

OCTOBER 20, 2023

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Empathy Interviews

It was wonderful to see so many families join us and share more about their kids! We hope that you felt this time with your child's teacher was meaningful.

Halloween

There is already so much excitement brewing here about Halloween! Just a reminder that costumes worn to school should be appropriate for Elementary Schools. They must not be depict violence, gore or have blood, and fake weapons may not be brought to school. Please also be mindful of costumes that may stereotype a person's culture or religion. We look forward to celebrating this fun day with everyone!



Christmas Store

Our PAC is beginning to plan for our 3rd annual Christmas Store! On Wednesday December 20th, students will have the opportunity to do their own Christmas shopping at school! We are looking for gently used items that would make Christmas gifts for family members. Items must be 'wrappable' and small enough for students to take home on their own. No used textiles



(clothing, blankets etc.) please. If you have items to contribute, please bring them to our school office. Thank you, everyone!

Winter Family Dance

Our PAC is kicking off the season with a Winter Family Dance! Mark your calendars for Friday November 17th from 6:00pm – 7:30pm. Lots of plans are in the making. It's going to be a fantastic way to welcome in the holiday season!

Popcorn Days

The first Popcorn Day is on November 2nd. Head over to School Cash Online to order! Popcorn is \$1!



Hot Lunch

Orders must be made through [Munch-A-Lunch](#)
October 26 – Boston Pizza Pasta Day
November 23 – Good Taco
(*order deadline - November 14*)
December 21 – Pizza Hut Pizza
(*order deadline – December 12*)



Scholastic Book Fair

A HUGE thank you to our parents who ran the Scholastic Book Fair for our school. We appreciate you! All the proceeds go to building our classroom libraries. Thank you for your support!

On The Horizon

Wednesday October 25 – Gr 4/5 Soccer @ Bradner
Thursday October 26 – Boston Pizza Hot Lunch
Tuesday October 31- Halloween!
Tuesday October 31 – Fruit and Veggie Day (apples)
Wednesday November 1 – Gr 4/5 Soccer @ Bradner
Wednesday November 1- Christmas ART CARDS orders due
Thursday November 2- Popcorn Day
Wednesday November 10 - Gr 4/5 Soccer @ Bradner
Thursday November 9 – Remembrance Day Assembly 10:35am
Friday November 10 – Non-Instructional Day
Monday November 13 – Day-in-lieu for Remembrance Day
Tuesday November 14 – Last day to order Good Taco
Wednesday November 15 – Roc Your Mocs
Thursday November 16 – Diwali
Friday November 17 – Crazy Hair Day
Friday November 17 – Winter Family Dance
Friday December 1 – Writing Day
Wednesday December 13 – Christmas Concert at Matsqui Hall (matinee and evening)
Wednesday December 20 – Christmas Store
Friday December 22 – Last Day before Winter Break
Monday January 8 – Welcome Back!



Communication

For reminders and up-to-date information, follow us on Instagram @
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<https://mathxwi.abbyschools.ca/>