

RRM Email Blast December 27, 2018

1. Please visit our school website to read our January 2019 School Newsletter.
<https://www.ugdsb.ca/RossRMacKay/>
2. The Holiday Season at RRM was all about 'giving instead of getting'. Thanks to families who donated food items for the Food Bank and 'winter woolies' to decorate our tree. We had over 400 items in total donated this year and East Wellington Community Services was very impressed by our 'small but mighty' school generosity. Also, students earned holiday lights to colour instead of 'gotchas' during the month of December. Every light = \$1.00 donated by Ms. Armstrong to the Food Bank (a total of \$107.00 this year).
3. Ms. Armstrong is taking her lieu days the first week of January (celebrating her 50th Birthday on the Big Island of Hawaii). Mr. Jim Bonter will be filling in for her during this week as Principal Designate.
4. Mrs. Donovan is continuing in her role as temporary V.P. at Elora into January. Mrs. Sarah Chambers is filling in as Long-term Occasional until her possible return.
5. Please remember to help your child return Library Books on Library Days (Day 4 for Robnik & Smith and Day 5 for Chambers and Gaidies). Otherwise, we have disappointed children when they visit the Library during their designated weekly period and want to take home a new book or magazine.
6. Upcoming Spirit Days:
Friday, January 14...School Spirit Day (wear School Clothing or Colours – Blue/White)
Friday, January 18...Spirit Day (wear Polka Dots and/or Plaid)
7. We are always looking for donations for our Maker Space in our Library and to add to our Gotcha Prizes. Attached, please find our donation request list. Keeping a box in a special location to fill up is a wonderful idea and supports our school in an important way.

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