



# Assumption School

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## Christmas Concert

A reminder to families that this year's Christmas Concert will be held in our school gym. We will be having the dress rehearsal with the students prior to the day of the Christmas concert instead of an afternoon dress rehearsal on the day of the concert. The students will watch their peers' performances and will be in their classrooms after their own performance on the 21<sup>st</sup> so that all seats in the gym will be available for families. We will have two performances on Thursday December 21<sup>st</sup>. Our matinée performance will be at 1pm and our evening performance will be at 7pm. We anticipate that the evening performance will be much busier than the matinée performance, so if you are able, please come in the afternoon to watch what is sure to be another crowd pleasing concert!

## Door Décor

Deck the halls? Yes! We've taken that phrase literally this year! Have a stroll through the hallway of the school to check out all of the decorated doors. This initiative was brought to us by our grade 7-9 student council. The students will vote on a winner which will be announced on the last day of school before Christmas break!

## Safer Schools Together

Four of our staff were able to attend the ERASE bullying Safer Schools Together Level 1 training in Surrey this past Monday. We were very fortunate to have Theresa Campbell as our presenter for the day. The focus was on how we as educators can be more aware of issues our students are facing today as well as practical ideas for monitoring and improving relationships within our schools.

## Poinsettia

Thank you to all of our volunteers and purchasers of poinsettias. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year and we appreciate all of the hard work and dedication of those volunteers who make it possible. We couldn't do it without you!

## Winter Wonderland

Our K-4/5 students will be skating at Winter Wonderland at the Complex from 1:30pm until 2:30pm. The students will be bussing over at 1:10pm. We welcome and encourage families to join our young students on this fun afternoon!

## Christmas Hot Lunch

We are so blessed to have our PTA providing us with a free hot lunch for students and staff this coming Thursday December 14<sup>th</sup>! In appreciation and thanksgiving for the food we are so fortunate to have, we are asking families to send in some non-perishable food items to donate to the food hampers our church distributes to local families in need. What's on the menu? Ham, mashed potatoes, vegetables, buns and delicious cupcakes for dessert. Yum!

## Online Communication

All of our notices will be catalogued here: <http://assumpschool.ca/NOTICES.php> on our school website.



♥ Mrs. Berg