

# Brooke Central Public School

## December 2023 / January 2024 Newsletter

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### Coming Soon...

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|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Optimist Dinner & Skate            | Thurs, Dec 14 |
| Brooke Holiday Concert             | Mon, Dec 18   |
| <b>Red and Green Theme Day</b>     | Mon, Dec 18   |
| <b>PJ Theme Day</b>                | Tues, Dec 19  |
| Cake Walk                          | Wed, Dec 20   |
| <b>Santa's Workshop Theme Day</b>  | Wed, Dec 20   |
| <b>Christmas Sweater Theme Day</b> | Thurs, Dec 21 |
| <b>Happy New Year Theme Day</b>    | Fri, Dec 22   |
| School Resumes                     | Mon, Jan 8    |
| Grade 8 Parents Committee          | Mon, Jan 15   |
| Grad Photos                        | Mon, Jan 29   |



### Christmas Break

It's hard to believe it, but Christmas Break is right around the corner. I hope everyone enjoys a very, well-earned holiday this year. Our Christmas break starts on Saturday, December 23rd. Classes resume on Monday, January 8th.

## **Class Picture Retakes**

We've arranged to have the photographers return in March to re-do the class pictures due to some quality concerns we had. Here are our up-coming picture dates:

### **Grade 8 Graduation Pictures**

These have been scheduled for Monday, January 29th.

### **Senior Kindergarten Graduation Photos**

These will happen on Monday, March 4th. This will also be the day we re-do all class pictures.

## **Dinner and Skate**

The annual Dinner and Skate will be happening on Thursday, December 14th. The Alvinston Optimists will be providing time for the kids to skate as well as enjoy a full holiday meal at the arena. They will even be providing us with school buses to bring the kids to the rink and back. Permission forms with all the information will be coming home in the very near future. If your child needs to borrow skates or a helmet for the day, there is a place to indicate that on the permission form. All skaters must wear a helmet that is CSA approved. Thank you so much to the Alvinston Optimists for giving us this special day!

## **Grade 8 Parents Committee & Fundraising**

Grade 8 students are ready to kick start their fundraising for their graduation and trip to Muskoka Woods. Both of these events cost a large amount of money so students will be facilitating fundraising events throughout the school year. Currently, the Grade 8s are planning two fundraising events before the holiday break.

First, students will be selling hot chocolate and treats following the Holiday Concert on December 18th at the school. Also, grade 8 students have organized a Cake Walk during the school day on Wednesday, December 20. A Cake Walk fundraiser is a raffle for holiday cakes (and treats) created by grade 8 students that all students of the school will be able to participate in. More information about this fundraiser will be sent home soon.

## **School Council**

There will be no School Council Meeting in December. We will meet next on Wednesday, January 10th at 6:00 in the Learning Commons.

### **Bronco Wear**

Thanks to everyone who ordered Bronco Wear. As of yet, the clothing hasn't been delivered to the school. We'll let everyone know when it arrives.

## **Boppin' Bronco Tinsel & Tunes**

The biggest event of the holiday season happens on Monday, December 18th. Join us at the school for one of our two Holiday Concert performances! All are welcome.

**BOPPIN'  
BRONCO TINSEL  
& TUNES**

**FDK-8**

**VARIETY SHOW**

**MONDAY,  
DECEMBER 18, 2023  
12:15PM & 6:30PM**

**BROOKE CENTRAL GYM**

**SNOW DATE - WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2023**

*Hot Chocolate & Cookies*

**WILL BE SOLD AFTER THE EVENING  
PERFORMANCE, CASH ONLY.**

**PROCEEDS SUPPORTING GRADE 8 MUSKOKA TRIP & GRADUATION**

## Remembrance Day Assembly

Thanks to everyone who attended our Remembrance Day Assembly earlier this month. Congrats to all of our award winners.



## Volleyball

The regular season is winding down for our volleyball teams. Playoffs are just around the corner.



## Food Drive

Thank you so much to everyone who donated to the Alvinston Food Bank. The donations were overwhelming!



## Sarnia Sting Game

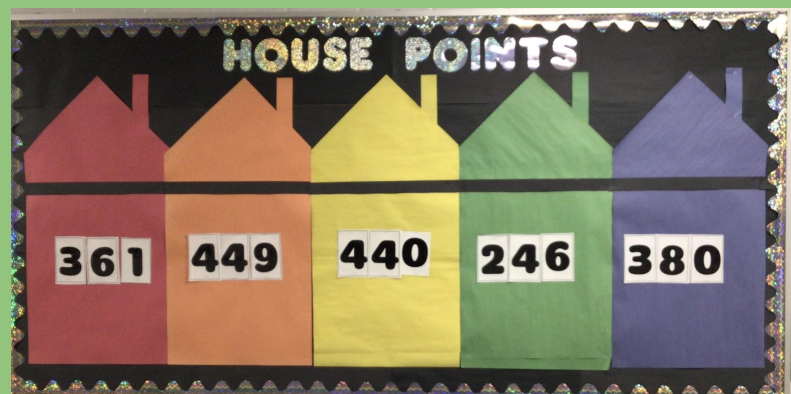
The School-Aged Sting Game was lots of fun for our Broncos. This was a great event put on by the Sarnia Sting.



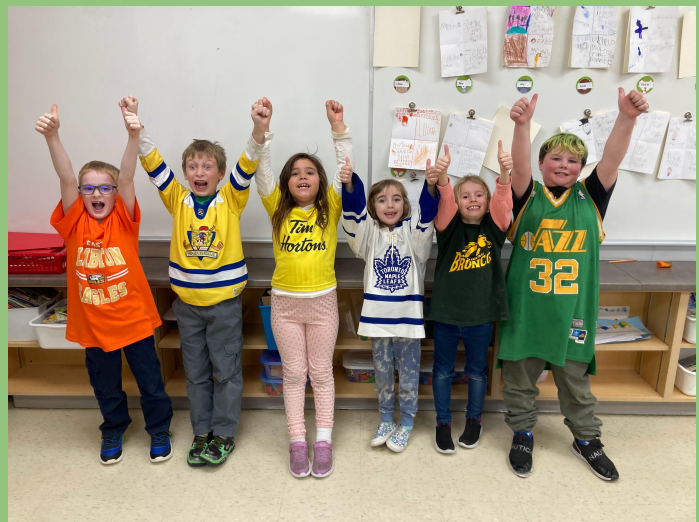
## Student Council

Here are some updates from our Student Council.

### Colour House Standings



We've already had our first theme day. Jersey Day was a big success. Although I felt a little bit outnumbered...



## Theme Days

The last week before the break is full of theme days!

# HOLIDAY SPIRIT WEEK

**Monday**  
December 18th



## RED & GREEN

**Wear As  
Much Red  
& Green As  
You Can**

**Tuesday**  
December 19th

## PJ Day!



**Wear Your  
Favorite  
Holiday PJ's**

**Wednesday**  
December 20th



## SANTA'S WORKSHOP

**Dress Like a  
Character  
From The  
North Pole**

**Thursday**  
December 21st

## CHRISTMAS Sweater Day!



**Deck the  
Halls in Your  
Holiday  
Sweater**

**Friday**  
December 22nd

## HAPPY NEW YEAR'S



**Glitz & Glam  
It Up For  
New Year's**