

NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER | 2024



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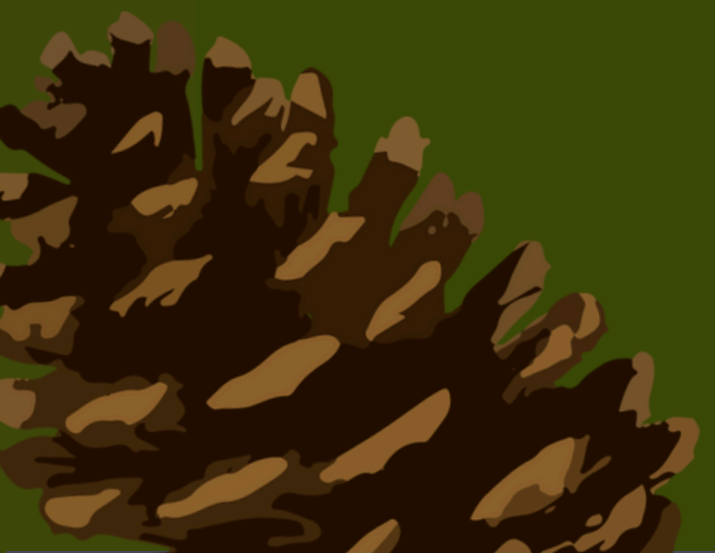
NO SCHOOL December 6th

CHRISTMAS BREAK:

December 23rd - January 5th

RETURN TO SCHOOL:

Monday January 6th 2025





SCHOOL-WIDE UPCOMING EVENTS

WINTERFEST TRADE SHOW AND MARKET



Saturday November 30th

11am- 3pm

School Gym, Free Admission

CHRISTMAS MEAL FOR STAFF & STUDENTS



Wednesday, December 11th

Provided by our P.A.C. and Helpers At Griffiths-Scott

Thank-you for the generous donations!

GRIFFITH'S SCOTT CHRISTMAS CONCERT



Monday, December 16th at 1:00 pm & 6:30pm



GRIFFIN LEADERSHIP TEAM



CANDY GRAMS



December 2-11th

Candy Grams will be sold for \$1 each
All proceeds will be given to the Millet food bank

FIVE DAYS OF CHRISTMAS!!!



Dec. 16th - Fancy Day

Dec. 17th - Cozy Day

Dec. 18th - Ugly Sweater Day

Dec. 19th - Christmas Character Day

Dec. 20th - Pajama Day



NAME THAT TUNE

From December 16th to 20th, we're having a "Name That Tune" week! Each day, we'll play a classic holiday tune and challenge students to guess the song title. Let's see who has the best musical memory!



MORNING CHRISTMAS MUSIC

To help our students get into the holiday spirit, we will be playing festive Christmas music as they enter the school each morning. We hope this cheerful addition to their school day will bring joy and excitement to the season!



CLASS HIGHLIGHTS

GRADE ONE/TWO - MRS. GREKUL

We've had a busy month in the Little Hoot class! Grade 1s have been sounding out words using the letters and digraphs they know.

This is called best guess spelling. We've been reading using the reading strategies we've learned so far: Stretchy Snake, Eagle Eye & Lips the Fish. Grade 2s have been working on writing complete telling, asking, and exclamatory sentences using subjects and predicates. They have been working on editing their writing using 4 editing steps: 1. The sentences make sense. 2. There is an uppercase at the beginning of their sentence, on the word I, and at the beginning of names. 3. They have ended their sentence with appropriate punctuation. 4. They have correct spacing between words.

In math, grade 1s are working on learning their numbers to 50. They are skip counting by 2s, 5s, and 10s. Grades 2s are counting backwards from 1000 and skip counting to 1000 by 2s (starting on even and odd numbers), 10s (starting at any number), 20s, 25s, and 100s.

We are looking forward to a month full of holiday fun. We will be writing letters to Santa, having an ornament making afternoon, and decorating cookies. There is lots of fun to be had!

GRADE ONE - MRS. SENDECKI



Grade 1 has been working on sounding out words and building a sentence about a picture prompt. We have learned many digraphs and a few tricky words so far. In math, we are learning to count and write our numbers to 30. We are also working on comparing numbers such as 7 is 2 more than 5 and 6 is 4 less than 10. Lastly, we are learning to add numbers using dice. We are looking forward to December with all our Christmas crafts and activities.

CLASS HIGHLIGHTS



Music- Mr. Tindall

Music classes have been busy getting ready for our Winter Concert on the 16th.

We hope to see you there!

Grade 6 students have recently started playing their band instruments and should be able to bring them home to practice soon.

The Junior High Band class have been making great progress on their instruments; hopefully you have heard someone practicing at your home. (hint, hint!)

Mr. Tindall would like to thank all the students for their hard work so far this year!



CLASS HIGHLIGHTS

Grade Two - Goodrich:

The Grade 2's love math, we have been working on graphing, time, comparing numbers up to 1000, and basic facts. We have learned various math games as well as language games. We are very excited about the Christmas Concert. We have been working on a secret project for our parents. Shhhhh don't tell.



WETASKIWIN HOCKEY ACADEMY

REMINDERS

- 1. Schedules:** Continue to check our website for an updated activity schedule.
- 2. Bussing:** Winter is here! WHA classes will be cancelled when busses aren't running.
- 3. Equipment Storage** is available to store equipment when needed. Please contact us for an access code.

GSS SPORTS



BASKETBALL

Get ready to dribble, pass, and shoot! Basketball season is tipping off soon! Practices will start the second week of December (exact date to be confirmed) and will be held once a week. Games are scheduled to begin on January 14th and will continue until mid-March. Stay tuned for more information on specific practice times and game schedules.



GRADE 5 - 8 FLOOR HOCKEY CLUB

Mr. Van Someren and Mr. schneider are starting a Grade 5-8 Floor Hockey Club with our plan to have it before school at 7:45AM - 8:30 AM, every second day 1. So far our dates for floor hockey club are: November 26, December 19, January 8, January 24, February 10, and February 21. This is a fun, drop-in, free activity that is open to all Grade 5 - 8 students of all ability levels!

2024 MILLET WINTER EVENTS

HOSTED BY MILLET & DISTRICT RECREATIONAL AND AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

CHRISTMAS

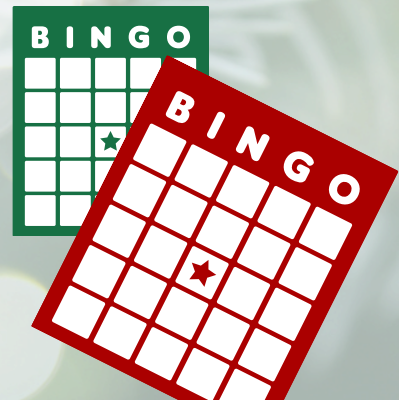
TOY BINGO


SATURDAY, DECEMBER @1:00

DOORS OPEN AT NOON

MILLET AGRIPLEX

BANQUET ROOM





Winterfest Tradeshow & Market at Griffiths-Scott School


Saturday November 30th
11:00am -3:00 pm
4612 51st Millet



Free Entry

Over 20 local vendors to shop from

Accepting Items for the food bank





SANTA SKATE

Sunday, December 15

When: 1:00 - 4:00pm

Where: Wetaskiwin Co-op Place , Arena 2
(4519 50 Ave)

**Join us for a fun afternoon of skating,
crafting, sleigh rides (weather
permitting) & a visit from Santa!**

**CLICK [HERE](#) FOR MANLUK'S WINTER 2025
REGISTRATION GUIDE**



UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENT



The CPR Holiday Train is coming to Millet on **December 11th** at approximately **7:00 pm!** Organizers are already busy planning the event and will advise as plans are confirmed!

COMMUNITY EVENTS



December Home Games

Saturday Dec. 7 - 8:00pm vs Barons
Saturday Dec. 14 - 8:00pm vs Rustlers
Saturday Dec. 21 - 8:00pm vs Warriors

Wetaskiwin Co-op Place



Friday Dec. 1 - 7:30pm vs Strathcona
Friday Dec. 8 - 7:30pm vs Sherwood Park
Friday Dec. 15 - 7:30pm vs Red Wings
Sunday Dec. 17 - 6:00 vs. Mornville

Wetaskiwin Co-op Place



Friday Dec 6 - 8:15pm vs SWZ Oil Kings
Friday Dec 20 - 8:15pm vs Sherwood Park Renegades
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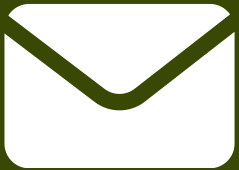
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