

November 14, 2016

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Upcoming dates to note:

November 18	Rock your Mocs (see attached)
November 18	Christmas Market Place, McMillan Elem. (see attached)
November 19	Mental Health Forum (see attached)
November 21-24	Book Fair in Library – see below how to win free books!
November 23	LF 7's to Library and MRC, walking, leave here 9:15, leave there 1:30
November 23-24	Purdy's pick up
November 23	Regular school day + Parent/Teacher Evening Conferences – see below
November 24	Parent/Teacher Conferences during day – no school for students – see below
November 25	Non Instructional Day – no school for students
November 29	PAC Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
December 1	Glum/Jones to Matsqui Cent. Auditorium, walking, leave here 8:25, there 11:30
December 1	Family Gathering at Aboriginal Center (see attached)
December 5	Non Instructional Day – no school for students
December 8	Report cards go home
December 12	Band Concert, 7:00 p.m. at Central Heights Church
December 16	Last day before Christmas Vacation
December 16	Christmas Assembly in afternoon
January 3	School reopens after Christmas Vacation

Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent teacher conferences are coming next week and this year we are having parents pick a convenient time for themselves and book their own conferences. Please visit the site below to select your conference time. Thank you.

<http://chiefdangeorge.simplybook.me/sheduler/manage/event/1>

Abbotsford Senior Secondary School Luncheon

As a show of support, our school will be providing a lunch for the Abbotsford Senior Secondary School staff tomorrow. If you would like to make a monetary donation in support of this Abby Senior luncheon please send with your child – we have a donation bin available in the office. Thank you.

A Christmas Tradition

Last year we ended the last school day before Christmas vacation with homemade cookies baked by our parents for all students to enjoy. We are wondering if you'd like to repeat that this year? If you'd like to make cookies for our students (nut free please) please let Donna know in the office (indicate how many you can provide). If we have enough interest we will let you know it's a go and let the Christmas Spirit begin! Thank you.

Book Fair Next Week

There is a great promotion that the Book Fair company is offering to all students next week. Each student will receive a pamphlet this week (as per attached copy). When students come visit the Fair they should bring the pamphlet and fill out the entry ballot that is on the back of the flyer and deposit into the draw box. In a random draw two students will win \$25 worth of free books from the Book Fair and also win \$25 worth of free books for their classroom! Winners will be announced

Wednesday before the end of school so that the winning students and teachers can come down to the Book Fair and choose their books.

Parent help is still needed for Wednesday evening until 8 p.m. and Thursday. Please load The Sheets app on your phone or mobile device to access the online volunteer sign up sheet. If you're not sure how to add online please notify Donna in the office or email Clarissa at address below and she will sign you up.

Contact : Clarissa Saunders Cottonwoodagri@gmail.com or 694-855-5569

[Clarissa Saunders](#) has invited you to **edit** the following spreadsheet:



[Scholastic book fair](#)

[Open in Sheets](#)

To Music Students and Parents

There's still a week left for you to order great music books for your school musician and support our music program. These make wonderful Christmas gifts! **Just click on the Blue Christmas ornament below** to view recommended titles. You can click on each book cover for more details including songs included in each book. Each book contains a CD or Audio Access so the musician can play along with a band or orchestra, giving the feel of a live performance.

PRE-CHRISTMAS SONGBOOK SALE
until Nov.21

It's simple!

1. Select the book(s) you'd like to order, and the instrument being played
2. Complete the payment/confirmation form
3. Orders will arrive at school in early December

15% of every purchase goes to your school's music program!

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District App

Have you downloaded the District App yet? It's a great way to be notified of upcoming events at our school – see here for further information: <http://www.sd34.bc.ca/news/new-abby-schools-app-released>

Pay School Trips/Fees Online

Reminder that our district is making it possible for parents to pay for items such as fees and field trips online at abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com

Abbotsford Community Services

Community Events and Programs for Parent/Students

Check out the community/parent info page on the district website for lots of great activities for parents/students at <http://www.sd34.bc.ca/parents-students/CommunityInformation>