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Principal & Vice-Principal's Message

Christmas Concert *****IMPORTANT INFORMATION*****

Lakeview's Christmas concert is on **Wednesday, December 19th** at Carpenter High School.

Due to the overwhelming attendance we experience each year, **Kindergarten students, Grade 1s, Mme. Guenther's Grade 1s and Choir** will start at **1:15 p.m.**

When the kindergarten and grade 1 students are finished, **we will have a 5-10 minute intermission** and then **Choir and the Grade 2 students, including the grade 2s from Mme. Guenther's class** will perform at **2:00 p.m.**

During our intermission, those who are not able to stay will have time to leave to return back to work. Grade 2 parents and Mme. Guenther's grade 2 parents will then find a place to sit and enjoy the Choir and the next performance.

Bussing to and from Carpenter High will be provided during the day for all K-2 students and those in Choir.

If it is **not your child's Kindergarten day**, please have him/her at Carpenter at 1:00. We will meet the students in the commons area. Once your child is done performing, please meet him/her in the commons area as classroom teachers need to return back to school.

All Grade 3 and Grade 4 students, along with Choir will perform in the evening at **6:30 p.m.** The evening performers are expected to be at Carpenter High School at **6:15 p.m.**

There will be a **silver collection** at the door for both performances.

Thanks to Studio505, a **DVD Keepsake** is also available this year for **\$15.00**. An order form is attached to the newsletter.

Please enjoy our concerts and we look forward to receiving feedback regarding the organization of the afternoon performance.



Merry Christmas!





BARKLEY **SAYS:**

Be on Time

Always do your
best

Respect
Others

Keep on task

Let Excellence
Soar

Exercise daily

Yes to
life-long
learning

Floor Hockey with the Meadow Lake Mustangs

Students keep track of how often you read throughout the month of Dec. as the students who achieved the reading goal and completed their reading logs will be entered into a draw to play floor hockey against the Mustangs in January.

Charity Bake Sale

Students in Miss Huntley's room have planned a charity bake sale for Dec. 13 with all proceeds going to the Door of Hope. Baking will cost \$1.00 each and will be sold in the gym during lunch hour.

How to Read with a Beginning Reader

When reading with a beginner reader, it's important to do the following:

- Give them time to read. Reading is a skill, and like many other skills, it takes time to develop. A beginner reader should spend 20 minutes a day reading to or with someone. The books read during this time should be relatively easy and at their reading level.
- Let them reread the same books. Rereading the same words over and over again helps build fluency. Over time, you'll notice that your child will stop less often to figure out unknown words.
- Take turns reading. By listening to your fluent reading, your child will hear what good reading sound like. After you have read a short passage, ask your child to reread the same passage. This provides a chance for him/her to practice reading with expression.
- Your child has been taught specific strategies to use when he/she is reading. Ask your child to explain the strategies he/she is using at school.

Visit www.readingrockets.org for more information on how you can launch your child into a bright future through reading.

Math Games are FUN

Addition War

Materials: Deck of cards using Ace to 9

Rules:

Players divide cards evenly between themselves. Each player turns over two cards and adds them together.

The highest sum gets all of the cards. In the event of a tie (ie. Each player has the same sum), WAR is declared.

Each player deals out three more cards face down and then turns over two more cards. These two cards are added together. Play continues until one player has collected all of the cards.



Examples:	Player 1	Player 2
	2+3=5	4+1=5

WAR IS DECLARED!

Place three cards face down and then two more

4+3=7	6+2=8
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Player 2 collects all the of the cards.

Special Notes & Coming Events...

Welcome

Welcome our new Educational Assistants Miss Jenna Villeneuve and Miss Rachel Michel also, welcome to Clémence Cadet, our new French Immersion Language Monitor. We're happy to have you as part of our Lakeview family.

Remembrance Day Poster contest

Congratulations to Meredith Bishop, Kai Nachbaur, and Cameron Bell for their recognition in the Remembrance Day Poster Contest!

Door of Hope and RCMP

Donations

This year we will be partnering with the Door of Hope and the RCMP to collect gifts for children in our community. **NEW** gifts can be dropped off at the school and will then be donated to the Door of Hope. The RCMP will deliver the gifts to families in need during the Christmas season. Donations must be here by **December 14th**. Thank you for your support.



Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences

Thanks to all who attended our conferences. If you have any questions regarding your child's academics, please feel free to give us a call. Our overall attendance for Grade 1 to Grade 4 Conferences was **89%**. Thanks for your commitment to education!

Parking & Pick Up

Just a reminder to parents and anyone picking up children after school: **Please avoid parking at the back of the school between little green men as this is designated for Pre-K bus parking only.**

Also, **please avoid parking in the staff parking lot at the end of the day so that your child is not running between buses or through the bus lane.** Your child's safety is our priority.

Also please ensure you are not parking in front of public driveways when attending school functions.

Noon Activities

This month we will be continuing with Choir as they work on their final preparations for our Christmas Concert. We will also be inviting our grade 3 and 4 students to December Doodle Fun Club during the lunch hour. Please see calendar.

Thank You

Thank you to Extra Foods for donating to our pancake breakfast! Thanks to the Russell family for donating toques and mitts.

Toy Bingo

Meadow Lake Curling Club will be hosting a Toy Bingo on **December 9th at 1:00 p.m.** at the Curling Rink.

Friendship Feast

The Friendship Feast for staff and students will be **Friday, December 7th** at noon in the gym. The school provides the vegetables, stuffing and cranberries.

If you are interested in donating a turkey or ham, please let Mrs. Pollock know.

Students are asked to bring a plastic plate and a fork on Friday to eat with!

Please assist in ensuring our feast is a success by donating the following:

K and all French Immersion students: 1 dozen cookies or squares by Fri., Dec. 7

Grade 1 & 2: 1/2 dozen buns by Thurs., Dec. 6

Grade 3 & 4: 3 potatoes by Wed., Dec. 5

SCC Christmas Dance

Our Lakeview SCC will be hosting a Christmas Dance on **Thursday, December 20th from 6:30-7:30 p.m.** Please join us for a wonderful family evening!



Christmas Caroling and Wacky-Tacky Christmas Day

Friday, December 21st is our next Spirit Day: Wacky Tacky Christmas Day!! Find your craziest and wackiest hat or Christmas costume to wear at school to show your school spirit. We cannot wait to see what you will wear!



We also will be caroling in the gym starting at **1:00 p.m.**

Christmas Break

Christmas holidays begin on **Saturday, December 22nd** and run until **Sunday, January 6th, 2019**. The students will return to school on **Monday, January 7th, 2019**.



Merry Christmas from Lakeview Staff!



Prodigy & Computers:

8:35-8:55am

See Calendar

After School Programs: 3:30-4:30pm

Monday/Tuesday: Grades K-2

Wednesday/Thursday: Grades 3-4

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 D1 Prodigy 4C Choir Gr. 3 Boys Doodle Fun Club	4 D2 Prodigy 3/4F Gr. 3 Girls Doodle Fun Club	5 D3 Grade 3 & 4 three potatoes due Gr. 4 Girls Doodle Fun Club	6 D4 Grade 1 & 2 half dozen buns due Choir Gr. 4 Boys Doodle Fun Club	7 D5 K & French Immersion students cookies or squares due Friendship Feast 3 & 4 - 11:30 K-2 12:00	8
9 Toy Bingo 1pm	10 D6 Computers 1A Choir Gr. 3 Boys Doodle Fun Club	11 D1 Computer 1B Gr. 3 Girls Doodle Fun Club	12 D2 Computers 1C Gr. 4 Girls Doodle Fun Club	13 D3 Computers 1/2F Miss Huntley's Charity Bake Sale	14 D4 Prodigy 2A Choir Donations due for Door of Hope	15
16	17 D5 Choir Gr. 4 Boys Doodle Fun Club	18 D6 Dress Rehearsal K-2 AM 3 & 4 PM	19 D1 Xmas Concert K-2 1:15 3 & 4 6:30	20 D2 SCC Family Christ- mas Dance 6:30- 7:30	21 D3 Last Day of Classes Xmas Caroling 1pm Spirit Day Wacky Tacky Xmas Day	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Christmas Holidays– No School						
30	31					



Christmas Break
December 22nd - January 6th
Classes resume January 7th, 2019

