

## Deroche Elementary Bear Nation Weekly Bulletin

**NOVEMBER 10, 2023** 

**BULLETIN #8** 



**PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:** Hello, loved ones, guardians and supporters of Deroche Elementary: This week at Deroche involved many firsts for some of our students. At our grade 5/6 basketball team's second game at Hillside, first time baskets were scored by several players while many of our younger students participated in ice skating for the first time with our K-2 classes at the Leisure Center on Thursday. Grade 3-6 classes will be skating on Tuesday, November 14th. On Friday, Deroche students reflected and remembered those who sacrificed so much during our Indigenous Veterans Day and Remembrance Day Assembly. In recognition of Remembrance Day, we look forward to students returning to Deroche on Tuesday, November 14th. Next week will be an exciting one with grades 3-6 skating on Tuesday, basketball at West Heights on Thursday and Chip/Spirit Day on Friday. Best wishes for a restful weekend to all our Deroche families and community.

A special reminder: Due to allergies, students are not to be eating on the bus as it puts some of our allergic students potentially at risk. Many thanks for your supporting this message with your child(ren) and helping to keep our students safe.

Ms. Hennessey - Principal

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:** No School Monday for Remembrance Day

<u>Music Bingo Night</u>: See you at the Dewdney tonight at 6:45 for another fun night of Music Bingo! Proceeds raised will be donated to the school. <u>Chips Sale</u>: Next Friday, each student will receive a bag of chips at lunch by donation. All funds raised will help support special events.

<u>Fundraisers</u>: Don't miss out on the various PAC Fundraisers that are on now. Choose from Purdy's Chocolates, Mini tree orders, and a night out to watch the Abbotsford Canucks. Fundraiser information can be found on the PACs Facebook page as well as the school's website.

**Christmas Store:** We are looking for new or slightly used gift items that would be suitable for our Christmas Store. Students will have a chance to go shopping on Dec 11 to pick out a gift for each of their family members. Please drop off any gift items to the office between now and Dec 8<sup>th.</sup>

## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

Nov 10 Music Bingo at the Dewdney

Nov 13 STAT-Remembrance Day

Nov 14 Skating – Div 1-2

Nov 16 B-Ball Game-West Heights

Nov 17 Spirit Day – to be confirmed

Nov 17 PAC – Bag of Chips Sale

Nov 23 B-Ball Game-A McMahon

Nov 24 No School

Nov 29 Gr 6 Immunizations

Dec 1 Half Day – 11:00 Dismissal

Dec 8 PAC Meeting

Dec 11 Christmas Store for Kids

Dec 11 Report Cards to go home

Dec 18 Santa Pictures

Dec 20 Christmas Concert

**OFFICE HOURS: 8:15-3:15** 

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