



December 5, 2019

Sinkut View Elementary

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Sinkut View Leads

November 29th - December 13th:

FOOD DRIVE!! The Leads Team will be running our annual SKV Shares Food Drive to help fill the shelves at the Neighbourlink food bank. Non-perishable food items will be accepted. Donations will be tallied for each classroom and the class who donates the most will win a special treat!



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TOY DRIVE!! The Leads Team is also sponsoring a toy drive. They will be accepting unopened, unwrapped toys. The donation box is in the entry by the office.



December 12th: SKV Leads BAKE SALE! All proceeds from the bake sales are going toward the purchase of Christmas gifts for our anonymous sponsor family.

Christmas Week Dress-Up Days

December 16 - Christmas Sweater Day
December 17 - Santa Hat Day
December 18 - Christmas Character Day
December 19 - Reindeer Day
December 20 - PJs & Pancakes Day



- Dec. 7 – Parade of Lights – SKV Leads Float
- Dec. 10 – Dress Rehearsal for Christmas Concert 1:30 p.m.
- Dec. 11 – Hot Lunch – Pizza
- Dec. 11 – Christmas Concert**
 - Afternoon Performance @ 1:30 p.m.*
 - Evening Performance @ 6:30 p.m.*
- Dec. 12 – Bake Sale @ noon – SKV Leads
- Dec. 12 – Report Cards Home
- Dec. 12 – High School Band Concert @ 7 p.m.
- Dec. 18 – Hot Lunch – Grilled Cheese
- Dec. 20 – PJs and Pancakes Day
- Dec. 20 – SOAR Assembly at 11:00 a.m.
- Dec. 20 – Skating – Whole School 1:15 – 2:15 p.m.
- Dec. 20 – Last Day of School before the Break
- Dec. 21 – Jan. 5 – Christmas Break**
 - Jan. 15 – PAC Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.
 - Feb. 17 – Family Day – No School
 - Feb. 28 – Pro D Day – No School

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

The Sinkut View LEADS group has been busy with preparations and permission forms for the annual Parade of Lights. Thank you to Mrs. Jensen for arranging a trailer for us to use. Attending LEADS students will meet Miss Shields and Ms. Soffel at the Vanderhoof arena (football field side) at 6:30 pm on Saturday December 7th. Everyone is encouraged to wear warm clothing along with something festive. We have a Grinch theme to our float and have a special appearance by Buckwheat who will be dressed as “Max”. The parade begins at 7:00 pm and should last approximately one hour. Please meet your child at the drop off point around 8:00 pm for pick up.

The food drive and toy drive boxes are starting to fill up in each classroom and we are moved by the generosity of our school community.

The excitement of the first heavy snowfall and the upcoming Christmas Season are both visible on the smiling faces and twinkling eyes of your children. It is a magical time of year!

~ Ms. Soffel

SKV Christmas Concert



Dress Rehearsal
Tues, December 10
@ 1:30 p.m.

Afternoon Show
Wed, December 11
@ 1:30 p.m.

Evening Show
Wed, December 11
@ 6:30 p.m.

SKV Hoodies & T-Shirts

These would make perfect Christmas Gifts!!



Please contact Mrs. Varley at the office to purchase/order your Sinkut View Hoodies and T-Shirts...order forms are available at the front office ☺

Winter Band Concert
Grade 6 Band Students

The winter band concert at NVSS is coming up soon! Thursday, December 12th at 7:00 p.m., doors open at 6:30 p.m. The grade 6 band students will be playing alongside the senior groups to ring in the holiday season. Admission is free!



Jack Rabbit Ski Program

Registration is now open for the Jackrabbit Ski Program. Lessons are twice a week, Tuesdays from 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. and Saturdays 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. starting January 4th – March 14th, 2020.

Cost: \$80
Register online at: <https://www.zone4.ca> by searching for Nechako Nordics. For more information contact Richard Burkholder at bur9000@telus.net or by phone at 250-567-9000.

CLA\$\$ FUNDRAISER - \$5/Brick

The Grade 1/2 class has been working hard this year in science learning about the different states of matter, recycling, and reusing materials. We decided to reuse our school's paper recycling. We have made Paper Bricks that can be burned the same as wood. In our tests, each Paper Brick burns between 45 minutes to over an hour giving off good heat and can be used in campfires, fireplaces, or woodstoves.



We are selling Paper Bricks as a class fundraiser for \$5 a brick. Each brick is approximately 8"x3"x3" with some slightly smaller or bigger. If you would like to order some Paper Bricks, please contact Mrs. Varley or Mr. Hogarth. Your support of our classroom learning is much appreciated. Thank you!



54th ANNUAL
VANDERHOOF
COMMUNITY
CAROL SING



December 10th
7:00 pm
Northside Auditorium

CHILD CARE IN B.C. - PUBLIC SURVEY

Childcare BC invites parents to complete an anonymous survey about child care programs and services offered throughout the province. As part of our on-going efforts to ensure Childcare BC is meeting the needs of families, you will be asked about your familiarity and experience with existing Childcare BC programs, how you find out about and secure child care, and your opinions on issues that may inform future programs and services. This survey asks about early learning and child care arrangements. Early learning and child care arrangements is defined as any formal care for children up to the age of 12 years old by someone other than the parent or guardian. This could include care in child care facilities, in-home care by a relative or non-relative as well as out of school child care, but does not include occasional babysitting for recreational or social events or kindergarten. **You can find the survey on the SD No. 91 website www.sd91.bc.ca on the main page under Latest News. This confidential survey should not take more than 15 minutes to complete and will be open until January 17, 2020 (4pm).**

SINKUT VIEW PAC: Our next meeting is January 15th at 7:00 pm. We encourage and welcome all parents to attend. Please check the PAC Bulletin board in the main entrance for information and events.



The PAC offers hot lunch for students every Wednesday. If you can volunteer to help, even once a month, please call Corleen McNolty at 250-570-7086.

Board Meeting Dates and Locations Board Meetings begin @ 6:00 p.m.	
December 9	School Board Office
January 20, 2020	Video Conference
February 24, 2020	School Board Office
March 16, 2020	School Board Office