



MARCH 2017

## Spruce Glen Public School

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### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome to March. As we begin to think about spring, please remember the weather can be quite unpredictable so please make sure that students come prepared for the ever changing weather. Our volleyball teams wrapped up their seasons last week where we saw an amazing amount of improvement and some great sportsmanship. Way to go Gators! Badminton will be heading our way in April. Our Battle of the Books competition will be coming to an end soon as well. It is great to see so many students interested and excited about reading. On that note, please do your best to read with your child as often as possible. The long term affects of becoming a competent reader are truly unbelievable. Reminder that there is a PD Day on March 10<sup>th</sup> and the break runs from the 13-17. Enjoy.

Sincerely,  
Mr. Todd Truax  
*Principal*

Ms. Tracy Lupton  
*Vice Principal*

**Great Moose Adventures:** Spruce Glen received funding for an outdoor education program with **Great Moose Adventures!** Each class will be receiving a period of outdoor education coupled with curriculum outcomes. Each class will focus on different expectations in our natural environment at our school. Students should come prepared with clothing to be outside for an additional period. The dates are March 7<sup>th</sup> and March 8<sup>th</sup>. (students in Grades 6/7 & 7/8 will have their session on March 7<sup>th</sup>)

### **New France Pot Luck**

Grade 6/7 & 7/8 students will be having a New France Pot Luck, March 8<sup>th</sup> from 12:15-1:20pm. Students will be in charge of bringing in food for the from that time period. (refer to the classroom newsletter for more information) Students should bring enough food for 15-20 people (nut-free please), and are responsible for bringing their own spoons and bowls. After lunch the classes will be going skating at the Summit Centre. (proper fitted helmets and skates are required)

## ROCK YOUR SOCKS

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## WORLD DOWN SYNDROME DAY

 **3.21**

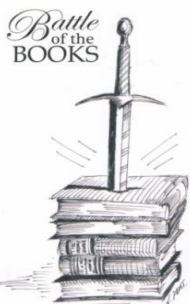


Spruce Glen is inviting everyone to **ROCK YOUR SOCKS** on **Tuesday, March 21<sup>st</sup> 2017** to raise awareness on World Down Syndrome Day.

Wear bright socks, mismatched socks or crazy socks to show your support !



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3 Free Style Arrowhead Ski Race	4
5	6	7	8 6/7&7/8 Skating New France Potluck	9 Winter Fun Day Speech Finals	10 PA DAY	11
		BOB Final's				
		Great Moose Adventures Gr. JK-8 Outdoor Ed. rotations				
12	13	14	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day	18
	M A R C H B R E A K					
19	20	21 Rock your Socks! Down Syndrome Day	22 Gr. 3 Swim to Survive	23	24	25
26	27	28	29 Gr. 3 Swim to Survive	30 Willy Wonka 1-2:30pm	31	



GO GATORS!

## X - Country Ski Race



Next race is a Free Style  
Race (Classic or Skate ski)  
and it will be held on  
March 3, 2017.

Have a Safe & Relaxing

**MARCH**  
**BREAK!**