

# Entwistle School Newsletter

December 1st, 2019



Home of the Entwistle  
Eagles

Our Vision:

Our students  
possess the  
confidence,  
resilience, insight  
and skills required  
to thrive in, and  
positively impact,  
the world.

Entwistle Students  
show:

P- purposefulness

R- resilience

I- independence

D- dignity

E- empathy



## PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

It's hard to believe we are about to start Term 2 on December 9th! As the weather gets colder, we still encourage outdoor activities so please ensure your children are dressed appropriately for the cold. Some indoor activities continue during some of the recess breaks including; knitting, building with Lego, study help and intramurals. I wish everyone happy adventures and safe travels over the holiday break.

## NOVEMBER AT ENTWISTLE SCHOOL

Again, time is flying by this school year, with lots going on in November! We had Jr. High spend a week doing CTF at Seba Beach School, a lovely & respectful Remembrance Day ceremony, and hopefully everyone had a relaxing Fall Break. Grades 6 to 9 also completed Summative Exams last week. Our staff and parents played against the volleyball team, and Jaleesa in Grade 9 participated in the WCJHAA All Star Volleyball game, way to go!!!



## HAPPY HOLIDAYS

***Reminder, the school is closed from December 20th through January 5th. We hope everyone has a wonderful Winter Break making holiday memories with family and friends!***

## SANG FOOD BANK COMPETITION

The WEE Food Bank drive begins December 2nd. The school is divided into four teams that are competing against one another to see who can collect the most non-perishable food items & money before December 19th. St. Anne Natural Gas will donate a pizza party to the winning team. Let's try and beat our donations from last year!!! Student Leadership will collect donations after morning announcements each day. Thank you for helping us show our community that we care. **Please make sure your items are not expired, and make all cheques out to WEE Community Food Bank!!!**

## LES BUCHERONS

December 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>, Entwistle School welcomes Les Bucherons here for a cultural performance residency. Through acting and teaching, Gilbert Parent, Le Bûcheron (Lumberjack), encourages students to understand the traditions and cultural diversity that render Canada a truly unique country. His engaging performances help to build the children's awareness and appreciation of Canadian culture and values through stories, music, spoons and dance.

## KINDERGARTEN WELCOME

We are happy to welcome Mrs. Hermann back to Entwistle in a very different role as the Kindergarten teacher for the remainder of the year! Mrs. Brace is going on Maternity Leave at the end of December, we will miss her a lot and we look forward to meeting her little bundle of joy! Mrs. Hermann will be doing some crossover dates with Mrs. Brace to help prepare the students.

## Upcoming Events

- Dec 4/5-Les Bucherons, Artist in Residency
- Dec 5-Hot Lunch, Subway
- Dec 6-Community Breakfast, 8:15 Kindergarten Thursday Schedule Report Cards
- Dec 9-Term 2 Begins
- Dec 9 to 11-Dental Hygienist, K-2
- Dec 12-Parent Teacher Interviews Hot Lunch, Chicken Fingers
- Dec 13-Monday Schedule
- Dec 16-FOELS meeting
- Dec 18-Christmas Concert, 6 pm
- Dec 19-School Spirit Day, ugly sweaters/movie Hot Lunch, Cheeseburgers Assembly, 2:19 pm Last Day of Classes
- Dec 20-MSD, no school
- Dec 23 to Jan 3-Winter Break
- Jan 6-Classes Resume





## FOELS

The next FOELS meeting of the 2019/2020 school year is Monday, December 16th at 3:30 in the Learning Commons. Please consider joining FOELS, they sponsor many clubs, sporting events, activities, equipment, and busing that benefits all the students of Entwistle. We need to send a huge thank you to FOELS for donating balls of yarn for knitting, as well as finances towards field trips and busing in November!

## ODDS AND ENDS

- ✓ *The Christmas Concert will be held December 18th, at 6:00 pm, in the gym. Watch for more details in the next week.*
- ✓ *Intramurals have begun for Grades 4 to 9 at lunch on Tuesdays and Fridays.*
- ✓ *Parkland County generously donated an accessible swing to Entwistle School, and also installed it for us. Shout out to them for this wonderful addition to our playground!*

## IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- ✓ It is cold out!!! So, please make sure students are wearing proper outdoor clothing so they can play outside comfortably, as well as an extra change of clothing for their locker.
- ✓ **It's important for all visitors to sign in at the office when you arrive, every time!**
- ✓ School doors open at 8:15, please do not drop your children off before this time, as there is no supervision. If a situation arises in which your child must come to school early, please contact the office ahead of time so we can make an arrangement for that day.
- ✓ School Fees for all students are due. If you have not paid yours, and need to make arrangements, please contact the office.

*Ms. C. Blair*

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Principal



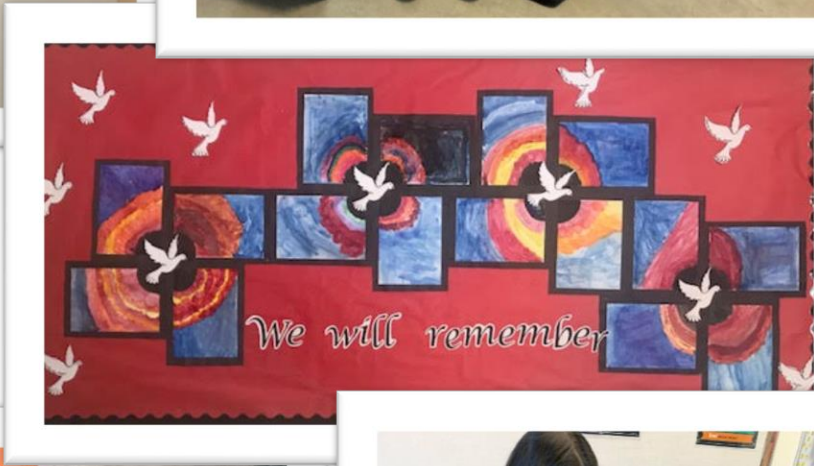




# *November at Entwistle*



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the School*







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