



Monday Nov. 18	Tuesday Nov. 19	Wednesday Nov. 20	Thursday Nov. 21	Friday Nov. 22
PAC Meeting 6:30 - MPR	<ul><li>Curling</li><li>Div. 9&amp;12</li><li>Bonanza</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Salad Bar</li> <li>Gr. 5 Volleyball</li> <li>@ Courtenay El</li> <li>2:30-4:00</li> </ul>	Parent/Teacher Meetings Non-Instructional Day	
		Book Fair 8-9am; 2:30-3:00	Book Fair 9am-2:30pm	Book Fair 8-9am; 2:30-3:00
Monday Nov. 25	Tuesday Nov. 26	Wednesday Nov. 27	Thursday Nov. 28	Friday Nov. 29
		<ul> <li>Salad Bar</li> <li>Gr. 5 Volleyball</li> <li>@ Arden</li> <li>- 2:30-4:00</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>PAC Hot Lunch</li> <li>Old Farm</li> <li>Market</li> </ul>	• Curling - Div. 10&11

## **Looking ahead:**

Nov. 20 – Gr. 5 Volleyball @ Courtenay El.

Nov. 20-22 - Scholastic Book Fair in Library

Nov. 21 - Parent/Teacher Meetings - No School

Nov. 23 - PAC Winter Craft Fair - Arden Gym

Nov. 27 - Gr. 5 Volleyball @ Arden

**Every Friday in December – Festive Friday – Dress up in anything Festive** 

Dec. 6 – Curling Div's 10&11

**Dec. 9 – PAC Meeting – 6:30** 

Dec. 12 & 13 – Santa's Workshop – see below

Dec. 17 – Winter Concert – 1:00pm and 6:00pm

Hello everyone,

There are lots of things to promote below, so I will save you my usual babble 😊

Ok..maybe one quick thing about how proud I was of the Grade 5 volleyball team being great hosts for our little three week tournament. Next week we are at Courtenay El. and will need some parent drivers, but the final week is back here at Arden.

Now on to the busyness that is December....

**Parent/Teacher Day** – Just a reminder that there is no school next Thursday as we have our Parent/Teacher Day, however, that is kind of an old fashioned term because these days, many teachers have it set up in various formats that involve the students leading the way and showing off their work. Please email your teacher if you have not yet received information about a time.

## **Winter Concert**

Our Winter concert will take place on Tuesday, December 17th, with a 1pm and 6pm concert times. More information to come on that.

Arden Christmas Market - Saturday, Nov. 23, 10am-3pm

Please contact <a href="mailto:ardenpacexec@gmail.com">ardenpacexec@gmail.com</a> if you are interested in becoming a vendor. ALL proceeds go directly to Arden Elementary School!

Book Fair Dates: Wednesday, Nov 20nd – Friday, Nov 22nd.

Wednesday, **8-9 a.m**. and **2:30 – 3 p.m**.

Thursday, **9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m**. (parent/teacher interview day) Friday, **8-9 a.m.** and **2:30 – 3 p.m.** 

Santa's Workshop - We are very excited to be preparing for Santa's Workshop!

**How it works:** We collect gently used and new items. On the day of Santa's Workshop, kids get to shop, for free, for gifts for family members.

It would be nice to have lots of items that could be gifts for mom's, dad's, guardians, and of course toys for siblings. There is a box in the foyer for donated items. What a great time to start decluttering your house:)

This is a great opportunity for kids to feel the gift of giving. It is always very special.

Santa's Workshop will be on **December 11th**. It had to be earlier due to other events in the gym.

Please start donating!

From Ms. Smith and all

Hope you all have a great weekend,

Andrew

Please feel free to email us with any questions or comments at: <a href="mailto:andrew.ferneyhough@sd71.bc.ca">andrew.ferneyhough@sd71.bc.ca</a> and teresal.cameron@sd71.bc.ca

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