Thanks for a Terrific Year!

It is difficult to believe that June has already arrived! They say that time goes fast when you are having fun, and in hindsight it was an amazing year at Mildred Hall! A year of learning, new experiences, and fun!

On behalf of the staff, we would like to thank everyone for their support and communication throughout the year. By working together with families, we can all do our jobs more effectively.

Next year, we will be looking for more support with our PAC (Parent Advisory Committee), as well as with some coaching and after school clubs. It is a very busy school and sometimes we are a bit overwhelmed with extracurricular responsibilities. Any help from families would be a huge support either in coaching sports, overseeing cultural activities or running a club with a talent or interest you may to share.

We hope you will all return again in the Fall and wish you a very happy, safe and relaxing summer!

“Dream Catcher”- An Incredible Success!

Once again, families filled our gym and were delighted by their children singing songs on stage as the story of the “Dreamcatcher” came to life. Many children performed solo speaking and singing parts in front of almost three hundred people. Also the night brought out our little jiggers, and our MHS Band classes. All performances were amazing, and the staff were all very proud of the hard work they did leading up to the big night. Everyone left the school smiling.
If you are looking for something for your children to do this summer, why not enroll them in a summer camp, learning all about science? From August 13th-17th, and 20th-24th, Discover E will hold camp sessions in the classrooms at MHS. Because the camp is being hosted at MHS we have made a deal where the $275.00 cost will be waived for any MHS student who would like to attend. It is a full day camp, for one week, open to students who are in Grade 1-9, arranged into four groupings. Grades 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-9 will be the groupings.

Discover E held some fantastic workshops here throughout the second last week in May and the students enjoyed every single minute of them.

If you would like to register your child or children for one of these weeks, please get in touch with Mrs. Simmons and she will send you the registration form to get your name into the right folks. July camps are already filled so, if you are interested, you had better get your name in quickly!

Check out the Discover E Science Picture from the workshops last week!

Family BBQ & Traditional Games

On June 20th we will be having hotdogs for lunch out on the school playground and some of our traditional games athletes will be leading stations where folks can try out some of the Dene and Inuit Traditional Games. Bringing along a picnic blanket would be a fantastic idea! Festivities will begin at Noon.
A CONCERN: TIRED STUDENTS

Throughout the last month, we have noticed that many of our students are coming into school very, very tired. We totally understand that the nice weather and longer daylight hours are very tempting for folks to stay out longer and later – we teachers are no different. BUT, if at all possible please try to keep bedtimes at reasonable times on school nights. There is still a lot of work to be done and tired students do not learn well or easily. Also, as parents all know, tired children can also become cranky children, so not only is learning difficult, but it makes social interactions and, in general, “getting along” with peers very challenging. Thus making life challenging for teachers too!

Please support us, and your children’s learning, by getting them to bed at a reasonable time.

Inch by Inch, Row by Row, Gonna Make This Garden Grow

We are looking for students and their families who will commit to doing some weeding and watering this summer in the schools’ plots on the playground. Since many folks go on vacation we aren’t looking for a full summer commitment– just people to help out where they can for perhaps a week at a time.

We have seven plots with a wide variety of vegetables that were planted by the students from Ms. Davies and Mrs. Spoelder’s classes and we could really use your help. The school uses the vegetables in our lunch program throughout the Fall.

Please let the school know if this is of interest to you so that we can give you the information necessary to get into the shed and the instructions for what is expected in maintaining the tools and gardens.
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HAVE A VERY HAPPY, FUN-FILLED, and SAFE SUMMER!