



I wish everyone
a very peaceful
and happy
holiday break!

Weekly

For the week of December 19th

Monday the 19th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● PIZZA ORDERS FOR JANUARY DUE ● Festive Sing-song ● Mme McLeish's class to visit Stone Lodge
Tuesday the 20th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● JK, SK, grade 2 dental screening
Wednesday the 21st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Festive Sing-song ● Mme Woodward & Mme Hemsley's classes to visit Stone Lodge ● Lunch Lady lunch ● Mad Science after school
Thursday the 22nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mme Hartmans' class - cartooning workshop
Friday the 23rd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Monthly assembly ● PYJAMA DAY!! ● Pizza lunch ● Pokémon Club ● Last day before Winter Break - see you on January 9th!

Bus Cancellation Procedures



There are several ways you can find out if the buses are cancelled. You can check the transportation website; you can follow the Transportation Consortium on Twitter; and you can listen to the radio.

Transportation website - <http://www.stwdsts.ca/>

Follow on Twitter - [@stwdsts](https://twitter.com/stwdsts)

Listen to the radio - FM 106.1 or AM 1460

If you choose to drive your children to school when busses are cancelled, then you must also pick them up by 3:10 PM. If there are no busses in the morning, then there will be no busses in the afternoon, even if the weather has improved. You are responsible for picking up children by the end of the school day. If you are not able to pick up your children by 3:10 PM, then you will have to keep them home for the day. We do not have staff available to supervise children after the bell.

In the morning, if you are driving children to school, then the procedure will be different on a no-bus day. You will be allowed to enter the parking lot to drop-off your children. You may not park in the lot, but you may pull up to the sidewalk and let your children hop out. There will be staff there to make sure students go safely to the appropriate area. If you want to walk your child to the back of the school, then you will have to park on the road like normal.

At the end of the school day, when you come to pick up your child, you will have to park on the road and walk around to the back of the school where the children will be waiting for you. If you park right in front of the school in the no stopping zone, then you risk getting a ticket from police, so I recommend going farther down or up the street.

Happy Holidays!

I hope everyone has an enjoyable Winter Break. If you celebrate Christmas or Hannukah, then I hope you have a meaningful holiday with family and friends. We can all celebrate the return of a little more sunshine each day after the longest night, and if you are simply celebrating a break from the busy pace of daily life, then I wish you a lovely and peaceful time too. I look forward to seeing everyone back on **Monday, January 9th.**

