LIS Weekly Newsflash

November 18th, 2022

We are grateful to live, work, play and learn on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the Stz'uminus First Nations People.

Hello LIS Families!

We had a wonderful treat yesterday at LIS! A big thank you to Dairyland, 49th Parallel Grocery and Oceanview Church for the milk and cookies for the entire school! All cookies were nut free and they even thought to bake some gluten free and dairy free cookies so that everyone could partake. What a wonderful "hug" from our community!

Creative Kids Art PAC Fundraiser

By now, you should have received a copy of the art your child created with how to order some wonderful gifts in time for Christmas on the back of the sheet. We do need the original art sheet back to school on **Monday, Nov 21**st as we have to send them to the company to make up your orders.

Ladysmith Light Up

It's coming on **November 24th**. Please see the attached memo from the Town of Ladysmith regarding street closures that day. Watch for the LIS gingerbread art bomb which will be hanging from the trees along First Avenue. We are working with the Town Of Ladysmith to contribute and we are thrilled to share the talents of our students to add to the Ladysmith Light Up spirit! Thank you to Mr. Paugh and his class who will string them up on Monday afternoon.

Winter Show

Please see the attached ticket request form and poster for details on attending one of the three shows. Paper copies available in the office as well. Thank you for understanding that due to gym capacity, we need to limit number of guests per student. Requests are due back by **Friday, December 2**nd. Our wonderful PAC is cooking up some fundraisers so please stay tuned.

We will also be collecting donations at each show for our memorial bench in honour of Ms. Furlan.



Calendar

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Creative Kids Fundraiser art due back

Nov 21st

Food Drive begins

Nov 21st

Grade 6 Immunizations

Nov 24th

(for those who returned consent forms)

UBC comes to LIS for science lessons in each class

Nov 25th

The LIS Food Drive

TIGERS TAKE A BITE OUT OF HUNGER.... Beginning November 21st until December 9th we are proud to be teaming up with The Ladysmith Resource Centre to help those in need in our community. If you can bring in any non-perishable food items to donate it would be greatly appreciated. The division with the most items by December 9th will have a class pizza party".



The Book Fair is coming...

The Scholastic book fair will be happening **November 28th to November 30th** with after school shopping from 2:30-4pm and also for students during their regularly scheduled library time during the day on Tuesday and Wednesday. We are looking for a couple of **parent volunteers who could help out after school** so please email laura.king@sd68.bc.ca if you are able to help us out. Proceeds go to our school to support our library. Students will have a chance to browse the merchandise with their classes on Monday November 28th and the **virtual sale** runs all week from November 28th to December 2nd using the following link:

https://virtualbookfairs.scholastic.ca/pages/5179725

Calling ALL chocolate-lovers

The grade 7's have teamed up with Purdys Chocolatier to fundraise for Grade 7 Field Trips in hopes of raising \$500!

Ordering is as easy as eating chocolate. Just click this link https://fundraising.purdys.com/1582250-98849,

fill out your info you'll need an email address, click "Join Campaign". The order deadline is November 28th.

Hot lunch and Concession hosted by our LIS PAC

Lunch orders close the Thursday before hot lunch Monday. Link: https://munchalunch.com/schools/LadysmithInt

Concession is every Friday.

Winter weather has begun...

Please help ensure students are warm and dry at recess by **dressing for the weather**. In the event of a winter storm, school closure and busing information will be posted on the district website by 7am. The Wave 102.3 also has regular updates if there are school closures www.sd68.bc.ca

*Remember to bring a reusable water bottle to school each day

Newsworthy notes:

- Scholastic Book Fair November 28th -Dec 2nd
- Our Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) meets in the school library the first Thursday of each month. The next meeting will be Dec 1st at 6:30 pm.
- Winter School Shows Dec 7th 12:45 pm, Dec 8th 5pm and 6:45 pm *tickets are free but must be preordered

Timesaver tip

Here is our school general email address if you would like to let us know about a student absence by email/

info.LI@sd68.bc.ca

That's news for now! Wishing you all a wonderful weekend. $\mathcal{M}rs.~\mathcal{K}ing$