Good evening, this is Bonnie Demmons, Principal of HMMS, with messages for the week of November 25th.

Please see the attached edition of the Harry Miller Happenings for the week ahead and the “Stressful Day to-do List” also included with the Happenings.

Thank you to all families who attended the parent teacher conferences last week and also supported our Scholastic Book Fair, as well as our Renaissance Team’s sale of “Smartie Pants” and “You are Excellent”. Thank you once again for supporting our HMMS students.

Welcome to Mme Kate Briggs who is joining our HMMS family this week as Mme Prosser begins her maternity leave. A letter went home with all students who have Mme Prosser for a subject class last Thursday indicating that Mme Briggs will be replacing Mme Prosser for the remainder of the school year. We wish Mme Prosser and her family all the best and look forward to the new baby’s arrival in the near future.

Our next PSSC meeting will be this Tuesday evening, November 26th, at 6:30 pm. In the conference room.

We are into the last two weeks of the HMMS Gift Card Technology Fundraiser. Thank you to all those students and families who have purchased gift cards as part of this fundraiser in support of the purchase of further equipment and to continue developing the modules for Technology programming. Mr. Locke continues to accept orders and we thank you for your support and, if you have any questions, please email Mr. Locke at [david.locke@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:david.locke@nbed.nb.ca) Students can get more order forms from Mr. Locke directly and these gift cards are great for Christmas, which is right around the corner! The last day for placing orders is Friday, December 6th.

A reminder that Mme Toole's 6/7 homeroom class is collecting can tabs to raise money for families with sick children in New Brunswick. Each class has a container for collection in their classroom and the class that collects the most tabs by the end of the year will win a prize. Students are certainly enthusiastic about participating and in bringing in the tabs and we thank you so much for your support!

KVHS Renaissance Team is having their annual book sale on Friday, November 29th and Saturday, November 30th in the KV cafeteria. If you would like to donate any books to their sale, please feel free to drop them off at KVHS or send them in with your child and we will ensure that they are taken to KVHS for the sale. Thank you so much.

We are looking for volunteers for our first ever Santa’s Workshop.  The workshop will take place on December 10th through the 12th.  Volunteering would include handling sales, assisting students with their shopping, and organizing the tables.  Ideally, we would have a couple of volunteers for the morning (8:30-12) and for the afternoon (12-3) each day.  Please contact Mme. McCrea at [mccreaer@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:mccreaer@nbed.nb.ca) if you are able to assist. Thank you in advance.

The Bears Who Care are collecting new socks until Wednesday!  Members of the BWC want to ensure everyone has “Toasty Toes” this winter!  These socks will be distributed to members in our school community as well as those within the local community.  If possible, please send in a pair of new socks this week.  Thank you for your support!  😊  And if you are in need of warm socks this holiday season, please contact Mme. McCrea at [mccreaer@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:mccreaer@nbed.nb.ca) .

You can see our daily announcements and athletic updates on our school website <http://web1.nbed.nb.ca/sites/ASD-S/1929/Pages/default.aspx> and follow us on Twitter @HarryMillerMS

Inclement Weather Policy can be viewed here: <https://secure1.nbed.nb.ca/sites/ASD-S/Pages/Inclement-Weather-Policy.aspx>

Thank you so much and have a great week.