

" Home of the Kingswood Eagles!"



# Kingswood Eagles News



Acknowledgement of Territory:

We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the Hən̓q̓əmi̓nəm̓ (Hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn, and live.

## Week of December 5-9, 2022

Monday, December 5	Tuesday, December 6	Wednesday, December 7	Thursday, December 8	Friday, December 9
	Chess Club at 12:00 in the library	Poinsettias and Purdys Pick up today, 2:30-3:30 at the front of the school	Kingswood's Winter Concert!  1:30 pm and 6:00 pm  (Students should arrive to their classes at 5:30 pm)	PAC Movie Night, doors open at 5:30 pm, Movie starts at 6:00 pm  "The Grinch"



**DON'T FORGET**



Grade 6/7 Immunization Clinic on Dec. 7, right after student arrival

### Reminder:

Kindly please report any absences, lates, early dismissals, etc. to our

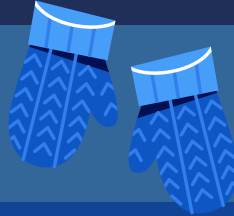
Early Warning Line at (604) 668-6220

Please include your child's name, Division, why they will be away and for how long. Thank you.

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# Winter Concert Update



A reminder that our Winter Concert is coming up this week on Thursday, December 8! The Dress Rehearsal will be at 1:30 pm (families are welcome to attend) and our evening performance is at 6:00 pm. Students should go home after school, rest a bit, have something to eat, and then should be brought back to the school at 5:30 and should go to their classrooms for attendance purposes. Families can then make their way down to the gym to find seats for our evening performance. Please note that, for safety reasons, students should be picked up from their classrooms by a parent/guardian to go home at the end of our show. It will be quite dark when the performance is finished and I will **not** be allowing students to walk home alone in the dark, even if they are our senior students. We want to ensure that all of our students make it home safely after the performance. I ask that kindly let your child's teacher know who will be picking him/her up after the performance (from their classrooms). If you have any questions about this, please feel free to contact me at the school. Thank you for your support!



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# Parking Reminders



Just a reminder that the "loop" is meant for student drop off and pick up only. Recently, we are noticing several vehicles where the driver has left their vehicle and it has blocked up traffic in both our loop and/or our parking lot. This also blocks the school bus trying to access the parking lot. If you need to leave your vehicle to pick up your child, kindly please remember to try to find a spot in the parking lot itself, or park on the road and walk into the lot if possible. If you are unable to find a spot, if you circle around after a few moments, spaces generally do open up pretty quickly. Please also remember not to double park your vehicles, thereby blocking other drivers from getting out of their space. Thank you.





Snowglobes as the theme of our winter concert! When you come for either concert, please pay special attention to all of the beautiful artwork the staff and students have created to decorate the gym! Our Division 1 and 2 band have also been working hard with Ms. Lam to be able to perform a few short pieces that they have been practising as well.

## Staying Home When Showing Symptoms of Illness

Though we are grateful that we are able to open up the school to offer a variety of learning experiences for our students, it is also important that everyone continues to do a daily health check each morning. If your child is showing symptoms of illness, please keep them at home. Otherwise, we may be calling you during the school day to pick them up to go home.

## Daily Health Check

SHOULD I GO TO SCHOOL TODAY?

We appreciate your support in keeping your child home when they are not feeling well. **Students should not come to school when they are sick.** If your child is not feeling well please continue to keep them home until their symptoms have resolved. If you know your child will be absent for a range of days, please leave that information as well.





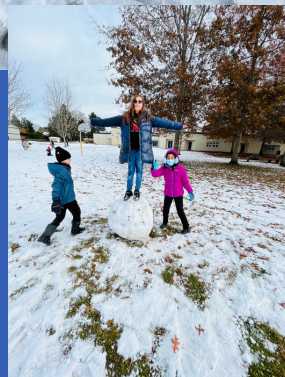
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## Winter Weather/Snow at Kingswood

GOOD JOB!!

During the recent snowy weather, we wanted to let parents/guardians know that our Kingswood Eagles did an AMAZING job of following our expectations and guidelines for playing carefully in the snow. Those children that wished to participate in snowball throwing on Wednesday only did so within the laid out "Snow Throw Zone", while others chose to create snow angels, snowballs, snow people (even a snow kitten!), slide down the hills, etc. Once the snow turned to more of an icy mixture the next day, students did a great job not throwing snow any longer, and we are proud of them for playing respectfully and safely outside. Our Kingswood EAGLES value this month has been focusing upon being ACCOUNTABLE, so bravo for being accountable for both their own safety and for the safety of others. Well done, Kingswood!





# Updates from our Kingswood PAC

## PAC MOVIE NIGHT

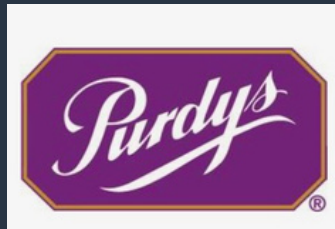
DEC. 9, DOORS  
OPEN 5:30 PM



We are asking everyone to bring a non-perishable food item on Movie Night, to support the Richmond Food Bank



## UPCOMING PAC EVENTS



- PAC Purdys and Poinsettias orders to be picked up on Dec. 7 between 2:30-3:30 pm.
- Next Family Movie Night, December 9th, 5:30 pm doors open
- Next PAC Meeting, January 17, 6:15 pm



# Kingswood Reminders/Dates

## Upcoming Dates to Note:

- December 7, 2:30–3:30 pm: pick up of Purdys and poinsettias at the school
- Thursday, December 8: Winter Concert. Performances at 1:30 and 6:00pm. All students are needed to perform at both the afternoon and evening events.
- Friday, December 9: Next PAC Family Movie Night: doors open at 5:30 pm
- December 12–16: Spirit Week!
- Thursday, December 15: Report cards go home
- Friday, December 16: Last day before winter break
- Friday, December 16: Pancake Breakfast and Pajama
- Tuesday, January 3: School Re-opens

