



École Quarterway Weekly Update

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Hamperville Begins Monday

As of December 11, we will begin collecting non-perishable food items for the Salvation Army. Collection boxes will be placed in our front foyer. Together our efforts will help to ensure that families in need enjoy a Christmas feast. Thank you all so much in advance for your kind donations.

French Immersion Open House

We are hosting the French Immersion Open House here in our Library on Wednesday, December 13th at 6:00. This is an information evening for new families to **Early and Late French Immersion**. Kindergarten teachers will be on hand to answer questions about the FI program and administrators will be there to assist with any questions or concerns you may have about the lottery system. Please note that once again, all siblings will have priority to attend school with their brothers and sisters. All other applicants will be entered into a computer-generated lottery for the remaining FI spots in Nanaimo.

2018 Kindergarten Siblings

The office needs to know as soon as possible if you have a sibling entering Kindergarten in the fall of 2018. Please speak with Jamie regarding your child and how to register.

PAC Update

There are still Poinsettias available in the office. Our next PAC lunch is Panago Pizza [on December 15th](#). Gogo Christmas coupons are for sale. We are very excited to have the cookbooks arriving in time for Christmas on December 18th. You can pre order on munchalunch or paper forms coming home today. The next PAC meeting is [January 11th at 6:30pm](#). **Please add to your calendar a Play-space committee event:** Tree chipping, hot dog sale and bottle drive. [Saturday January 6th 10-2pm](#). Bowen Rd Country Grocer. Volunteers needed. Please Contact Emma Montpetit @ eqpacplayspace@gmail.com or on fb pac page if you are able to help.

Santa Bus here Next Week

The RDN believes that getting children excited about riding the bus safely is one of the keys to creating life-long skills. The other key is education. BC Transit has worked with BC Curriculum Educator to create a learning experience to arm students with life-skills in public transit choices. They have lesson plans, activities, and printables that are specifically geared to elementary school students. One way of reaching out to children is every December they decorate their Santa Bus and visit a number of schools to introduce transit to the students. The Santa Bus will be at EQ Wednesday.

Dec. 11-15

Monday:	Bantam Girls' practice	11:45	Team Lundine
Tuesday:	Bantam Boys' practice	7:45	
	Div. 11 – Nanaimo Museum		
	Bantam Girls' practice	11:45	Team Caitlin
	PW Girls Games at Qway and Georgia		
Wednesday:	Division 16 French Christmas Show		
	Bantam Boys Game at @Home vs. McGirr		
	FI Open House	6:00	
	Last Call for Winter Wonderland Tickets		
Thursday :	Santa Bus here for Primary Classes		
	Winter Wonderland Family Dance	6:00-8:00	
	Bantam Girls Game @ Coal Tyee		
	Team Lundine cancelled ☺		
Friday:	Pewee Girls' Practice	7:45	
	Bantam Boys' practice	11:45	
	PAC Hot Lunch		

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