



Newsletter

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Message from the Admin Team

We can't believe 2023 has come to an end! Please join me in thanking our staff for their dedication, commitment, and compassion. On behalf of Hudson Staff, we want to wish you a relaxing winter break and heartfelt time with your family. We also wish you a very healthy, and happy 2024 and look forward to seeing you in January!



January 2024						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31 New Year's Eve	1 Kwanzaa Ends New Year's Day	2	3 Winter Break Students not in attendance	4	5	6
7	8 School Re-opens	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17 Release the Rhythm	18	19	20
21	22 ProD Day Students not in attendance	23	24 Pizza Order Cut-off	25 PAC Meeting *6:30pm in the library	26	27
28	29	30	31 Pizza Day	1	2	3



Message from Division 2

Division 2 would like to give a big thanks to the school community for donating towards the candy cane and monthly pizza sales. In total, we raised enough for two new MacBooks!! We would like to thank every single person who contributed to this sale. Have a wonderful winter break!

Bring on the Snow! Winter Musical

Teachers, staff, and students worked incredibly hard to put on our winter musical, Bring on the Snow! We are grateful to all the parents and caregivers who were able to come out and/or donate to our school-wide performance. Donations did come in a flurry, and we raised enough money for three more MacBooks!

It's Cold Outside! Rain or Shine We're Playing Outside



Our outdoor play is proving to be fun with students developing creative games during their breaks and getting lots of fresh air and exercise. The wet weather does encourage splashing in puddles along with the occasional slips and falls resulting in muddy clothes. Please send a set of clothes, including underwear, socks, and an extra pair of shoes (labelled in a bag) for your child to keep in their cubby in the event they require a change of clothes. With the colder and wetter days, it is important for students to be dressed warmly and appropriately. Rain jackets and warmer clothing are a “must have” for our “rain or shine” outside days. Please send your child to school with the appropriate outdoor clothing each day.

School Closure Information

***Please do not call the school or media outlets to see if schools are open. Listen to a radio station, watch a local TV station and/or check the VSB website.** Information regarding school closures in the event of snow or other emergency situations, will be provided to the following local media stations by 6:00 am on the morning of the closure.

- CKNW (980 AM)
- CBC (690 AM, 105.7 FM)
- CJVB (1470 AM)
- CFHG (96.1 FM)
- CKWX (1130 AM)
- BCTV/Global (Cable channel 11)
- City TV (Cable channel 13)

In addition, information on snow closures will be available online at <https://www.vsb.bc.ca>



Extended Absences

We encourage all students to attend school consistently, on time, every day. However, we understand that there will be times where an extended absence is unavoidable. **In the case of an extended absence over 20 school days, please contact the school principal or vice-principal.** Any student who misses more than one month of school in consecutive absences may be withdrawn and asked to re-register upon their return.

PAC Information

The next Parent Advisory Council meeting will be on **Thursday, January 25th at 6:30pm** in-person in the library and the focus of this meeting will be fundraising. All Hudson parents/guardians are welcome! There will be babysitting available as well as pizza, coffee, and tea. Please check the PAC website for more information on updates. hudsonpac.ca