

• Lakeview Elementary • Weekly News



December 4th, 2020

Dates to Note:

- Dec. 4 Food drive ended
- Dec. 11 Snapshot of Learning home
- Dec. 14 – 17 Sing-a-long 1:20 On Teams daily
- Dec. 17 PJ and Slipper day
- Dec. 18 Last Day before winter break
- Jan. 4 School reopens

What a wonderful way to start December. A spell of beautiful, cold weather and a terrific Food Drive at Lakeview elementary. I was astounded by the sheer amount of non-perishable foods donated and the giving that our students and families exhibited to support families that need some assistance. Final count done by Div. 4 is a whopping 2354 items. Way to go. We have been able to support local families and our donations were whole-heartedly received by our partners at Edmonds elementary and will stay in our local community to support 200 families in need. Great job to everyone and a special mention to Division 4 and Ms. Chung for organizing, introducing and promoting this valuable cause.

Brad Winterlik, Principal

One of our 4
Vehicles full
of donations



Winter Weather:

With winter weather almost here, we want to remind you about how the Burnaby School District shares weather-related school closures.

All schools will remain OPEN, unless there is heavy snowfall, damage or other circumstances – such as a power outage – that make it impossible to open for instruction. The District will do its best to communicate school or district-wide closures on our website by 6:30 am. However, please keep in mind that there may be situations where this is not possible – again, such as a power outage.

Another way to learn about school closures is through local news stations (online, radio and TV), some of which are:

CBC AM 690 radio
News AM 1130 radio
CKNW AM 980 radio
Fairchild AM 1470 radio

Global TV
CBC TV
CityNews
CTV BC

Student safety is a responsibility we share with families. Please walk your child to the door of the school if you are unsure whether or not the school is open. If for any reason you feel that your student cannot travel safely then please – as you normally would – notify the school that your child will be absent.

Can you believe that we have made it to December?? It definitely feels different in the music room this year with no 8:00am play practices or weekends building and painting and sewing. We may not be able to have our usual Lakeview concert, but I am not going to let the holidays pass without marking the occasion; I have prepared a small musical presentation with each class which I will be recording in my classroom and posting to Microsoft Teams. If you do not yet know how to access your child's Teams page, please contact your classroom teacher for instructions. My hope is that this gives all of you a little something that you can share with your families and friends as we will likely not be able to gather in the usual way this holiday season. **Please have a discussion with your child as to whether or not you would like them to wear a mask while we record** - I am fine either way as I want everyone to be comfortable. For safety reasons I will not be mixing any classes together this year so there is no concern there.

The recording schedule is as follows:

Division	Date	What to Wear
Divisions 1&2 band	Thursday December 10 th	grad Hoodies and Christmas hats
Divisions 1&2 music class	Thursday December 10 th	Christmas pajamas
Division 3	Thursday December 10 th	red & green, Christmas hat
Division 4	Wednesday December 9 th	pajamas (Christmas if possible)
Division 5	Wednesday December 9 th	hoodie, jeans, scarf, toque
Division 6	Wednesday December 9 th	black bottoms, white top, Christmas hat optional
Division 7	Wednesday December 9 th	black bottoms, white top, Christmas hat optional
Division 8	Tuesday December 8 th	pajamas (Christmas if possible)
Division 9	Wednesday December 9 th	pajamas (Christmas if possible)
Division 10	Thursday December 10 th	pajamas (Christmas if possible)
Division 11	Thursday December 10 th	pajamas (Christmas if possible)

These videos will be posted to each team sometime the following week once I have finished editing them.

Happy Holidays, and thank you as always for supporting the Arts program at Lakeview!

Mrs. Bourne



Neighborhood safety initiative:

A neighborhood driven initiative was presented at the last PAC meeting to speed up the process of adding sidewalks to 6th street. If this is something you are interested more information can be found in the PAC minutes or the online petition below: <http://chnng.it/gMDGnWZF>

Sidewalks on 6th Street

Sonny Senghara started this petition to City of Burnaby

6th Street - between Burris Street and Reigate Road - is an incredibly dangerous stretch of road for pedestrians and cyclists. There are no sidewalks and street lights are woefully inadequate. As a result, pedestrians must walk on the road, with cars speeding by within inches of them. This road has only gotten worse as traffic bypasses Canada Way. It's not uncommon for pedestrians to have to jump out of the way to avoid being struck by a driver that can't see them in the dark. It's also the main corridor for children in the neighborhood walk to and from Lakeview Elementary. Neighborhood residents have been asking the City for sidewalks on 6th Street for over 40 years and we shouldn't wait for a child to be struck or killed. This needs to be made into a City priority. Please join this petition to make our neighborhood safer for all users, especially children walking to school and the new playground.

3 have signed. Let's get to 100!

Sonny Senghara signed this petition

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Last name
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West Vancouver, V7S
Canada

☒ Display my name and comment on this petition

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