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Dresden Area Central School DECEMBER 2023

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Dresden Area Central School is such a wonderful place to learn. We thank our students, parents, community and staff for making it such a great place. THANK YOU!



Happy Holidays

We have many exciting and engaging activities happening in December. The last day of classes is Friday December 22nd, 2023. Classes resume on Monday, January 8, 2023. Enjoy your break and Happy New Year!

Student Council Activities

Student Council planned special days for December.

December 4 th -	Candy Grams on Sale for \$1.00. Send	
14th	a special note to someone	
December 4 th -	Non Perishable Can Drive-in need of	
15	soaps, paper products	
December 8 th	Wear School Colours	
December 15	School Colour Day (Each grade will	
	get notification of a colour to wear)	
Mon. Dec 18	Dress as a Holiday Character	
Tues. Dec 19	PJ Day	
Wed. Dec 20	Red & Green Day	
Thurs. Dec 21	Wear festive Socks & Hat	
	Carolling-Parents Welcome 9:20-9:40	

Friday Dec 22 Ug		Ugly/Festive Sweater Day
		Carolling-Parents Welcome 9:20-9:40

Christmas Concert

It's a casting call for the annual holiday revue and a host of familiar North Pole faces are lined up to audition, headshots and resumes in hand. Mrs. Rankin along with our grade 1-4 students presents "A Christmas Line" performance on December 20th @ 2:20 & 6:30pm.

Equity, Diversity, Inclusion & Justice

Some of our Eagle students celebrated Diwali, a social cultural festival in November. Diwali celebrates the victory of good over evil and knowledge over ignorance. Diwali is celebrated by different lighting decorations such as fireworks and candles.

Eagle Pep Rally

Welcome to join our next Eagle Rally will be December 8th at 2:30pm.

Lunch sales continue with flavoured Popcorn for \$2.00, white & chocolate milk for \$1.25 available daily at first break.



Pita Pit Lunch

Every Tuesday, for the month of January, Pita Pit lunch is available for preorders only. Forms went out this week and are due back to the office December 15th. Thank you to Miss. Jacobs for helping organize this hot lunch option.



Can/Toy/Cleaning Products Drive

Our Student Council is running a Non-perishable Can/Cleaning Products/Toy Drive December 4-15. The Drive is need of non-perishable food, paper products and soap. Please be sure to check expiry dates before donating items. All proceeds will go to Dresden Food Bank. Thank you for your generosity.

Get Out & Save Booklets

Looking for a great Christmas gift idea? DACS is selling Get Out & Save coupons books for \$25. The school receives \$10 back towards school trips and classroom supplies. Many local businesses have amazing money saving coupons in this book including Union Block Bakery, Exprezzionz Salon, the Chip Company and the Sugared Spoon. There are over 90 different businesses from all over Chatham-Kent with coupons in this year's edition. There is over \$1000 worth of savings in this booklet and the coupons don't expire until the end of 2024! You have 13 months to use them. Booklets can be ordered through School Cash Online or there will also have a table set up during the Christmas Concert on Dec. 20th.



Parent Council Fundraising

Thank you to everyone that supported our tent at the Dresden Night Market. A big thank you to Foodland for donating the cookies and hot beverages. The booth raised over \$1300 to go towards class field trips and classroom supplies.



Our Book Fair brought over \$150 of books for each classroom. Thank you to our volunteers for making this happen.

Our next Parent Council meeting is January 25 at 6:30pm.

Caroling

Parent/Guardians/Caregivers are welcome to join Mrs. Stokes and Student Council in some carolling fun December 21, 22, from 9:20-9:40am in the gym.

Jr Volleyball

A big thank you to Mrs. Long and Mrs. McCutcheon for giving our Junior students an opportunity to tryout for volleyball. DACS will be hosting schools December 4th and 6th after school for some games. Good Luck EAGLES!

Sr. Volleyball

Congratulations to the DACS Senior Boys Volleyball Team for winning the championships for our area. The boys went undefeated for the entire season. They consistently demonstrated good sportsmanship and excellent volleyball skills. A special thanks to Rachel Ross who volunteered her time to be the assistant coach again this year! A big thank you to Mrs. Cameron for coaching and convening both the boys and girls leagues.

Luke A	Ryan R	Max T
Teun J	Damian J	Landon R
Mason P	Sid O	Cory J
Connor D		



The Senior Girls' Volleyball Team won the Championship after an undefeated season. Much of their success can be attributed to their excellent serving abilities. They rallied hard and displayed a great team effort full of enthusiasm, good sportsmanship, and dedication. Team members included: Alexis. Brooklyn, Cindel, Georgia, Gisele, Hailey, Jaelyn, Lauren, Leah, and Morgan. A big thank you to Ms. Ellis and Mrs. Gibson for coaching. Congratulations are extended to all the players, as they represented DACS well! Way to soar, Eagles!





December Upcoming Events

December 4th-14th	Candy Grams on Sale \$1.00
December 4 th -15 th	Can Drive
December 7 th	9:15 CKSS Band
December 8 th	Eagle Rally 2:30pm, Wear School Colours
December 11 th	Ricco Fundraising Delivery this week
December 12 th	FDK Sloan's Village Field Trip
December 15 th	Pita Pit Money orders due, Colour Day
December 18 th	Holiday Character Day
December 19 th	PJ Day
December 20 th	Red & Green Day, Christmas Concert 2:20pm & 6:30pm
December 21 st	Festive Socks & Hat, Caroling in the gym 9:20 with Mrs. Stokes
December 22 nd	Ugly Sweater Day, Carolling in the gym with Mrs. Stokes