



**DAVISON SCHOOL**

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**November Newsletter**



Winter is here in full force. Please send your student to school with the proper winter gear including ski pants, toques and mitts. We will be going outside unless the temperature reaches or feels like  $-29^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

**VERY IMPORTANT!**

Please let the school know if your student will not be at school for the day. It is our duty to phone and make sure someone is not stuck outside in the cold somewhere. You can phone the school, send an email, or update on Edsby.

**Thank You**

- Mr. Dohms, Clint Holliday, Chris Fairbank, Mrs. Garlock, Mrs. Martinook and Mrs. Holliday for helping to get the PreK shed assembled and ready to use.

## Remembrance Day Service



We would like to thank Mr. Brian Morris and the colour party for taking the time to be a part of our Remembrance Day Service. Also, a big thank you to Mrs. Ball & Mrs. Kreklewich for planning the program and to the following grade 6 students and grade 1-5 classrooms for contributing to the program:

- MCs - Kyron and Allana
- Story of Remembrance- Keenan and Abeny
- Act of Remembrance- Kade
- Wreath Layers- Blakely and Carson
- Recitation of In Flanders Fields – Grade 5
- Poppy, Poppy – Grade 1
- Choir (Wish for Peace) – Grade 3 and 4
- Artwork – Grade 2

**Congratulations to Carter in Grade 3, who won 1<sup>st</sup> place for his coloured poster as part of the Legion Remembrance Day Essay and Poster Contest.**



## Gardening Club

Gardening club had to postpone our first after-school meeting on November 19th due to the adverse weather conditions. In order to get our club going, students will be meeting during lunch and recesses throughout the month of December. There are no planned after school meetings at this time.



## Girl Power

Girl power has started and Ms. Senyk and Mrs. Kirschman are very excited about their 17 Grade 5 & 6 girls this year.



## Education Week: Learning is a Journey

Education week was packed with activities for the students.

- Monday - Students made a timeline of their learning
- Tuesday - Books & Snacks in the Gym with families reading with a flashlight
- Wednesday – Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Thursday - Math with our buddies and Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Friday – All the classrooms read the book *The Most Magnificent Thing* at 11 a.m. and then did some writing and colouring about the book





## Take Note

- The area directly in front of the school is designated a bus zone. **If you park there between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. you may be subject to a parking ticket.** Parking in front of the school causes problems for buses pulling in to pick up and drop off students. A bus may be picking up students during the day and needs to be able to pull up to the front of the school.
- Report Cards & Conferences: The GSSD will only have 2 report card periods this year. Report cards will be published (not printed) in Edsby on February 7, 2025 for Term 1 and June 26, 2025 for Term 2. Marks for students in Grade 1 – 6 will be in Edsby posted in Edsby. Parents will receive a notification when a mark has been posted for their child/children. Please make sure you are signed up for Edsby so you can receive these notifications.
- Being a Chaperone: If you want to help out and assist a group of students on a field trip, GSSD will need a Criminal Record Check as well as the signed Code of Conduct: (see link below) <https://www.gssd.ca/download/425129>

## Congratulations

On Friday during Education Week draws were made for the chance for the chance for two families to win two adult tickets to a Mils game as well as the use of the Pharmasave box. Congratulations to the Peakman and Benoit families!

Thank you to Pharmasave for sponsoring this wonderful prize!

## Dates to Remember

- December 17 Winter Wonderland (6:00 – 8:00 p.m.)
- December 18 We are Diverse Assembly @ 10 a.m.
- December 18 SRC Holiday Spirt Day & Noon Hour dance (more info to follow)
- December 19 SCC Grinch Lunch @ Noon