Barkers Point School

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Happy New Year! The staff of Barkers Point School hopes the holidays were wonderful for you and you had a chance to spend time with family and friends. We look forward

to working with you and your child(ren) during the second term.

The weeks leading up to March Break are important for students; please ensure that unless your child is ill that he/she is <u>at school</u> and arrives on time!

Home & School

The next meeting of our Home & School will occur on



Wednesday, January 13th at 7:00 pm. Due to the COVID-19 restrictions our meetings are held virtually. If you would like to be added to this meeting please contact the school and we will add your name to the TEAMS meeting invite.

PSSC



The Parent School Support Committee will meet virtually on January 13th at 6:00 pm.

Welcome New Staff



We have three new staff joining us at Barkers Point for the remainder of the

school year. Mr. Matthew Barry will be teaching Physical Education with Mr. Moore and Miss MacFawn. Ms. Kelly Richard joined the BPS staff before Christmas and Ms. Peggy Chase also joined the BPS Staff on January 4th, 2021. Both Kelly and Peggy are joining the BPS Educational Assistant staff.

Additionally, BPS staff is welcoming back Mrs. Alex Sorensen. Mrs. Sorensen returns to her kindergarten class after her Maternity Leave.

Welcome to all three of these new and returning staff members!

Christmas Angel Program

Thank you to all the families who supported the Christmas Angel



Program. With your help we were able to support many of our families this Christmas.

SORA

B.P.S. is excited to announce that we are now part of Sora

 a FREE online e-library! This is a new userfriendly app that lets you access books through your laptop, phone or tablet. It empowers students to discover and enjoy e-books and audiobooks from school and home.

DID YOU KNOW...

Sora is FREE!

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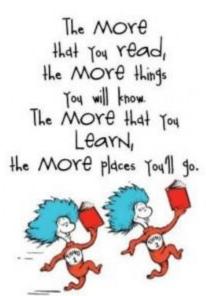
Books are available in French and English.

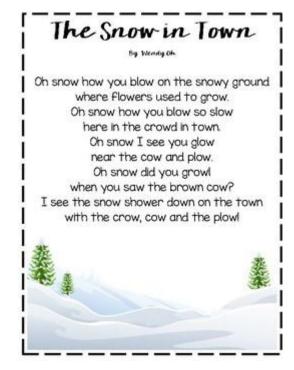
Many new release and current high interest books and tons of genres!

Please see attached log in info!

All you need is your student log in and password. Contact your teacher if you forget this!







Dates to Remember

January 4th – Classes resume for students

January 11th – Great Canadian Bagel February Orders go home today.

January 13rd – PSSC Meeting 6:00 pm

January 13th – Home & School Meeting 7:00 pm

January 22nd – February Great Canadian Bagel Orders are due.

February 15th – Family Day – schools are closed today