

May News at LCPS



Island Soccer

By: T.J. Green and Saraya Eshkawogon

They shoot, they score! On May 7th, two teams from the Junior Division, coached by Mrs. Peltier and Mrs. Toope, traveled to Mindemoya to represent our school at the Island Soccer meet. Our Intermediate representatives, coached by Mr. Volpini, traveled to Wikwemikong. All of our teams fought hard and it came through. LCPS swept the tournaments, giving our school straight gold. Congratulations on the 1st place wins LCPS!

Jump Rope for Heart

By: Andrew Rose

Want to get that blood pumping? Or do you want to help out someone with heart disease? Well, Jump Rope For Heart can help you with that! Even if you don't know what to do, just give a little bit of money towards helping someone get closer at getting better. Even as little as one dollar can help someone. If you can't raise any money, or don't have time for that, all the Heart and Stroke Foundation is asking of you is to stay as active as you can. Jump Rope for Heart was held on May 9th at LCPS. In total, our school raised approximately \$6,000! Way to go Coyotes!

Battle of the Books

By: Mackenzie Green

That question was hard! What book do you think fits this description? On May 8th, the Battle of the Books competition was held at Central Manitoulin Public School (CMPS). These were common statements repeated as our three L.C.P.S teams that competed in answering questions about certain books they had read throughout the school year. They earned points for answering these questions with decreasing difficulty. At the end of the day, L.C.P.S was represented well with great sportsmanship, unfortunately not placing in the top three. Thank you for your hard work and participation! A special thanks goes out to Mrs. Gray for organizing our teams and parent volunteers for transportation.

Hydro Hazard Presentations

By: T.J. Green

On May 15th, Hydro One came to our school to tell us about electricity and its dangers. They talked about how you can use electricity to its advantages and how to keep safe around it. Hydro One suggests that if you see a problem, call them and it can be sorted out. Hydro One also talked about some of their experiences and stories, and some life and death situations. In the end, I think the students who attended the presentation came out a little bit safer.

WE Day

By: Morgan Green and Andrew Rose

This year LCPS students had the opportunity to celebrate WE Day. What is WE Day? WE Day is a day which celebrates young people committed to making a difference. On May 11th, 2018, grade 7 and 8 students from all around the Island were invited to participate in WE Day Manitoulin style, organized by the SHARE Committee at MSS. This day was inspired by the WE movement started by Craig and Marc Kielburger that focuses on young people making a difference. The event that our students visited showcased musicians, speakers, and world changers who empower young people to make a difference in fighting poverty and making positive changes in their local and global communities. This day was very meaningful and the students who went really enjoyed it.

L.C.P.S. Track and Field

By: Mackenzie Green & Saraya Eshkawkogan

Wow that jump is a new record! That time is outstanding! On May 18th and May 22nd, Little Current Public School held their annual Track and Field meet. Our outstanding athletes had two amazing days with the help of volunteers and teachers. The events the athletes had the option to participate in on field day include Standing Long Jump, Running Long Jump, Triple Jump, High Jump, and Shot Put/Ball Throw. On track day, the races offered were the 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m and the 1500m. Great job to all of the athletes participating in these two days, and thank you to all of the teachers and volunteers who made these days memorable. (Take a look at the “Upcoming Events” chart to see when the next Track and Field meets are for our students who advance to the Island and RDSB track meets.)



Blanket Activity

In the April Newsletter, the article “Blanket Activity” was inaccurately reported on and we wish to acknowledge this mistake and correct it. The Blanket Activity was a spiritual teaching which is hands on and teaches Indigenous Rights. It also talks about European Settlers along with First Nation activities, culture and how they lived together when they first met. We would like to thank Nelson Wood and Rosella Kinoshameg from Noojmowin-Teg for putting on such a wonderful event. The LCPS newsletter team sincerely apologizes for this error.

<i>Upcoming Events in June</i>	<i>Date</i>
Dance Day	June 1
RDSB Senior Track Meet	June 5
Elective Day	June 7
Community Picnic	June 8
RDSB Junior Track Meet	June 12
Grade 8 Trip	June 11-13
Island Track & Field	June 14 (Field) June 15 (Track)
PD Day	June 18
Cultural Day	June 20
RDSB Champions Meet	June 21
Play Day	June 22
Grade 8 Graduation	June 25
Last Day of School	June 29