

Newsletter: December 17th, 2021

WILDCAT NEWS



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Dear Parents/Guardians.

Greetings everyone,

It is hard to believe that we are already into the holiday season and our Christmas Break is fast approaching. We have many things to celebrate this past month and I am grateful for the opportunity to share with you these successes.

In November we elected our Student Council President, Logan Doll. Logan is in Madame Marie-Eve Raymond's grade 7 classroom. Logan, along with 8 other class representatives make up the Student Council. Ms. Jelinski is the staff lead with this group. They did have their first socially distant meeting and have helped to plan the 12 days of holidays calendar of events that we are nearing the end of.

Ms. Anne and Ms. Paige, two of our staff members, launched the "Christmas Extravaganza" with events each week for all of the classes to compete in. The first competition was a chocolate unwrapping competition using only toothoicks followed by cup stacking and snowball (ping pong ball) cup bouncing and finally, snow shovel and snowball roll. Each week the videos of classes doing these events are put together and shared during the Friday eating periods in the classrooms. This has been a great way to build some community while in our classroom bubbles and at the same time laugh and have some fun watching others in the events.

The month of December is another time for thoughtful reflection. The act of giving is never more prevalent than during the month of December and I believe that our school community does a fantastic job of displaying the very best in people during this time. Our Reverse Advent Calendar of giving is a perfect example of the support that our school community gives to the greater community. The collection of food has been outstanding and students and staff should be proud to help support families in need within our school as well as our greater community. Well done, Wildcats!

On behalf of all staff and students, I would like to thank you all for your continued support and wish you the very best during the holiday season. See you in 2022!

Jeff

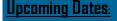


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Updates will be ongoing!







School closed Dec 22- Jan 4th

First Day of Classes begin on January 5th, 2022











Next PAC meeting will be January 19, 2022

Minutes from December PAC

We are now doing our PAC in person (as long as members are vaccinated), so if you are interested in joining, please let us know and we will add you to the distribution list.

Voluntary Testing



Christmas Extravaganza-Challenge

Check out our student videos below

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Door decorating contest begins	Bake Sale by 6/7C	Pajama day Bake Sale by 6/7C	RED & Green Dress UP Ddy Minute-to- win-it challenge videos	(Holiday) Hat Pay! Pizza lunch
Make a holiday card or poem	Kindness candycanes/ Hershey kisses	Holiday Clothing Spirit Day	Minute-to- win-it challenge videos	Hidden photo contest Subway lunch Door decorating judging
Gingerbread house competition	Movie & popeom trollay Holiday Sweater Day	Holidays begin!!!!	23 Holidays	24 Holidays

Week 1 - Chocolate (un)wrap

Week 2- Snowball Toss/Cup switch

Week 3-Snow shovel and Snowball Roll

Yk1 will be handing out Covid-19 test kits to all students and staff. As an added safety measure we are asking students and staff to use the rapid testing kit to determine any possible exposure prior to returning to school after the break. Should your test produce a positive result we ask that you seek additional testing and contact Public Health.

This is <u>voluntary</u> but is another layer of protection for all, as the holiday season is a time of much travel. Please see the letter for further details.























Promoting and creating opportunities for students to learn and use French



CPF December Communique



