

# Summer Newsletter

It's hard to believe that another school year has come to an end. What seems like only a few short months ago, we were getting ready to welcome the students and looked forward to the months ahead. The weeks and months have flown by with the students eagerly counting down the last few days until summer break.

## Guidance

The guidance program for the year ended with the students making a fruit salad and playing a team game. Each fruit by itself offers its' own unique taste and texture, however together they make something special. This is symbolic of teamwork; we can all work by ourselves, but working with others can make the task easier and more pleasant. The game was a co-operative game, students had to work together to stack cups, however could not touch the cups with their hands. They had an elastic that was tied to string; they had to work together to manoeuvre the elastic around the cups to move and stack them. Some groups were more successful with cooperation than others!

## Portfolio Day

The students look forward to displaying and sharing what they have learned and accomplished through the year with their families and community. This year was no exception. Some of the students carefully curated their work to show growth and overcoming challenges; while others were eager to show off everything they had done! Thank you to everyone who came see what they students have been working on all year.

## Father's Day BBQ

Everyone had a wonderful time at the BBQ. The students all worked hard to prepare all the food and our venue. They all participated in making dessert which was chocolate Skor trifle. We're not sure if the punch or the iced coffee was the more popular beverage. The children always enjoy having lunch with their dads, and playing baseball or soccer with them after.



Thank you to Mrs. Carlson and Miss Masniuk for doing such a great job with all of the barbecuing

## Picnic

We had a wonderful day for the picnic. The weather was just right, warm and dry with a nice breeze. We're not sure who enjoyed the games more – the students participating or the parents watching! The highlight for the students was, as always, the water balloon fight. Thank you to everyone at Meadow Lane Colony for participating and for the delicious food throughout the day.

## Bookmobile

As always, the students looked forward to the bookmobile each month, and most were eager to take out as many books as they could. It was good to see some of the students choosing new authors to try and discovering new favourites! Thank you to Mrs. Palcat for being so accommodating to all of the book requests, and for being so patient with the students while fielding numerous 'Do you have....?'" questions during bookmobile visits.

## Staffing

We would like to thank Miss Masniuk for all of her hard work this year, and wish her well in her new position at Kelsey School. We look forward to welcoming Mrs. Smolders to our school in September.

## In the Classroom



Students built a Lego model of a Seigneurial system community in New France.



Final projects for science with inclined planes, axles, pulleys