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NEWS RELEASE

English Catholic Central School's New Industrial Arts & Family Studies Wing Grand Opening

New Liskeard, September 15, 2010:

The Northeastern Catholic District School Board, in conjunction with English Catholic Central School in New Liskeard, officially opened the new Industrial Arts and Family Studies Wing for the 2010 school year on Wednesday, September 15th.

The construction project at English Catholic Central School cost \$750,000.00 and began in April of 2010. The new Industrial Arts and Family Studies facilities are equipped with state-of-the-art woodworking, kitchen and sewing equipment. This new wing will enhance the educational experience for all E.C.C.S. students in New Liskeard; furthermore, students from St. Patrick Catholic School in Cobalt will also benefit from utilizing these new facilities.

Rick Brassard, Board Chair, welcomed E.C.C.S grade 7 and 8 students and special guests to the official grand opening. He then proceeded to participate in the cutting of the first piece of wood in the Industrial Arts room, and in cutting the first cake baked in the new Family Studies room. "We are so proud of this new expansion and we look forward to all of the new learning opportunities from which our students will benefit. This expansion compliments the exceptional education the students at English Catholic Central School and St. Patrick School receive and allows for additional skills that will enrich our students' lives."



Randy Beauchamp, Grade 8 E.C.C.S. student, officially cuts the first piece of wood in the new Industrial Arts room as Rick Brassard, Board Chair (far left) Marc Deshaies, Senior Architect with PBK Architects, Fr. John Lemire and Lori Hurtubise, E.C.C.S. Principal (far right) look on.

Glenn Sheculski, Director of Education, in speaking directly to the students, commented, "This is a very special day for all of the students at English Catholic Central School and for the Northeastern Catholic District School Board. I want each of you to enjoy these new facilities and develop your skills. You never know where life is going to take you. You may learn something in the new Industrial Arts and Family Studies rooms that will lead you to your future careers."



Jayda Conti, Grade 8 E.C.C.S student (centre) is assisted by her teacher, Mrs Larocque, in cutting the very first cakes baked in the new Family Studies room for the official grand opening ceremony. Looking on (left to right) is Don Landry, CGV Construction (Project General Contractors), Glenn Sheculski, Director of Education, Marc Deshaies, Senior Architect with PBK Architects, Mrs. Larocque, Martin Drainville, Board Trustee and Fr. John Lemire, and tucked behind Mrs. Larocque is Rick Brassard, Board Chair.

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