

Brome County Fish and Game Club wood cutting contest and trophy distribution



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On Saturday, January 20, the Brome County Fish and Game Club in Mansonville held a wood cutting

contest at 377 Route de Mansonville from 10:00am to 1:00pm. The competition included: 3 man team: cut - split - pile, up and down cut with chainsaw and team crosscut saw with cash prizes for each category.

The Brome County Fish and Game Club located in Mansonville offers training in the management of firearms, introduction to hunting and protection of land rented by the club. The mission of the club is wildlife conservation, maintaining healthy deer herds and numbers in offering members an interesting hunting experience in the region and assuring that the security of hunters and the respect and rights of land owners is maintained. For more information

about the Club contact Paul St Onge-President at 450-292-5261.

With hunting season over for another year, the Club turned its sites toward their next event in offering the wood cutting contest last Saturday with a good group in attendance. With a strong wind blowing over the open field, a crowd gathered in the spirit of the event to cheer on those participating. Of note was the participation of Ralph George who along with his son, John took part in the crosscut competition.

Organizers send out a big thank you to Resto Bar 243 where the competition was held, to Lonny Bates for donating the wood and to Keyworth George for transporting it to the event location.

“Due to bad weather, this event was rescheduled and this affected our attendance and participation,” explained St.Onge. “Next year we plan on setting the date and sticking to it regardless of the weather conditions,” he stated.

Following the wood cutting competition, the Club held its trophy distribution for the 2017 hunting season. First prize in the adult category went to Richard Lauzon for his 6 point, 200 pound buck. Second prize in the adult category went to, Alain Vachon and third prize adult category went to, Pascal Laplume. Noah Patch-McCoy won in the youth category for his 142 pound 4 point.



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Mansonville Elementary School registration 2018-19



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Mansonville Elementary School is holding its annual registration from January 22 to February 2, 2018 and they are eager to let everyone know what the school has to offer. In a safe and welcoming, bilingual environment, the school strives for excellence while recognizing every child's potential and uniqueness. The aim is for students to achieve their full potential and be prepared for life: academically, physically, socially and morally.

The school boasts a bilingual pre-kindergarten program for four year olds. Classes are equipped with tablets, lap-

tops and smart board technology. Small multi-age classes and early intervention programs give your child a solid start. 9.5 hours a week are allotted for French Second Language instruction and 7-8 hours of English mother tongue instruction.

In addition to academic programming, the school offers swimming and ski/snowboarding programs, daily breakfast program, a Lego Robotics club, regular cooking activities, seasonal outdoor learning with PENS, Forest Fridays, Yoga, and experiential learning. The school also has devoted and motivated profes-

sionals and a dynamic Parent Participation Organization and Governing Board.

Anyone interested in having more information or if you would like to register your child and require eligibility information to attend English school, is encouraged to call 450-292-5622.

Mansonville Elementary School hopes to be given the chance to share with you what it has to offer. To fully appreciate the atmosphere and experience the benefits of MÉS, a visit is encouraged and can be arranged by giving the school a call at the number listed above.



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