



We are difference makers!

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Monday November 25 Day 1	Greek Lunch Arts Package workshops for Grades 5-8 with Poet Patrick de Belen 10:50am Student Council
Tuesday November 26 Day 2	10:50am Popcorn Sales (\$1.00 a bag) 10:50am Language Lounge
Wednesday November 27 Day 3	10:50am Reading Club (Grades 2-3) 1:00pm Birding Club (Grades 2-8)
Thursday November 28 Day 4	Pizza Lunch Arts Package workshops, Grades 4-6, Coding 10:50 am Popcorn Sales
Friday November 29 Day 5	Arts Package, Grades 4-6, Coding 9:30am Swim to Survive for Ms. Garlow's class 11:05am HEAT Team Meeting 2:00pm Intermediate Poetry Slam

Photo Gallery

Fire Safety Presentations
for Kindergarten-Grade 5



PRIDE Assembly



Dufflebag Theatre for
Kindergarten – Grade 4



Information

School Lunch Program: Our second opportunity to purchase lunches will be available from **Friday, November 22 until December 6th**. We will continue to offer Greek lunch on Monday and Pizza lunch on Thursday. New for this period will be **Sushi** on Fridays. Families can choose from three sushi options: Cucumber, Avocado, or Cucumber and Avocado. Please go to schoolcashionline for all purchases. Thank you.

Difference Day, November 19th: Each class was partnered up with another with the task of extending a gesture of kindness with Student council leading random acts of kindness throughout the day. A random act of kindness is the selfless act of giving resulting in the happiness of another person.

Arts Package, Poet Patrick de Belen: This Toronto-based Filipino spoken word poet, performer, speaker, host and educator is one whose formidable acclaim as a performance artist and writer is equaled by his commitment to his community, and his status as an enduring source of insight, energy and mentorship for young poets across North America.

Arts Package, Coding: During the "Let's Code & Play Circuit" workshop students will use an innovative device to create cool circuit projects and to spark their interest in coding. The well thought-out course series will help students pick up popular programming languages: Javascript and Python

Heat Team Tuck Shop: The HEAT (Healthy Eating Action Team) will be selling popcorn on Tuesdays and Thursdays, starting on Tuesday, November 26th at snack recess for \$1.00 in front of the learning commons. All proceeds will go to providing healthy snacks to our school throughout the year!

Winter Concerts: We are planning for three Winter Concerts this year showcasing the many talents of our students. On Tuesday, December 10th our Kindergarten and Grade 1 students will be performing. On Wednesday, December 11th our Grade 2-4 students will be performing and, our Grade 5-8 students will perform on December 12th. Having multiple concerts ensures that we have enough space in our gym for families to fully enjoy the evening.

Cancellation of Skiing, Snow Boarding and Snow Tubing for 2019-2020: The YRDSB has placed a moratorium on downhill ski, snowboarding and snow tubing trips. We recognize that this is unfortunate news but the moratorium will allow a fulsome review of current practices to increase student safety and improve experiential learning experiences. Families that have already signed up and paid through schoolcashionline will be reimbursed.

Upcoming Dates:

Dec.3 Community Connection Meeting
Dec. 10, 11, 12 Winter Concerts
Dec. 18 Walk To School Day and Pride Assembly
Dec. 23- Jan.3 Winter Break
Jan. 6 Welcome Back to School!

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