



Barriere Elementary School

Newsletter December 2018

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Upcoming Events

First Term Report Cards distributed	Dec 7
Christmas Concert, 1:15pm and 6pm	Dec 20
Last day before Christmas break	Dec 21
First day of school after Christmas break	Jan 7
YPC #2	Feb 5
Inservice Day, <u>no school</u>	Feb 8
Family Day, <u>no school</u>	Feb 18



Happy December students and parents

Can you believe it, we are in December already and Christmas is just around the corner. We hope that you can come out and join us for our Christmas concert on December 20th and celebrate the students hard work in preparing for the performance.

As the weather has started to feel more like winter, please ensure your children are prepared for the cooler weather with proper footwear, gloves toques and mitts. If your child is missing any of these items, please check the lost and found located just down from the office.

As we prepare for Christmas Break, I would like to first congratulate students on their hard work this first term and thank parents and guardians for their support. That said, and knowing it is an exciting time of year, I encourage students to maintain a regular bedtime routine, keep working hard and focus on finishing the 2018 school year strong.

I wish everyone a wonderful and safe holiday break and look forward to a great start for the 2019 school year.

Cory Carmichael, Principal

Dress for the Weather

Just a reminder that with temperatures and snow falling students need to be prepared to come to school dressed for the cold, but ready to go out at recess and lunch breaks.

Lost and Found

While you are visiting the school for the Christmas Concert, please take a few minutes to look through the Lost & Found for any items you might recognize as belonging to your child. To make it easier to return items to the rightful owner, we ask that parents **label** articles that most often get lost... winter coats, gloves, hats, boots etc.



2018 Christmas Tree Light Up

5:30pm at Fadear Park
December 8th

Concession by the Barriere Elementary Grade 6's



Mrs Farrow and Mrs Matthews with the boys Tier 2 Volleyball Team after a successful volleyball season

Grade 6 Fundraising is underway!

Please consider coming out and supporting our grade 6 students in their fundraising efforts for their year end field trip to Eagle Bay. Parents of grade 6 students please watch for notices coming home regarding hoodies and fundraising events.

We will be having a parent meeting on Thursday Dec 6th at 5:00pm in the school library.

On Saturday December 8th at 5:30pm we will be having a concession at the Christmas Tree light up at Fadear Park.

On Thursday Dec 20, we will be busy at the Elementary School selling raffle tickets for the chance to win great baskets, selling baked goods and having a silent auction in the school library. We have many great items so be sure to come check it out! Great for some last minute Christmas shopping. The silent auction will be open from 12:15-6:15pm . Item pick up will be immediately following the performance or on Friday between 12-2 if you're one of the lucky winning bidders.

Barriere Elementary presents **Santa's Holiday Hoedown** Christmas Concert



Thursday, December 20th, 2018
1:15pm afternoon performance & 6pm evening performance