



JV Basketball Tournament Finals

As some of you already know our JV boys basketball team has made it to the finals. The championship game is tomorrow (Saturday) 4PM at Warwick Academy. We will be playing against Berkeley Institute. We finished the regular season in 1st place (7-1) and beat Cedarbridge Academy in the playoffs to qualify for the championship. This is the a record setting year for Somersfield Academy as we have been more successful at the high school level (JV) with this basketball team than we have for any other athletic team in the history of SA. Taking into consideration we have about 50 students to draw from for high school competitions while some other schools like Berkeley and CBA have over 100 makes this accomplishment even sweeter. But we won't be truly be satisfied until we have the trophy! Please come out and support (like all good and rowdy fans) your boys SA B-ball team!!!

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A Somersfield Weekend of Events

Friday, March 19th

Math Educators Networking and Support Group 5:30-7:00

St. Baldrick's Day 4:30 onwards at BAA come out to support Eddie Fischer and Toby Gibbons!

Saturday, March 20th

8:30-10:30 Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme

10-2pm M5 graduation car wash at Somersfield

4:00 JV Bball Finals at Warwick

4:00 Budding Chef

World Vision Fast for Haiti

Thanks to all the students and families who participated in the World Vision Fast for Haiti Relief. **We raised just over \$5,000 for the people of Haiti!!** Our students fasted between 5 and 7 days. They chose to participate by eliminating tv, video games, "Lion King Play," computer games, internet, Nintendo DS, PSP, PS3 and Wii. Some of our parents participated and fasted from coffee and food! This initiative gave everyone an opportunity to make sacrifices that the people of Haiti are living with on a daily basis. Thank you again for your support!



Last Day of Term
Friday, March 26th

First Day of Term
Monday, April 12th

Grandparents Day
May 7th
Start planning trips now!

Spring Fair
May 15th



Somersfield Students Qualify for Bermuda National Teams!

RUGBY

The Bermuda Rugby Football Union has announced the squads selected to compete for the 2010 Conyers Cup in Grand Cayman in May. The players will represent Bermuda in International matches at Under 10, Under 12, Under 14 and Under 16 levels alongside the full Bermuda Men's team.

It is very pleasing to see a strong Somersfield contingent amongst the squads.



At Under 10: Padraic O'Shaughnessy

At Under 12: Sam Brook, Ben Cook, Will LT, Shomuri Simons, Cameron Turnbull and Jackson Vesey.

At Under 14: Rory Crofts, Giles LT, Daniel Nash, Tadhg O'Shaughnessy and John Russell.

At Under 16: George Dragonetti, Scott Hendrik, Karl Kane-Collery, James LT and Liam Nash

Congratulations to all those selected. Whilst Somersfield's school Rugby is separate from the BRFU program, we would like to thank and acknowledge the support and work of all the coaches this year who have had, without doubt, an impact in the development of these players. Thanks to Dave Crofts, James O'Shaughnessy, Patrick Topley, Dermot Caslin, Des Nash and Garth Lorimer Turner

TRACK AND FIELD

Daniel Emery has qualified for the CARRIFTA Games this Spring break.



SAILING

Ferdinand Arnold, Hannah Horsfield and Rory Caslin will be going to Kingston, Ontario Canada at the end of July for the North American Opti Sailing Championship

Mitchell Gariépy Super Athlete

Gariépy broke the Boys 9-10 200m Breaststroke record with a time of 3:24.37, this surpassed **Trevor Nelson's** time of 3:25.90 set Nov 2nd, 1990. **Gariépy** then broke the Boys 9-10 300m Individual Medley hitting the line in a time of 6:17.80, this record time eclipsed the time of 7:11.43 set by **Giles Lorimer-Turner** set back on Apr 21st, 2007. What more can this boy do?!



New Hot Lunch Programme

On behalf of the Somersfield family, we would like to thank the "Flying Chef Hot Lunch Ladies" for their years of service. Students from Ms. Robinson and Ms. Mello's class presented the ladies with chocolates and flowers from the PTA.

School Sports Results



RUGBY

On Thursday, March 18th the Somersfield M2 and above rugby team played Saltus at Somersfield and recorded another solid victory, taking the tally to 3 nil this season.

The M1 and below team played Warwick at Warwick and recorded a similar victory.

Whilst the number of schools available to play Somersfield this year has not been as many as we would have liked, it is great to see a season where Somersfield's Rugby teams have dominated and remained undefeated.

Again, thanks to the players, parents and



TRACK AND FIELD

The following students who have made the East end Finals of the BSSF Inter-school track and field event. .

Donavon Stubbs- High Jump (over 10)

Leah Smith- Long Jump and 100M (under 10)

Jackson Hagood- Boys 800M, Long Jump and 400M (under 9)

Ariana Stapely- Girls 800M and OPEN MILE RUN (under 10)

Brian Darling –Boys 800M and 400M (under 10)

Mitchell Gariepy- 800M and OPEN MILE RUN (under 10)

Shomuri Simons- Boys 100M, Cricket ball throw, and Long Jump (over 10)

Jonathon Moore- Boys Cricket ball throw (over 10)

Hana Bushara- Girls Cricket ball throw (over 10)

Katherine White- Girls Long Jump (under 9)

Emma Taylor Girls Long Jump (under 9)

The Budding Chef Competition is on!!!

Tomorrow, March 20th, 2010
Common Room

**Entries arrive between:
3:00pm and 3:30pm**

Tasters tickets: \$15 adults
and \$5.00 children

Please come see our budding chefs!

School Sports Results

BIKING

Somersfield P4 students participated against 83 other students and came in 4th out of 11 schools. Congratulations Robin, Padraic, Ryan and Andrew.



Somersfield MYP students participated against 32 other students and came in 2nd out of 9 schools! Congratulations to Curtis, Michael, Braxton and Joshua.



M5 GRADUATION CAR WASH SATURDAY 10-2PM

TENNIS

The Interschool Primary Doubles tennis tournament was on Friday March 5th.

Our boys played very well and showed improvement through the day. The boys team consisted of: Padraic O'Shaughnessy, Sachio Harrison, Noah Tompkins, Meinhardt Rentrup, Shane McLellan and Marcus Bassett.

Our girls did an amazing job and came in 1st and 2nd! Hana Bushara and Genevieve Fischer took home the trophy against Kirsten Dupuy and Leah Smith



Our Core Values

We are a learning community. We practice peace. We inspire intellectual curiosity. We instil respect for self and others. We foster independence and responsibility. We embrace a sense of joy and wonder.

We honour the strength and courage to stand for truth.