

Pumpkin carving with the Mansonville Chapter of Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD)



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giving their own personal spooky twist to their pumpkin.

Savannah Jersey preferred a carve and sew method creating a specimen that left the judges in "stitches" as she claimed 2nd place in the competition. First prize went to Jasmine Mierzwinski, who had assured that her pumpkin had an enormous smile on its face complete with perfect teeth. Third prize went to Brianne Woodard who was inspired by Jack Skellington and the Nightmare Before Christmas. The judges had to agree however that ALL of the entrees were extremely impressive and prize worthy.

Saturdays at the CABMN Youth Centre begin with a continental breakfast at the E&E café from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., and this is followed by a two-hour SADD committee meeting where events, purchases and projects are discussed and planned. From noon to 1 p.m. the youth help to prepare their own individual lunch and then

from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. the group enjoys activities together as well as photo taking and tik tok making.

With two new youth joining the group this coming weekend, the Centre will reach 14 participants in the Saturday program where pre-registration is now required due to Covid restrictions. Animators are thrilled with the youth who are committed and present each week and their creative spirit and motivated participation is making the group a strong and positive one.

On Friday evening the Former Youth Involvement (FYI) committee; adults who have participated in the YC programs since they were young, met virtually to discuss how the group can continue to support and volunteer at the Youth Centre. This committee,

made up of 13 former youth who are now professionals in a variety of jobs and locations, has been meeting since the creation of FYI in 2004. The group will help with the upcoming SADD Fundraiser Rock-a-thon by helping to get donations for the event, as well as partnering in support of the younger youth with a variety of projects and will continue to be present and involved in volunteering for Youth Centre activities as the group members are permitted in respect of the Covid pandemic regulations and directives.

The CABMN Youth Centre is operating on a week to week basis at present and hope to continue doing so, providing the Government directives do no change.

For more information contact www.cabmn.org or call 450-292-4886.

It was another busy Saturday at the Missisquoi North Volunteer Centre (CABMN) Youth Group as organizers held a Pumpkin Carving Contest with the youth as a celebration for Halloween. The keen and motivated group of twelve were inspiring to watch as their creative juices flowed as they visited while comparing techniques in



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