

Massey-vanier athletes of the month



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Massey-vanier is proud to announce the athletes of the month for November and December, Elizabeth Donovan and Nathaniel Robinson. These two senior basketball student athletes lead both their teams on the basketball court through the light November schedule and the busy December holiday schedule. Donovan has a strong work ethic and leads her team in scoring, playing almost every minute of every game. Robinson is a clutch shooter and a dominant offensive threat, and his effort is contagious. Congratulations to both athletes!



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Minister visits Sunnyside, PM visits Sherbrooke



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Bibeau's new gig
The Honorable Marie-Claude Bibeau was in teaching mood Monday at Sunnyside Elementary School in Stanstead, getting some well prepared questions from the students, see p. 3.

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Minister visits Sunnyside

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The grade 5 and grade 6 students of Sunnyside Elementary School received an important visitor to their class on Monday afternoon: the Minister of International Development and La Francophonie, and the MP for Compton-Stanstead, the Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau. Planned by the Minister's office, the visit gave the students, who prepared their questions in advance, a chance to learn about Ms. Bibeau's role as a Canadian Minister and as a Member of Parliament.

"The students asked a lot of questions about my travelling, such as what is the farthest country I have travelled to and what is the scariest country I have travelled to. They also asked why I decided to enter politics and what I would have done if I didn't win," said Minister Bibeau in an interview with the Stanstead Journal after

the event. Sunnyside was the third elementary school to receive this kind of informal visit from the Minister and she intends to visit more elementary schools in the future.

Over the weekend it was announced that Prime Minister Justin Trudeau would be bringing his cross-country 'listening tour' to Sherbrooke Tuesday evening. People wishing to attend the town hall meeting could register on line on a first come first serve basis. "There are already about three or four hundred people registered; it's filling up fast. The idea of this tour is to hear what the people have to say and to see if the government is in touch with the people," explained Ms. Bibeau. The event took place at the Manege Militaire on Belvedere Street.

The Prime Minister was in Halifax on Monday, visiting Halifax cafés before a meeting that was supposed to take place at the town hall in Dartmouth, but had to be moved to the Dartmouth arena because so many people wanted to attend.