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Good Afternoon,

This is Greg Norton, Principal (Acting) of Loch Lomond School, here with a few announcements regarding upcoming events at your school for the week of Jan. 9th – 13th.

During the month of December we celebrated kindness, respect and diversity. Many activities have taken place throughout this month, but one activity we sponsored as a school community was raising food for our local community food bank. Thank you to all who were able to pay it forward by stocking the shelves of our local food-bank who help serve the needs of our school community.

A new provincial report card for students in grades K-8 will launch next school year. A quick-fact will be regularly featured on the LLS talkmail message, leading up to the launch of the new report card during the upcoming school year. For the new provincial report cards, teachers will identify the level of achievement on a 4 point scale that best describes your child's current progress. How is the final achievement level calculated? Each term stands alone. Terms will not be averaged on the final June report card. Student achievement level will reflect that most recent success. As a reminder the 1-4 achievement scale is briefly described as follows:

- 1 = Working Below Learning Outcomes
- 2 = Approaching Learning Outcomes
- 3 = Meeting Learning Outcomes
- 4 = Excelling at Learning Outcomes

Thank you to all those who attended in support of our annual Christmas Concert! Our students performed exceptionally well and sounded great. As a result of our students dedicated practice, our school community can look forward to many more years of talented entertainment and a packed house to perform in front of. Special thanks to our entire student body for two excellent Christmas Concert performances! A special thanks to Mrs. Richard, Lead Director for her leadership to make this event possible. Many thanks is also extended to the many staff members that contributed countless hours to make this concert a success!

Monday, Jan, 9th is a Professional Learning Day for Staff – No Classes.

Tuesday, Jan. 10th is the First Day for Students after the Christmas holiday break

Wednesday, Jan. 11th students who have submitted consent forms will receive their regular fluoride treatment to help keep that smile strong.

The regular monthly PSSC Meeting takes place on the evening of Wednesday Jan. 11th. This monthly Parent School Support Committee Meeting is open to the public and all are welcomed to attend. If you would like more information about the PSSC and the role the PSSC plays at LLS please contact the school administrative office.

For a complete list of the week's activities & future events please refer to the Loch Lomond School website or follow us on Twitter @LochLomondNB. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the before mentioned announcements please call the school office @ 658-5350. We always welcome your feedback on how to make our school a better place to learn and visit!

Wishing you a Happy Holiday and a joyful New Year. Best wishes from the entire faculty and staff at Loch Lomond School!

Yours in Education,
Greg Norton
Principal (Acting)