

# F.E.S. Family Connections

December 18<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017

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<b>Monday, December 18th</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Concert @ 8:30 (families of students with surnames A-L)</li><li>○ Kindergarten student led clubs</li><li>○ Toy Drive ends</li></ul>	<b>Thursday, December 21st</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Grade 4 Open Gym</li><li>○ Skating for 1B, 1McN, 1R,3C,3R,4/5M,5T</li><li>○ Grade 3 student led clubs</li><li>○ Santa's Workshop</li><li>○ Food Drive ends</li></ul>
<b>Tuesday, December 19th</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Repeat Concert @ 8:30 (families of students with surnames M-Z)</li><li>○ Grade 1 student led clubs</li><li>○ YMCA Playground programs (gr. 4&amp;5)</li></ul>	<b>Friday, December 22nd</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Christmas Lip Sync-PJ Day☺</li><li>○ Half Day-Dismissal at 11am for K-2 and 11:30 for grades 3-5</li></ul>
<b>Wednesday, December 20th</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Grade 3 Open Gym</li><li>○ Grade 2 student led clubs</li><li>○ Christmas Dinner K and Gr. 1- 11am Gr. 2-3- 12pm Gr. 4-5-1pm</li><li>○ Christmas Sweater Day</li></ul>	<b>Upcoming Dates:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ January 8<sup>th</sup>- first day back:-)</li></ul>

## Information Items:

- Our "**Santa's Workshop**" was buzzing with lots of happy little shoppers buying special items for their family members! Thank you to all family members who volunteered at this event! We appreciate you taking the time to help our students select their special gifts and for wrapping them☺
- Congratulations to our choir members on a great performance last evening!
- **Christmas concerts** will take place at 8:30am on Monday and Tuesday with families of those with surnames A-L attending on Monday, Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> and families of those with surnames M-Z attending on Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup>. Parking is always challenging during concert days. Please obey traffic rules.

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- Our **turkey dinner**, catered by Saint John Ale House, will take place on Wednesday. Thank you, in advance, to everyone.
- Thank you to all families who have contributed items to our **toy and food drives** for the less fortunate in our community. Monday is the last day to bring in toys but we will continue to collect non-perishable food items until Thursday morning.
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- Congratulations to Bei Yang and Carla Ward winners of our **FRONT ROW TICKETS AND A PREMIUM PARKING SPOT TO THE CHRISTMAS CONCERT!**
- The Home & School will be selling tickets on a **wreath filled with \$200 worth of gift cards** at our Christmas concerts on Monday and Tuesday. Tickets cost \$2 for 1 or \$5 for 3 tickets. You may also purchase tickets by filling out the attached form and sending it into the school by Thursday, Dec.21<sup>st</sup>. Thank you to the following sponsors for donating gift cards to our wreath: Nela's Kitchen, Cochran's, Angelo's, Reeds Point Pub & Grill, Dominos and Subway.
- It is with mixed emotion that we inform you that **Mrs. Dobbin has accepted the position of Acting Principal at Centennial School in Saint John** for the term of January-June 2018. We will miss her but know she will do an outstanding job in this new role.
- A reminder to parents of students currently in kindergarten, grade 2 and grade 5 that you must register your children for **French Immersion programs** using an **online registration form**. Registration deadline is January 30, 2018. Only those registering for French Immersion programs need to register. If your child will be continuing in the English Prime program, no action is required. Parents of students in grade 5 who are already enrolled in French Immersion do not need to do anything as these children will be continuing in F.I. in Grade 6.

## To register:

Go directly to <https://secure1.nbed.nb.ca/sites/fsl/Pages/default.aspx> Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on **Register for French Immersion 2018-2019**

Or

## To get to the registration form from the ASD-S Website:

1. Click on IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON REGISTERING FOR FRENCH SECOND LANGUAGE PROGRAMS
2. Click on the link below REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR FSL PROGRAMS-Deadline Jan. 30, 2018
3. Click on the link Registration for French Immersion Programs 2018-2019

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4. Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on Register for French Immersion 2018-2019
- Our weekly **Family Connections** are also posted on our school website under the **Synrevoice** tab.
  - Please follow our school on Twitter **@FairvaleFalcons**.