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The 8th Regional Public Speaking Contest Organized by the *Conseil scolaire public du Nord-Est de l'Ontario:* An event not to be missed!

North Bay, April 21, 2009 – The *Conseil scolaire public du Nord-Est de l'Ontario* (CSDNE) will host its 8th Regional Public Speaking Contest on Saturday, April 25, 2009, at *École publique Odyssée*, 480, Norman Street, North Bay. Finalists from grades 1 to 8 will be giving their presentations starting at 2 p.m. until 4:30 p.m.

This annual event allows students to maximize their oral communication skills, and the contest highlights the French language and culture. Students from grade 1 and 2 will tell a story, while students from grades 3 to 6 will deliver a speech. For their part, students from grade 7 and 8 will present a 'duologue'. All finalists participating in this contest come from the following schools:

École élémentaire publique Le Cœur du Nord, Kapuskasing
École élémentaire publique Étoile du Nord, Iroquois Falls
École élémentaire publique Lionel-Gauthier, Timmins
École publique Renaissance, Timmins
École élémentaire publique des Navigateurs, Temiskaming Shores
École élémentaire publique Jeunesse Active, Sturgeon Falls
École élémentaire publique Héritage, North Bay
École publique Odyssée, North Bay

The judges for the 8th Regional Public Speaking Contest will be Mr. Jean Larocque, architect with the firm Larocque Elder Architects Inc., Ms. Louise Sylvestre, physiotherapist and former CSDNE Board member, and Mr. Guy Fréchette, consultant with the CSDNE.

The *Conseil scolaire public du Nord-Est de l'Ontario* congratulates all finalists of the 8th Regional Public Speaking Contest. "Our Public Speaking Contest is a good opportunity for our students to express themselves in our beautiful French language and to share with us their opinions and their talents", said Mr. Ghislain Beaupré, Director of Education.

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