change if we have more snow days. Miss MacDonald would like students to begin to think about ideas for their 100th day T-shirts and projects. More information will be sent home regarding these. Students are not required to complete these projects, but they make the 100th day more exciting. We can't wait to see what you come up with!!

#2.
Solve:

100 x
10+
64-20

Answer



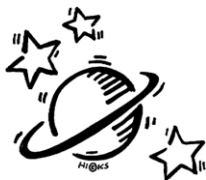
Winter Word Scramble by the Grade 7

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| 1. | NSOAWNM | _____ |
| 2. | GKISIN | _____ |
| 3. | GLDEIDSN | _____ |
| 4. | STAMSRICH | _____ |
| 5. | WNSO OIGNSHE | _____ |
| 6. | SLILH | _____ |
| 7. | EVLTANIEN | _____ |
| 8. | KAJC OSFRT | _____ |
| 9. | NIUSGNPE | _____ |
| 10. | RAOPL EBAR | _____ |
| 11. | DOWOVOTSE | _____ |
| 12. | THO EALTCCOHO | _____ |
| 13. | TNSETIM | _____ |
| 14. | TSEML RYF | _____ |
| 15. | WOSN GLEAN | _____ |

#3. Dave is picking blueberries. He picks a cup of blueberries every 10 minutes. He picks for an hour. How many cups of blueberries does he pick?

Answer:

K-2 are Out in Space!



The K-2 class has begun to learn all about the planets in our solar system. We are working with Miss Murphy's class in Rexton and Miss Rubidge's class from Metepenagiag. Each class is learning about three of the planets and will share their findings with the other classes. So far we have learned lots of interesting facts about Venus! Here is what some students learned:

Madison (Kindergarten): You can see Venus from Earth at night. It can be hard to see.

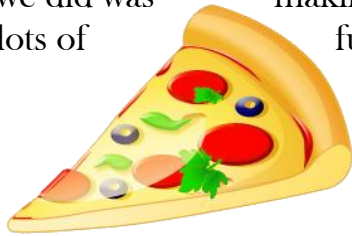
Olivia (Grade 1): Venus is hot. Venus is covered in Volcanoes. You can see Venus from Earth. Venus is the sixth biggest planet

#4. Carlos drove 400km at a constant speed of 80km/hr. Carlos also made 4 stops that took 10 minutes each. How long was Carlos' trip?

Answer: _____

Intensive French

Hi! My name is Sarah. I'm in grade 5 Intensive French. One of my favorite things we did was making hats. We also drew on chart paper and made pizza. I had lots of fun. Hello my name is Alaina. I am a grade 5 student in



Intensive French. One day in Intensive French we made pizza together. Then we waited for the pizza to finish cooking. At the end of that we all took it home. My name is Dion and I like making pizza, hats. In my Intensive French book I draw the clothes that I am wearing and learn them in French. But the best was watching a video clip about how to make a recipe that we made in class after. Hello my name is Kevin Martin-Savoie. I like what we are learning in Intensive French and I liked when we made caramel marshmallow, pizza and hats it was fun! I'm learning how to spell in French.

Dream

Dream together at once.

Remember, just because you are a kid you can still make a difference.

Each one of us-if we stand up can change the rules.

And now it's time to speak out loud and help people in need!

Make it a better place for generations to come, and make peace on Earth.

By Michaela Flieger-MacCallum



Make a Change

Give to others
And make them smile.
Give the planet a chance,
And help it grow.
Give up our weapons,
For peace in the world.
We can make a difference.

By Mathieu Schaefer



Answers: #1. 376, #2. 1044, #3. 6 cups, #4. 5 hours and 40 minutes, #4.