## The Eagle Gazette

The William Konkin Elementary School Newsletter

## Keeping our school community informed



### Principal's Message....November 23, 2023

Dear Eagle Families,

It is hard to believe that next Friday is the beginning of December. We are having a lot of fun here getting ready to welcome you to the Winter Concert on December  $13^{th}$  at 1:30 pm. Each class has prepared one or two musical numbers to share with the school and community. Learners are starting to create decorations for the gym and I love walking down the hallways hearing those angelic voices practicing music.

Our Formal Learning Update (the MyEd report card) will be sent home on or before Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>. Teachers have been getting together after school each day this week to work on assessments and reports. Envelopes will also contain IEP updates if your child is on an IEP, as well as a small booklet of Core Competency goals your child created in September, along with their first self-reflection regarding their progress on the goal. As questions arise, please reach out to the teacher for clarification as needed.

We have many fun dress up days planned for the week before the Winter Break, so watch our socials for updates. Every week in December is a full week of school so we have lots of time to explore the magic of December days as Winter Solstice passes just before the break.

Today a bundle of vegetables is going home with every learner. We hope your household enjoys the fun of getting fresh BC vegetables brought home from school and that you are able to enjoy them as a family. At home, I get to have great conversations with members of my family when we make meals together. There is always a way for everyone to have at least a small role in food preparation and then when we eat together, it feels like we are eating meals infused with love.

Our junior and senior volleyball teams are off to Decker Lake next Friday to compete in the volleyball tournament. Wear blue on December  $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$  to cheer on our Eagles!

See you soon in the Eagles' Nest.

Ms. Karie Evans, Principal









### Lost & Found

If your child is missing any clothing item or footwear, please come and take a look in our lost & found.

We have everything on tables for display so please come in and take a look.

Just before our Winter Break, anything that is still left in the lost & found will be taken to the Thrift Store.

Our last day of classes before Winter Break is December 22nd and coming back to school on January 8, 2024.

Thanks





# Superintendent's Report to the Board

Superintendent Karla Mitchell presented her monthly report at the Regular School Board Meeting on November 13, 2023.

You may find it under the Latest News heading at www.sd91.bc.ca.

### **Important Dates:**

November 23-Pajama Day

November 24-Pro D Day / No School

**November 29-SOAR Awards 2PM** 

December 1—Volleyball Tournament at Decker Lake School

December 6—Learning Update & Core Competency Learner Reflection go home.

December 13—Winter Christmas Concert 1:30PM

December 13—Book Fair (times to be announced)

December 14-Book Fair (times to be an-



# Proposed Policy Updates

The School District 91 Policy Committee is currently working on updates to <u>Policy 604.1 – Digital Technology, Consent and Privacy</u>. If adopted, this new Policy 604.1 will replace the following existing policies:

502.6 – Use of Cell Phones and Digital Devices

604.1 - Digital Technology

604.2 – Student Photograph/Video/Audio and Media Consent

604.4 - District Technology and Network Access

Members of the public are welcome to review and encouraged to provide feedback prior to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January  $9_{th}$  here or on the 'Policies and Regulations' page at www.sd91.bc.ca.

### **PAC Meeting and Message**

Please join us for PAC meetings here at WKE. Our next PAC meeting is December 11 at 6:45PM.



## November/December 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				23 Pajama Day	24 Pro D Day/ No School	25
26	27	28	29 SOAR Awards 2PM	<i>30</i>	1 Volleyball Tournament Decker Lake	2
<i>3</i>	4	5	6 Learning Up- dates go home	7	8	9
10	11	12	13 Winter Xmas Concert 1:30PM Book Fair	14 Book Fair	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	



## Contact Us

Call us at 250-692-3146

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## Skills Development Program (SDP)

Bunnies (ages 4-5) and Jr. Jackrabbits (ages 6-7) = Sundays

Sr. Jackrabbits (ages 8-10) and Track Attack (ages 10-12) = Sundays and an additional evening during the week.

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