



ÉCOLE PUNTLEDGE PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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WEEKLY E-BULLETIN – December 3rd – 7th

Good morning Parents / Guardians,

December brings lots of excitement and is a particularly busy time of the year at École Puntledge Park. We look forward to another great month :

1. PAC News:

- a) **Salad Bar** – PAC is once again offering a Christmas Salad Bar meal, including turkey and fixings, to all students and staff Tuesday, December 11th. Paper forms will be going home later this week. Though a donation is requested, all students can participate, whether they have donated or not. Students are asked to bring a container (ex : larger tupperware) and fork from home.
- b) **PAC Meeting** – The next PAC meeting is Wednesday, December 12th at 6:30 in the school library. Child-minding is provided.

2. Entrepreneur Fair - Over the past several weeks, students from divisions 19 (McLaughlin/Nelson) and 20 (Drake/Nelson) have been participating in an engaging, hands-on entrepreneur program that empowers students to develop their own businesses. Soon these students will be ready to display their business plans and market their products. Our young entrepreneurs invite parents, teachers and students to attend their Young Entrepreneur Fair on Tuesday, December 4th in the gym.

All students will visit during regular class time. Parents, family and guests may come at any time during the day (except recesses). Students and parents may want to bring a nominal amount of money for spending. There will be a variety of products for sale ranging from \$1.00 to \$6.00. Mark your calendars. We look forward to seeing you there.

3. EDAS - The EDAS campaign is going strong with our grade 7 EDAS club members and several staff leading the charge. We are still accepting donations and are in particular need of socks, gloves and scarves.

4. January Hot Lunch - Munchalunch is open for ordering January hot lunches : <https://munchalunch.com/schools/puntledgepark> . All orders for January are due Dec 18. Any questions or concerns can be sent to Sandra at sandramnichols@yahoo.ca .

5. Christmas Hampers - This year we have the opportunity once again to get into the spirit of giving by supporting the Christmas Hamper Program. 15 classes are putting together 9 hampers for needy families in our greater community. Teachers from those classes will have sent / will soon send information for each child to bring their contribution.

6. Dates to Remember:

Monday, December 3rd – Dr. Claire Sexual Health Presentation – Vanier @ 6:00 pm

Tuesday, December 4th – Division 19 and 20 Entrepreneur Fair

Wednesday, December 5th – grade 6/7 Volleyball (girls @ Brooklyn, boys @ Puntledge)

Tuesday, December 11th – Grade 3 Curling (morning)

Tuesday, December 11th - Salad Bar Lunch (offered to whole school)

Wednesday, December 12th – PAC Meeting – 6:30 pm @ Library

Thursday, December 13th – EDAS packaging begins

Friday, December 14th – Grade 3 Curling (morning)

Tuesday, December 18th – Grade 3 Curling (morning)

Tuesday, December 18th – Primary Concerts @ 1:00 and 6:30

Wednesday, December 19th – Intermediate Concerts @ 1:00 and 6:30

Friday, December 21st – Grade 3 Curling (morning)

Friday, December 21st - Last day of school before Winter Break

Monday, January 7th - First day of school after Winter Break

Have a great week!

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