

Hans Helgesen Elementary Newsletter



December 13th

Moon: SIS,ET - The Elder Moon

As we enter our last week before the Winter Break, we are filled with much gratitude to work each day with such a caring, creative and supportive community within the beautiful traditional lands of the Scia'New Nation. We have enjoyed getting to know the students, their families and our team of amazing educators. We hope you have time over the next couple of weeks to relax and re-energize. We wish you all a Happy New Year filled with laughter and fun adventures!

Cathy & Jon

December 16 - Pancake Breakfast & PJ Day

December 16th will be the annual Pancake Breakfast. Don't forget to wear your pyjamas!

Please have students go to their classrooms and the teachers will bring their classes down to the gym after morning attendance.



December 19 - Pizza & Theme - Red & Green or Sweater Day

This will be the first pizza day for this school year, in January we will look at setting up additional pizza days for the remainder of the year. We look forward to seeing everyone in their festive best! Orders are made through the parent portal link sent with the order information.



Last Call! Goldstream Food Bank Donations

We are a little low on donations this year, if you wish to donate, please send non-perishable items until the morning of Tuesday, December 17th.

Here are some ideas:

- Canned meats or meat alternatives
- Canned
 - beans, soups and stews
 - Milk or powdered
 - Vegetables
 - Fruit
- Whole grain cereals
- Cookies and crackers
- Jam, honey, syrup
- Infant foods
- Bathroom tissue and diapers
- Personal hygiene products
- Pasta sauce and noodle

Seasonal Store

For information about the Seasonal store, please look at this link:

<http://hanshelgesen.web.sd62.bc.ca/2019/12/02/pacs-seasonal-gift-store/>

The seasonal store will be open this **Wednesday & Thursday**.

Remember all proceeds go to your child's class.

Upcoming Events

Dec.16 - Pancake and Pajama Day

Dec. 18 & 19 - Seasonal Store

Dec. 19 - Pizza & Theme Day: **Red & Green** or **Sweater Day**

Dec. 20 - Last Day of classes before winter break

Dec.21-Jan.5 - Winter Break

Jan.6 - School reopens

With respect and friendship,

Cathy and Jon

