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The Cleveland School Mission is to provide an environment that fosters the emotional, social and physical well being and the intellectual development of all students. Cleveland School will promote a positive self concept, respect for self, respect for others, respect for the environment, fitness and health..

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BASKETBALL SEASON

The elementary basketball season has now ended. We had good participation and a lot of fun. A special congratulations to the grade 7 girls who were able to play in the final four tournament at Carson Graham. A big thank you to the team coaches Mr. Hone, Mme. Doyle, Mrs. Parkinson and Mr. Gallagher.

PRIMARY CONCERT

This is a reminder to mark your calendars for our upcoming PRIMARY CONCERT. There will be two presentations on Tuesday, December 16th. The afternoon performance will be from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. and the evening from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Detailed information will be sent home with your child early next week.

LOST & FOUND

Please take some time to check out the Lost & Found articles on the tables outside of the office next week, and claim any items that may have gone missing and belong to you. Unclaimed items will be given to the good will.

BABYSITTING AT CLEVELAND

Take advantage of babysitting services provided by Grade Seven Students during early dismissal times
December 2nd, 3rd, 4th between 2:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
\$5.00 per child per day.
Book now while space is still available
Contact Dina at HYPERLINK
"mailto:dina5@telus.net"dina5@telus.net



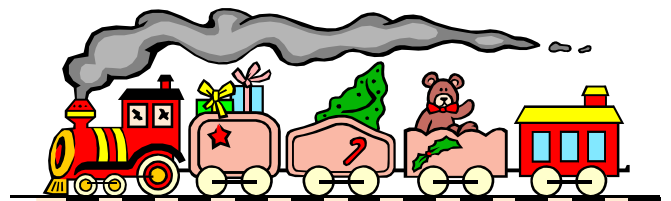
GRADE 7 CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR
December 2nd, 2:00 – 4:30 p.m.
Large Gym

**Ho ho ho!! 'Tis the season for the Annual
Grade 7 Christmas Craft Fair.**

**This year's fair will be held Tuesday afternoon,
December 2nd from 2:00 – 4:30 in the
Large Gym.**

**The Grade 7 elves have been working hard in
their workshops to create a wonderful
assortment of crafts and goodies which will make
a perfect gift for that special someone!**

**There will be plenty of seasonal tunes and good
cheer for everyone so mark your calendars,
practice your carolling and plan on stopping by
to sample the goodies and stuff your stockings!**



WAY TO GO CLEVELAND!

Searching for Christmas presents that won't end up broken or tossed aside come January? Consider outfitting your children so that they can comfortably walk to school this winter. A new rainproof jacket, pair of lined boots, colourful umbrella or toque and scarf will have your kids looking forward to *Walking Wednesdays*. And you'll feel confident knowing that no matter what the weather, they'll be starting the day warm, dry and ready to learn!

SCHOLASTICS BOOK FAIR

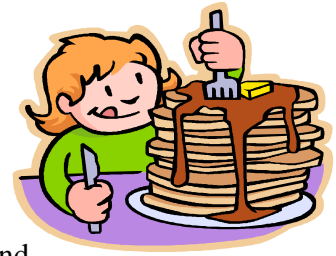
**Wednesday, Dec. 3rd & Thursday, Dec. 4th
9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the front foyer of the school**

The Scholastic Book Fair is coming to our school and we are looking forward to seeing you there! The Book Fair will run two days in the front lobby of the school. It happens to be on the same days as the Parent Teacher Conferences...what perfect timing! You can, not only find out about your child's progress in school, but also do some Christmas shopping at the same time! If you cannot attend, the students will also be visiting the Fair during class time and they will be able to purchase books during that visit. Payment can be made with cash, cheque or credit card. Thank you for encouraging your child to read. By purchasing books and supporting our Book Fair, you enable Cleveland Elementary to obtain new resources for the school and classroom libraries (up to 60% of proceeds go to the school).

NAVIGATING SUPPORT SERVICES FOR YOUTH

If you've ever tried to find support for your child, you know how hard it can be to navigate the 'system'. The North Vancouver School District is hosting a workshop on Thursday, December 4th from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the conference room of the Leo Marshall Curriculum Centre (810 W. 21st, North Vancouver). This workshop will give parents and caregivers an opportunity to hear from community organizations that provide support for youth who are affected by substance use, mental health and/or behaviour issues. There will be opportunity for questions and discussion following the presentations. To register, call Karen Bishop, 604-903-4621.

UPCOMING PANCAKE BREAKFAST December 12th



To get ready for this event, the Cleveland reindeer have been dispatched to the North Pole for a quick update course on how to make and serve pancakes to 350 people – no small feat! Tickets are selling fast, so don't delay in sending in your order to the office – although the deadline is December 4th, we sold out days in advance last year, so please don't wait. (Due to fire regulations we must limit the attendance.) The green order form was sent out last Friday with the newsletter. Continuing with our efforts to go green, we will not be sending out another paper copy. If you can't find your form, extras are available in the office. Also, your class rep will be sending out an electronic version that you can print out and send in. We hope to see you and your families on Friday, December 12th... in addition to a great meal, there will be crafts and face-painting in the small gym, a wreath raffle and lots of warm holiday spirit! If you have any questions regarding this event, please contact Tina Swinton, (tinaswinton@shaw.ca).

CPAC MEETING

What a great turn out this past Tuesday!! Thank you very much to Constable Chelsie Isobe for her informative presentation on Drugs 101. Parents had many questions and went away with a lot of useful information. Thank you Chelsie!

WEEK AHEAD

Tuesday, December 2nd – Food Day – Subway
Parent Teacher Conferences 2:00 p.m. dismissal

Grade 7 Craft Fair

Wednesday, December 3rd – Parent Teacher
Conferences 2:00 p.m. dismissal

Scholastic Book Fair

Thursday, December 4th – Parent Teacher
Conferences 2:00 p.m. dismissal

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