

### Stay Active and Safe This Winter

Don't let cold weather prevent you from enjoying outdoor activities. Winter in New Brunswick requires proper clothing. Ensure children have a warm jacket and pants. Keep head and ears covered, protect fingers and hands with mitts (warmer than gloves) and wear waterproof footwear with a good tread.

### Safety Tips of for Common Winter Activities;

- Wear appropriate gear for the weather including a properly fitted helmet when skiing and skating.
- Wear a neck warmer instead of a scarf. A scarf may get caught in ski lifts or other equipment.
- Consider lessons if your child is new to skiing or skating
- Know the terrain and be aware of obstacles or thin ice, time of darkness onset, etc.
- Choose ski trails that best suit your child's abilities.
- Avoid skiing or skating alone.
- Wear properly fitted skates and ensure blades are sharp and not rusted.
- Ensure proper ice thickness when skating on frozen ponds, rivers and lakes (20 centimeters or 8 inches). Be especially careful on rivers that tend to have strong currents or winter ferry service nearby. Adapted from;



http://horizonnb.ca/home/facilities-and-services/provincial-programs/new-brunswick-trauma-program/ injury-prevention/teens/winter-activities.aspx

In the event school is closed due to the weather, you may call the Anglophone West Office at 506-453-5454 or 1-888-388-4455. In most cases, cancellations are announced on local radio stations by 6:00 am.





# Millville Elementary School

## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

December 1st District Education Public Sustainability Meeting #2 at M.E.S. (6:30 pm)

December 3rd Hour of Code

December 4th Ring a Bell for Mental Health

December 8th Christmas Concert 9:00—10:00 am (storm date: December 9th)

December 15th Classroom Visits at 11:30 am

Lunchbox Social 12:00 pm (storm date: December 16th)

December 18th Last Day of Classes Before Christmas Break

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January 4th Professional Learning Day—NO SCHOOL **Students return from Christmas Break** January 5th

January 28th District Education Public Sustainability Meeting #3 in Fredericton

(Location to be announced)

Don't forget about the next District Education Public Sustainability Meeting. It will be held on Tuesday, December 1st at 6:30 pm.

Please set aside this date to come and support our school.

Don't forget to buy your tickets on this beautiful afghan that was donated to the school by Carolyn Whittaker, grandmother to Tim, Rachel and Jacob.. All money raised will go toward general school expenses such as Music, Art, etc.

The draw will take place at the Christmas Lunchbox Social on Tuesday, December 15th. GOOD LUCK!

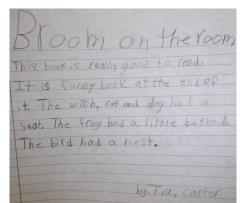
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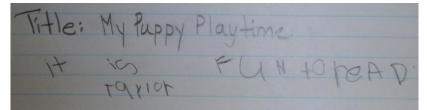


Our mission is to inspire students to achieve personal success by working together to create a safe, supportive, caring and welcoming learning environment.

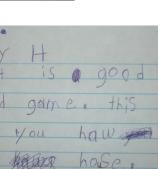


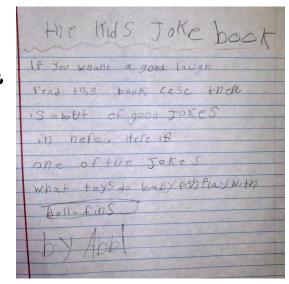












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The five week enrichment program has started. Students have chosen what group they would like to participate in. Groups pictured are the tap dancing and lego.

Thank you so much to Sonya Carter and Ami Morgan for taking their time to help with this initiative.







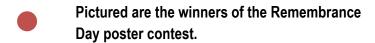




# Remembrance Day Geremony

# November 9th, 2015

Members of the Millville Legion, Branch #59 joined us for our annual Remembrance Day Ceremony on Monday, November 9th.



A big thank you goes out to the Legion for having this poster contest every year.

**GREAT JOB EVERYONE!** 







Operation Christmas Child was started in 1990. In 1993, Operation Christmas Child grew and was adopted by Samaritan's Purse, a Christian organization run by Franklin Graham. To date, Operation Christmas Child has collected and distributed over 100 million shoebox gifts worldwide. In 2014, Canadians donated more than 700,474 Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes for hurting children around the world.

This year, each class filled one shoebox. A BIG THANK YOU goes out to all who helped make a child's Christmas a lot brighter.







