

LOCH LOMOND SCHOOL

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Good Afternoon,

This is Greg Norton calling from Loch Lomond School, with a few announcements regarding upcoming events at your school for the week of December 11th – December 15th.

Holiday Treats for Classes

Please be reminded that all schools in ASD-S are Peanut and Nut Free (e.g. peanuts, tree nuts, hazelnuts, cashews, pistachios, etc.). In addition to nuts, we also have children with severe and anaphylactic allergies to many other food products (e.g. dairy products, mango, kiwi) and have safety plans in place for our allergic children. Any minimal contact with these foods and their derivatives may cause anaphylactic shock (severe allergic reaction) and unconsciousness within a matter of minutes.

It is essential to keep to the Provincial, District and School policies related to the safe handling of food, healthy foods, and allergies. Baked goods and/or treats from households are not encouraged for class celebrations. Store baked goods which are prepared in qualified facilities and have clearly affixed ingredient labels are permissible for class celebrations. You are requested to contact your child's teacher or school administrative office to plan together for safe celebrations for all students who attend Loch Lomond School.

Scent Free Policy

By way of reminder, Anglophone South School District has a scent fee policy that asks all students, employees, volunteers and visitors to refrain from wearing or using scented products in all schools, offices and vehicles. By choosing scent free products we can ensure that our working and learning environment is comfortable for our entire school community.

Scholastic Book Fair

Many thanks to the many members of the school community who supported our Scholastic Book Fair. As a result of your kind patronage, a generous amount in excess of \$2000 will be making its way back into our classrooms to support learning. Special thanks to Mrs. Hodder and her team of faculty and volunteers who make this event a success.

Dec. 12th Grade 4 students in Ms. Vaughan's and Mr. Cormier's Homeroom classes will be travelling to the Crane Mountain Landfill. This co-curricular fieldtrip will help students better understand how their waste is handled, how the landfill maintains a commitment to the environment, and the importance of waste diversion.

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Dec. 12th Students in Mrs. Munn's Grade 2/3 Homeroom class and students in Mrs. Richardson's Grade 3 Homeroom class will be travelling to experience, discover and research all the NB Museum has to offer in beautiful Uptown Saint John.

Dec. 13th Students who have returned consent forms will receive their weekly Fluoride Mouth Rinse. The program is a very effective way to prevent tooth decay in children. Parental consent forms are required to participate in this free program.

Dec. 13th Grade 2 students in Mrs. McGuire's Homeroom class and Mrs. Belyea's Homeroom class will be travelling to the Loch Lomond Villa for their annual Christmas at Loch Lomond Villa visit. This annual trip to visit the residents of the Loch Lomond Villa is enjoyed by all during this holiday time of year.

Dec. 14th At Loch Lomond School is PJ Day and the annual Home & School Pancake Breakfast. This very festive event is sure to please, as students enjoy a Pancake Breakfast in the comfort of their PJs. Many thanks to our Home & School Association for making this event possible.

Dec. 15th Students will be busy throughout the day for our Christmas Concert Rehearsal. Thank you to our director, Mrs. Richard and all of our students and teachers who put in many hours rehearsing and fine-tuning our Christmas Concert for the public performance on Dec. 19th.

Dec. 15th Select student ambassadors will be travelling to the Rothesay SuperStore to tend the Salvation Army Kettle. The Salvation Army Christmas Kettle Campaign is a fundraising effort that occurs each year during the Christmas season. Kettles are found in 2000 locations across Canada and are an opportunity for the public to donate whatever funds they can to support the work of The Salvation Army during the Christmas season and throughout the year. Thank you to our Guidance Counselor, Ms. Beaudet and her student representatives for helping support this worthy cause.

For a complete list of the week's activities and future events, please refer to the Loch Lomond School webpage or follow us on Twitter @LochLomondNB. If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to call the school office @ 658-5350. We always welcome your feedback on how to make our school a better place to learn and visit.

Yours in Education,

Greg Norton,

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