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School District No. 40 (New Westminster)



F.W. Howay School Newsletter

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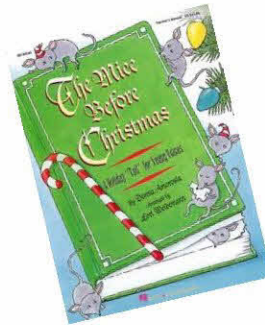
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“The Mice Before Christmas”

Our Christmas Concert this year is called “The Mice Before Christmas” and is a great story of some mice nibbling on toys made by Santa’s elves putting Christmas in jeopardy.

All students will be participating by singing and grade 5 students have taken on the acting and narrative roles.



The concert this year is at 1:15 pm on Tuesday, December 13th which is a change from the usual evening time.

Students are invited to wear dress clothes or a bright coloured top.

If you are able, please bring a non-perishable food item with you to the concert. These items will be given to the food bank. We look forward to seeing you!

Pancake Breakfast

The students will once again be treated to a pancake breakfast on the morning of the last day of school before the break. Crafts will also be a part of the morning’s special events.



Thank you to the parent volunteers and PAC for making this possible.

Students, staff and parents are encouraged to wear their pyjamas which is part of our tradition for the pancake breakfast!

Morning schedule:

9:05 Gr 1 & 2

9:30 Kindergarten

10:00 Gr 3 & Div 1 (4/5’s)

10:50 Div 2 (4/5’s)



Scholastic Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who supported our Scholastic Book Fair last week! Many students took advantage of having a "book store" right in their own school.

Total sales were \$2,474.40 and that means we raised \$1,237.20 to spend on library books for our school! Mrs. Dupuis and the students are very grateful.

Special thanks go out to the parents who were able to volunteer at the book fair as "cashiers"!



Dates to Remember

Friday, December 9	PAC sponsored Hot Lunch Day
Tuesday, December 13	Christmas Concert 1:15 pm
Friday, December 16	PAC sponsored Pancake Breakfast & Pyjama Day
Friday, December 16	Last day of school before winter break
Mon, Dec 19 – Tue, Jan 2	Winter Break
Tuesday, January 3	School reopens after winter break
Friday, January 6	PAC sponsored Hot Lunch Day
Monday, January 23	Professional Development Day (students do not attend)
Friday, February 10	PAC sponsored Hot Lunch Day
Friday, February 17	Professional Development Day (students do not attend)

