# Newsletter



**NOVEMBER 10, 2023** 

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### Diwali

Diwali is the Festival of Lights and is one of the

most colourful and significant festivals in Indian culture. Diwali will be celebrated at Mathxwí on Tuesday November 14<sup>th</sup>. We will have an assembly in the gym at 9:10 if you would like to join us! Students are



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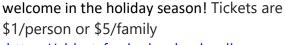
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encouraged to dress in colourful clothing or traditional outfits.

# Family Holiday Dance

Our PAC is kicking off the season with a Family Dance! Mark your calendars for Friday November 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:00pm – 7:30pm.

It's going to be a fantastic way to



https://abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com/ Concession will be open for snacks and treats!

### **Christmas Store**

Our PAC is looking for gently used and wrappable items that would make Christmas gifts for family members. On Wednesday December 20<sup>th</sup>, students will have



the opportunity to do their own Christmas shopping at school! No used textiles (clothing, blankets etc.) please. If you have items to contribute, please bring them to our school office. Thank you, everyone!

### **Food Drive**

Santa will be coming to Mathxwi for our Writing Day, on December 1<sup>st</sup>. To thank him for his visit, we would like to collect non-perishable food items or a donation for the Abbotsford's Archway Food Bank. Items in need include:

- Pasta and sauce
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Diapers
- Baby food
- Rice
- Soup
- Peanut butter
- Cooking oil
- Canned Meats



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## **PAC Would LOVE Your Help!**

More hands make light work! If you would like

to help out with the Family Holiday Dance, Christmas Store, Popcorn Days or Hot Lunch Days, please



email the PAC at <a href="mathxwipac@gmail.com">mathxwipac@gmail.com</a>. At every event, volunteer's names will be entered for a chance to win a Starbucks Card!

## **Popcorn Days**

Thank you, PAC! Head over to School Cash Online to order! Popcorn is \$1! Next popcorn day is Thursday December 7<sup>th</sup>.



#### **Hot Lunch**

Orders must be made through Munch-A-Lunch
November 23 – Good Taco
(order deadline - November 14)
December 21 – Pizza Hut Pizza
(order deadline – December 12)



#### On The Horizon

Friday November 10 – Non-Instructional Day

Monday November 13 – Day-in-lieu for Remembrance Day

Tuesday November 14 – Diwali Assembly 9:10am – NEW DATE

Tuesday November 14 - Last day to order Good Taco

Wednesday November 15 – Roc Your Mocs

Wednesday November 15 – Floor Hockey – Grades 4/5 3:30pm – 4:15pm @ Mathxwi

Friday November 17 – Crazy Hair Day

Friday November 17 – Family Holiday Dance

Wednesday November 22 – Floor Hockey – Grades 4/5 3:30pm – 4:15pm @ Mathxwi

Wednesday November 29 – Floor Hockey – Grades 4/5 3:30pm – 4:15pm @ Mathxwi

Friday December 1 – Writing Day

Tuesday December 5 – Fruit and Veggie 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!

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