



# VALLEY WAY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

*Home of the VIPERS!*

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5315 Valley Way, Niagara Falls L2E 1X5

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## STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to the following students who received certificates at our June awards assembly:



Mrs. Rogers	Jacob Naylor
	Alyse Burciul
Mrs. Schatz	Jenna Wiegand
	Owen Dobbin
Mrs. Borich	Zacharie Murfin
	Destynie Wilson
Mrs. Babcock	Marissa Repo
	David Harrison
Mrs. Wiens & Miss Fong	Noah Garrett
	Carter Jodouin
Mr. Clattenburg	Justyn Robertson
	Jade Andrews
Mr. Desanti	Martin Choumarov
	Kaylea Peavoy
Mr. Clancy	Kali Wright
	Ryan Slade
Mrs. Scudamore	Kyle Ferrone
	Jeremy Hewitt

## GRADE 8 GRADUATION

Last Thursday night, at 6:00 pm, Valley Way School held its graduation ceremony to officially bring the grade eight class' career at Valley Way to a close. We wish them all the best with future endeavours. Congratulations graduates!

<i>Ricky Bennett</i>	<i>John MacMaster</i>
<i>Destiny Britt</i>	<i>Brittany Mathes</i>
<i>Brandon Caselton</i>	<i>Ryan Myers</i>
<i>Alex Chalifoux</i>	<i>Kylie Oakes</i>
<i>Billy Chen</i>	<i>Brandon Picard</i>
<i>Eric Cunningham</i>	<i>Bradley Schembri</i>
<i>Nicholas Dodd</i>	<i>Hunter Slade</i>
<i>Amy Ferguson</i>	<i>Stephanie Thomas-Clapp</i>
<i>Kyle Ferrone</i>	<i>Jessica Trelford</i>
<i>Sierra Gilbert</i>	<i>Regine White</i>
<i>Nicholas Hayes</i>	<i>Cody Wilcox</i>
<i>Jeremy Hewitt</i>	<i>Nicole Wilson</i>
<i>Donavan Higgins</i>	<i>Jessi Young</i>
<i>Shane Kulczycki</i>	<i>Mahnoor Zainab</i>

## MOVING???

If you know that you will be moving over the summer and your child will not be returning to Valley Way School in September, please let the office know. It is important for us to keep our records up to date. Thank you for your assistance.



## STAFF CHANGES

☹☹☹ It is with thanks and the best of luck that we say farewell to Miss Fong and Mrs. Arbic for all their wonderful contributions to Valley Way. We will miss both of you but know you will continue to do great things for students!



Another change is that we will be sharing Mr. Desanti with another school. He will be here, at Valley Way, most afternoons working with several different classes.

## STAND UP NOW!

On Thursday October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2009 all Valley Way students will be participating in a presentation that will help them to Stand Up Against Bullying. Each division (primary, junior, intermediate) will have their own show and then ALL PARENTS are invited back, with students, for an evening presentation at 6:30 pm. We are very excited to have this interactive, highly motivating program coming to Valley Way!

Bullying prevention programs are mandatory in Ontario schools. Bullying Prevention Programs by Stand Up Now Productions are classified by the Ontario Ministry of Education and are listed on their [Registry of Bullying Prevention Website](#)

## HEADS UP FOR SEPTEMBER

During the first week of school, we will be asking for \$5.00 from each student (not JK & SK) to help cover the costs of printing their agendas. We are planning to continue with Pizza and Hot Dog days on Wednesdays (\$1.00) & monthly milk orders.

*Have a fun and safe summer holiday!  
Thanks for another great year at  
Valley Way Public School  
See you back on September 8th,  
2009!  
Ms. Tracy Vetrecin, Principal*



## Important Dates 2009/10

- September 8:** 1st Day of Classes
- September 25:** Early Release Day
- October 9:** PA Day
- October 12:** Thanksgiving Day
- November 13:** PA Day
- December 4:** 1/2 PA Day (afternoon)
- December 21 - January 1:** Christmas Holidays
- January 4:** First day of class after holiday
- February 12:** Early Release Day
- February 15:** Family Day
- March 15 - 19:** March Break
- April 2:** Good Friday
- April 5:** Easter Monday
- April 21:** 1/2 PA Day (afternoon)
- May 24:** Victoria Day
- June 29:** Last Day of Classes



For more information visit:  
[www.dsbno.org](http://www.dsbno.org)



*PERSONALIZED & COMFORTABLE*

*We are so excited to be able to tell you about an event that we are hosting on June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2009. "Dentistry from the Heart"*

*McLeod Dental Care will be hosting a free dental care clinic between the hours of 8am and 1 pm. This event will be held at both of our locations 6015 McLeod Road, Niagara Falls (South End) and 3486 Portage Road, Niagara Falls (North End). This is the first time our dental office has offered this service in our community and we are asking for some help in reaching the community members that would most benefit from this event. We are holding a registration between the hours of 6:00am and 8:00am and dental care is planned to start at 8:00am.*

*McLeod Dental Care is committed to helping as many people as possible on this day. We have a dedicated staff of 5 doctors and 30 clinical & administration staff donating their time to help make the day run efficiently and smoothly. Above all else the staff at McLeod Dental Care is excited to reach out to the community. This event will not only be of benefit to the community but also heart-warming to the McLeod Dental Care family.*

*We appreciate your help with this and look forward to sharing with you the success of this event.*

*For additional information please call Jane Yule at 905-357-4995.*

*Thank you,*

*McLeod Dental Care*





