

## **Dear Priestman Families,**

Tis the season...for the Priestman Street School's annual Christmas Basket Fundraiser. Every year Priestman Street School raises approximately \$3000.00 through the sale of tickets on various themed Christmas baskets that are chalk full of potential Christmas presents. These baskets are made from items donated to the school by our students' families.

All of the favorite themes from past years are returning. As in the past, we have assigned classes to each basket theme as shown in the chart on the back of this letter.

We are asking each child to bring to school items that match the basket theme their grade has been assigned. Items should fall within the price range of \$5- \$10. Items are being collected for the baskets from November 22<sup>th</sup> to November 30<sup>th</sup>.

Tickets for the baskets will be sent home on Tuesday, December 6<sup>th</sup> (Tickets cost \$1 each or 12 for \$10). The baskets will then be on display in the lobby of the school, on the school website, and on The Friends of Priestman Street School's Facebook page. The winning tickets will be drawn at noon on December 16.

Thank you in advance for your support. Your donation to the baskets and then sales/purchase of tickets makes a significant difference at the school. All money raised will go to support activities and events for your children.

## Sincerely

The Friends of Priestman Street School

Basket Theme	Class	Suggestions for items
Kids Can Bake	Kindergarten	Baking tools, supplies, recipes
Kids Craft Basket	Grade 1	Paint, brushes, markers, colored pencils, scissors, construction paper, felt, pompoms, craft kits
Family Night	Grade 2	Tickets to UNB/STU games, Movies, board games. Along with Gift Cards to restaurants so Mom or Dad get a night off!
Kids Gift Cards	Grade 3	Gift cards from Kids themed stores
Parents Gift Cards	Grade 4	Gift cards from Parent themed stores
Chocolate Lovers	Grade 5	Chocolate bars, cookies, cakes, sauces, syrups, hot cocoa, recipes. NO PEANUTS PLEASE

If you would rather make a financial donation for your child's contribution to the basket, please place the donation in an envelope with the name of the basket on the front.