



# December Newsletter



Hello Kenilworth Families!

Winter has arrived! Oh wait, it is gone again..here again! With saying that it is always a good idea to send your child to school in layers as the weather is so unpredictable. It is also important for your child to have indoor shoes, to help keep our classrooms dry from the wet snow. Once the snow arrives again, we would also encourage all students to wear snow pants if they would like to play in the field. If you need support with getting clothing for your child, please reach out to me. This is also a time of year where some families need some extra help. If your family is in need, please consider reaching out to me.

This month we learned about Problem Solving. Thank you to Mrs. Kress for organizing our month end assembly. Congratulations goes to Blake and Adeline from Kindergarten, Georgia and Braxton from Gr 1/2, Sully and Lyla from Gr 2/3, Aria and Scarlett from Gr 4 and Josh and Allie from Gr 5/6.

For the month of December we will be learning about Authenticity. *"Authenticity is speaking and behaving as our true selves. When we are authentic, we reveal our true beliefs and core selves to others with confidence and conviction, without fear of recourse or shame."*

Thank you to our Kenilworth Families for taking time to speak to your child's teacher about Progress Reports and Observations of Initial Learning.



A big thank you goes to our PATS group for a successful MacMillan's winter fundraiser raising just over \$1400.00 to put towards planting trees. Orders can be picked up on **Tues. Dec 5th from 2-4pm**. Next fundraiser will be the Silent Auction at the Winter Concert!

## Upcoming Dates:

- Dec 1-20 Food Drive (See flyer at end of newsletter)
- Dec 5th-MacMillan's Pick up 2-4pm
- Dec 12-Winter Concert (1:30 and 6:00)-Silent Auction
- Dec 18th-Festive socks day
- Dec 19th-Holiday Hat
- Dec 20th-Candy Cane Day-Wear Red and White
- Dec 21st-Winter Wonderland Day-Wear your favourite winter accessories
- Dec 22nd-Winter Woolies/Comfy Cozy Day



I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of the Kenilworth Families Happy Holidays.  
Mrs. Cozzarin

## Winter Weather:



This year, all bus cancellations and delays will be communicated by the STWDSTS. (Transportation) The school will **not be sending out** messaging to avoid duplication of information. Please make sure you have subscribed to transportations notification service at <https://stwdsts.ca/bus-subscription/> Inclement weather closures and bus cancellations are announced on local radio stations. To hear about cancellations/closures please listen to Magic 106.1, 1460 CJOY, or 570CityNews. To access the internet you can go to <https://stwdsts.ca/>, To read news on your cell phone, please access the **UGConnect app**.

**\*\*New this year!\*\*** Kenilworth will be open on no bus days.

## Kindergarten Registration:

Looking for students who were born in 2019 and 2020! Kindergarten Registration for September of 2024 will begin on Tuesday January 9th, 2024. For families interested in registering for French Immersion, more information will be sent out. All registrations will be completed online with verification of documents done in person. If you do not have access to the internet to register you will need to call the school 519 848-3320 to make an appointment to register online here at the school.



**Donate today!**



# Christmas Food Drive

Donations from all Arthur & Kenilworth area schools will be weighed and the school that donates the most kgs per person will be declared the winner!\*

**DECEMBER 1-20, 2023**

## HOW CAN YOU HELP?

**SEND NON-PERISHABLE DONATIONS TO SCHOOL WITH YOUR CHILD!**

*Spread the Joy!*

\*A monetary donation will be made to the Arthur Food Bank on behalf of the winning school



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