



Big White Community School

December 6th, 2017

Dates to Remember

- Dec 7 Field Trip "The Nutcracker" & GLOW Dance
- Dec 13 Red & Green Spirit Day/PAC Meeting
- Dec 14 Hot Lunch
- Dec 18 Gingerbread Building
- Dec 20 Christmas Concert 2:30pm @ BWCS
- Dec 21 Craft/PJ Day/Secret Santa /Hot Lunch/Last day of school

Please Note...

Tomorrow the bus is leaving for our field trip at 8:30 am sharp from the hill. Please do not be late. We will return around 3 pm back to BWCS. The Glow dance takes place at 5:30pm-8:00pm later that night!

Christmas Concert

2:30 pm-3:00 pm at Big White School. All parents, grandparents and neighbors are welcome to attend. This year, the kids will be performing "The Night Before Christmas" along with some classic carols. We will raffle off some items for parents and the community after the play is complete including our gingerbread houses built by our students.

Mr. O's K-3 Class

- Thank you to all parents for an excellent turn-out to the K-3 open house.
- Next term's open house will be much the same. Meetings will be student led and I will encourage students to attend with parents.
- 2nd term is up and running. We are busy practicing for the Christmas Concert.
- Grade 3 students are starting multiplication this term.
- Home reading sheets were due Monday. December and January home reading sheets have been sent home. The final week of December counts double time. For each day, you read you get credited 2 days of reading. (Only the last week of December). Please make some time to read over the holiday.
- Hot lunch takes place next Thursday - \$5 for 3 cheese pizza and Caesar salad.



Family Christmas Project

This season we are inviting all families to fill a heart (Template will be sent home) with words, photos, quotes, small items, etc. that creates a story for your family - "What fills our heart with happiness throughout the year?" Hearts will be photographed and displayed at the Christmas concert and kept for a Family Day Project in February. These are due Thursday, Dec. 14th.

Hot Lunch

Hot lunch is coming back to BWCS. I am hoping to have a hot lunch at least once each week. I am in search of volunteers to run a hot lunch program. I am doing the Dec. 21st hot lunch myself. Money will just go to BWCS PAC after recouping the cost of supplies for lunch. To ensure this is a smooth process I need to have payment and forms in on time. All forms can also be found on my website if student lose their forms. Thanks for the support with this.

Welcome Families

I want introduce some new students to Big White School for the January Session. We welcome back the Meadows-Tedford Family. Jack has attended BWCS for years along with his sister Kelsey. Kelsey, a former alumni, will be volunteering in the K-3 and helping me out. We are welcoming for the first time the Baron Family (Maggie, Oliver) and the Komposch Family (Tyler, Peter) and the Taylor Family (Tabitha, Mikalah). All kids will be in the Sr class except Mikalah. We welcome you in advance and hope that you have a fantastic stay.



Gingerbread House Building @ BWCS

As a school we will be creating gingerbread houses this year as part of our holiday festivities at Big White School. Kids have been put into groups and within their groups they will be responsible for bringing materials, creating and decorating their Gingerbread houses no matter how big or small. These gingerbread houses will go on for raffle before and during the Christmas Concert and we will draw names for winners of these gingerbread houses. All builders will get a prize for their building including a bigger prize for the most outstanding house. We will start by researching gingerbread houses on Wednesday Dec.13th. Building on Monday December 18th will start and finish their projects. Parents are welcome to come and join in the fun!

Things to send to school with your kids after the groups meet:

- Graham crackers (the more the merrier)
- Icing for gluing
- Decorations (candies, etc.)
- Groups will decide before the weekend what they will bring for their gingerbread house

Group #1 Hailey Kael Samantha Hayley	Group #2 Guillaume Tosh Riley Kailani	Group #3 Alex Jenson Aston Marin	Group #4 Olivier Jack Austin Zack	Group #4 Logan Quin Natasha Cacy	Group #5 Vanessa Erika Isaac Arnaud Elodie
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Secret Santa

A reminder that Secret Santa gifts are due under the tree at BWCS on Monday Dec.18th please. I want to make sure everyone is accounted for and if you need assistance please do not hesitate to let me know. Our Secret Santa gift opening will happen on Dec 21st.

