

DANTE NEWSLETTER

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EXPO BELL SCIENCE FAIR

We had the pleasure of sending 2 teams to the Expo Bell Science Fair. Dante Falcone, Salvatore Moscato, Pasquale Cammisano, and Lucas Damiano spent 2 days at Arena Etienne des Marteau from May 6-8.

Congratulations!



KINDERGARTEN GRADUATION

The Kindergarten Graduation will take place on June 10 from 9:30-11:30. Parents of Kindergarten students will receive an invitation shortly.

GRADE 6 GRADUATION

The grade 6 graduation will take place on June 17 at 7:00 pm.

EMSB MUSIC FESTIVAL

On Friday, May 7th, Ms. Alongi, along with the Dante Choir performed at this year's festival. This event took place at St. Pius X Adult Centre at 9955 Papineau.

WE LOVE MUSIC MONDAY

On the first Monday of May, Dante students and teachers took their music programs outside into the open air on school grounds, to perform a short concert. There were outdoor concerts right across the country from the elementary level through to the secondary level. On May 4th, we celebrated Music Monday. Many thanks go to Ms. Alongi for preparing all the students to take part in this event which brings awareness and understanding of the role that **music** plays in our education.

Also a big thank you to the parents who took part in this celebration. Thank you to all the teachers who helped Ms. Alongi make this celebration a reality once again.

If you were not able to attend, you may see the filming on www.youtube.com.

LOST AND FOUND

Our lost and found is filled with many articles of clothing belonging to the students. The pieces do not have names on them. If, in the near future, you are in the school, please pass by our lost and found. Perhaps some pieces belong to your child.



Important Dates To Remember:

June 4	Granby Zoo	Grade 2
June 11	Pedagogical Day	
June 14	Sports Day	
June 16	Sports Day—(in case of rain on June 14)	
June 22	Ottawa	Grade 6
June 23	Volunteer Lunch	
June 23	Last day of School	

HALO RACE

The halo race took place on May 28th at Mont Royal. Our grade 5 and 6 students gave an outstanding performance. Congratulations to all of our students and especially to Carl Gervais (501), Alissia Di Lonardo (602) and Thomas Holweg-Bruneau(601) who placed first, second, and third respectively in their races.

APPRENTI GENIE

Les gagnants de l'école Dante qui ont participé au concours Apprenti génie ce sont retrouvés à la compétition régionale, une compétition technologique spécialement conçue pour les élèves des deuxième et troisième cycles du primaire!

À chaque année, les élèves des 2^e et 3^e cycles du primaire sont invités à participer au Défi apprenti génie, un défi technologique adapté à leurs aptitudes et à leurs intérêts. Avec le Défi apprenti génie, les élèves mettent à profit leur débrouillardise et leur ingéniosité, seul ou en équipe.

Tous les deux ans, une nouvelle thématique du Défi apprenti génie fait son apparition. Ainsi, le défi 2010 porte à nouveau le thème *À vos marques, prêts, roulez!*

Le Défi apprenti génie est conçu par un comité formé de professionnels du milieu de l'ingénierie et de l'enseignement.

LE DÉFI : les élèves devaient fabriquer, avec une bouteille de plastique, un véhicule devant franchir 5,5 m et s'immobiliser dans une zone d'arrivée pour récolter des points. Le véhicule, muni de roues, sera propulsé par de l'air sous pression. (Fabriqué à l'école, merci à M. Frank)

À Dante, cette année les enfants de 5^{ième} année ont relevé le défi. Six équipes sont allées représenter notre école le 19 mai dernier à la compétition régionale qui avait lieu à l'école Fernand Seguin. Madame Ida et Monsieur Frank sont venus encourager les participants de notre école.

Nous sommes fiers des résultats des bolides de nos représentants, une équipe a terminé en 4^{ième} place mais le pointage de tous les bolides de l'école Dante a été 4900 point donc nous sommes, l'école qui avons accumulé le plus de points...

Félicitation à

Jason Marsillo, Michael Anthony Di Salvatore, Gianni Rivera, Luca D'Ambra-Violi, Jonathan Primiani, Romi Bonomo, Alyssa Imperioli, Lucas Atella, Liana Reda, Adelina Mortellaro, David Paquette et Joseph Jr Farinacci



Warm Weather

The warm weather is amongst us. Children are allowed to wear sandals that have a strap at their ankle. Flip flops will not be allowed. Bermudas are also permitted. On the other hand, tank tops and shorts will not be permitted for school.



Day Care Week

Day care week was from May 17 to 21st. Our coordinator, Ms. Angie, along with the day care educators had a week filled with animation for the children. Dancing, horse back riding and a trolley ride in the streets around Dante School were just to name a few activities. The children were enchanted by these festivities.

Thank you to our Dante Day Care team for taking great care of our children everyday.

