



DECEMBER IS HERE AND THERE IS MAGIC EVERYWHERE!

WELCOME TO DECEMBER- THE TIME OF YEAR WHEN IT STARTS TO GET A LITTLE COLDER OUTSIDE AND COZIER INSIDE! THE STUDENTS ARE SPENDING LOTS OF TIME OUTSIDE ENJOYING THE EXCITEMENT OF BLUSTERY DAYS AND MUD PUDDLES, PLAYING WITH THE ABANDON THAT BRINGS ROSY CHEEKS AND HAPPY SMILES. THEY BRING THAT ENERGY INTO THE CLASSROOM AND ARE EMBRACING ALL THE INCREDIBLE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES WITH CURIOSITY AND ENTHUSIASM. AS I WALK THROUGH THE HALLS OF THE SCHOOL, I AM CONSTANTLY AMAZED BY THE ENGAGEMENT AND JOY I SEE EVERYWHERE! THE STUDENTS LOVE TO LEARN AND COLLABORATE. ORGANIZNG AND HOSTING CLUBS IS A FAVOURITE ACTIVITY AMONG THE STUDENTS. THE CURRENT CLUBS ARE ENVIRONMENT CLUB, COMIC CLUB, BOARD GAME CLUB, CARD MAKING CLUB, DANCE CLUB, POKEMAN CLUB AND CHESS CLUB JUST TO NAME A FEW!



**THE STUDENTS WERE DELIGHTED TO SEE THAT OUR TREE WENT UP ON FRIDAY!
THEIR EYES WERE SPARKLING WITH EXCITEMENT.**

DECEMBER IS A FUN TIME FOR SURE! IT BRINGS THE PAC SPONSORED GIFT DAY. THIS IS ONE OF THE FAVOURITE DAYS OF THE YEAR FOR STAFF, PARENTS AND STUDENTS. STUDENTS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO “SHOP” FOR GIFTS FOR THEIR FAMILIES IN THE PAC CREATED STORE. STUDENTS SHOP BY DONATION BUT EVERYONE GETS TO SHOP (WITH OR WITHOUT DONATIONS). VOLUNTEERS WILL WRAP THE GIFTS AND THE CHILDREN WILL TAKE THEM HOME TO GIVE TO THEIR FAMILIES WITH HOLIDAY CHEER! THANK YOU TO OUR AMAZING PAC, FAMILIES AND FRIENDS!

COME ON OUT TO THE PAC MEETING ON DEC. 2ND AT 6:30 AND JOIN THE FUN. IT IS SUCH A WELCOMING TEAM!

AS FAMILIES GATHER TO RECOGNIZE AND ENJOY THE MANY CELEBRATIONS SUCH AS CHRISTMAS, KWANZAA AND HANUKKAH THROUGH THE HOLIDAY SEASON, WE WISH EVEYRONE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ENJOY ALL THE MOMENTS OF FAMILY, FRIENDSHIP AND HOLIDAY MAGIC!



HOLIDAY FOOD HAMPER

OUR GRADE 5 PEER HELPERS ARE ORGANIZING A HOLIDAY HAMPER FOOD COLLECTION FOR FAMILIES IN OUR COMMUNITY AND THE GOLDSTREAM FOOD BANK! FEEL FREE TO SEND WHATEVER FITS FOR YOUR FAMILY BUT HERE ARE THEIR SUGGESTIONS.

DEC. 1 SOCKS	DEC. 4 CANNED GOODS
DEC. 2 DRIED GOODS	DEC. 5 GAMES
DEC. 3 TOILETRIES	DEC. 6 HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

OUR ANNUAL PAC SPONSORED PANCAKE BREAKFAST

HAPPENS DECMEBER 18TH. THIS YUMMY EVENT IS PROVIDED FREE FOR ALL BY OUR INCREDIBLE PAC. PANCAKES AND SAUSAGES WITH DAIRY FREE AND GLUTEN FREE OPTIONS! THANK YOU TO OUR PAC FOR ALL THESE BEAUTIFUL COMMUNITY EVENTS.

IF YOU WANT TO HELP OUT AT THIS FUN EVENT, OR ANY OTHER SCHOOL EVENT, GO TO OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE TO COMPLETE A CRIMINAL RECORD CHECK- ITS EASY TO DO , FREE AND LASTS FOR 3 YEARS!

FUTURE EVENTS.....

ONCE WE RETURN FROM THE HOLIDAY BREAK, WE HAVE MANY EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS. SOME OF THESE INCLUDE LITERACY WEEK, KINDNESS DAY, FAMILY DAY, AND OUR ANNUAL HONOURING ASSEMBLY IN MARCH. THERE WILL ALSO BE MANY NEW CLUBS STARTED, AS WELL AS SPORTS OPPORTUNITIES SUCH AS BASKETBALL, MORE CROSS COUNTRY AND MANY OTHER WONDERFUL OPPOTUNITIES. STAY TUNED!

