



DEC 1 - 5, 2025

HAWKS NEWS

Week at a Glance



Mon. Dec. 1

- **PAC Pancake Breakfast**
10:45 am
- **PJ Day or Hawks' Spirit Wear**
- **Deck the Halls**
- **Food Drive begins!**

Tues. Dec. 2

- **Terrific Tuesday!**

Wed. Dec. 3

- **Wonderful Wednesday!**

Thurs. Dec. 4

- **Thankful Thursday!**

Fri. Dec. 5

- **Spirit Day - Red and Green Day or wear your Hawks' spirit wear**
- **December assembly**



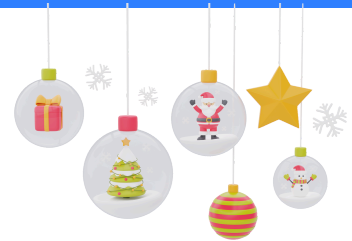
PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

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Families,

Happy December!

This upcoming month will be extra busy with the PAC pancake breakfast, singing practices, arts and crafts for the season, Christmas store shopping, spirit days, holiday learning activities, the Food Bank Drive, learning updates, our Christmas concerts, and much more!

It is an exciting but tiring time of the year. Please help your child get a good night's rest so they are ready to learn, listen, have fun, and finish the 2025 school year successfully as a little Hawk that SOAR!



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Upcoming Dates

Dec. 12 - PAC Christmas store /Christmas sweater/festive wear spirit day or Hawks' spirit wear

Dec. 15 - PAC Christmas store

Dec. 15-17 - Learning Updates (report cards) go home

Dec. 17 - Concert dress rehearsal

Dec. 18 - Concert #1 - 11:00 am

Dec. 18 - Concert #2 - 6:00 pm

Dec. 19 - Last day of classes before the Winter Break

Dec. 20 - Jan. 4 - Winter Break

ECE's "Home for the Holidays"

Thursday, December 18



Morning concert: 11 am — 12 pm

Evening concert: 6 pm — 7 pm



*Tickets and parking information will
be coming out next week!*

*If any parents are willing to
help with parking, please contact
Mrs. Ingham at the office.*

Dress for the weather!

With winter just around the corner, please make sure your child is coming to school prepared to be outside. Proper footwear, a good coat, gloves, and a toque will become necessary very soon. We go outside most days, and we want the students to be dressed for the conditions. Sending your child with a change of clothes would be helpful, too!

Christmas Store

The Gr.5 classes and the PAC will once again be hosting the Christmas Store. The money raised will be going to charity. All students will be able to purchase at least 1 (or more) gifts, depending on the number of items donated. All gifts will be priced at \$2.00. They will be wrapped for the child to bring home.

The purpose of the Christmas store is to allow the students to purchase surprise gifts for adults in their lives. We will be running the store on Dec. 12th and 15th.

Please start collecting items that you would like to donate to the store. Any new or gently used items suitable for adults would be welcome (a good time for regifting). Please do not send clothing or toys.

We will be accepting donations from November 24 - December 5. We would also appreciate donations of gift bags, gift boxes, or gift tags. All items can be sent to school with your child to bring to their classroom.

If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering, please reach out to:

Andrea Pomeranz
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EAST CHILLIWACK ELEMENTARY



HELP DONATE TO THOSE IN HUNGER!

BRING IN FROM DECEMBER 1ST-13TH

The food items we are most in need of include:

Peanut butter, Canned vegetables (corn, beans, etc.), Rice or pasta, Canned meats (tuna, salmon, ham, turkey, chicken), Condensed & chunky soups, Canned fruit, Mac & cheese, Cereal, Meal helpers (Hamburger Helper, Stove Top, Sidekicks).

*Drop off
Location*

ITEMS WILL BE COUNTED IN
CLASSROOMS, COLLECTED AND
STORED IN THE HAWKS NEST.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT MS. REES AT 604-794-7533

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Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease

There have been some confirmed cases of Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease in several classrooms.

Attached is some information on what Hand, Foot and Mouth disease is, and what to look for.

If your child is unwell, please keep them at home until they are feeling better.