



# Central Elementary School

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## December, 2016 Newsletter

Welcome to December!!! We had a fantastic November. I would like to thank Ms. Meade and the Choir for their work and performance at our Remembrance Day Ceremony. I would also like to thank our Swim Coaches, Mrs. Bower and Ms. Fothergill, along with the Volunteers and students. Without their work and dedication, we could not have a swim team! The Nutrition Break Intramurals began in November. I would like to thank Ms. Fothergill, along with Mr. Bouwman, Mrs. Bower, Ms. Gal Lima, Miss Scharf, Ms. Anderson, Mrs. Helm, and Mrs. Beamsley for running these intramurals. It is exciting to know that about 70% of our students are participating in the intramurals!!!

### Reminders:

- There is to be absolutely **NO throwing of snow**. Snow is to **stay on the ground**. This is a **SAFETY** concern, and will not be tolerated at Central School.
- Cancellation of school hotline (905-521-2535)
- Library Books are Due by December 16<sup>th</sup>. If your child(ren) has any school library books at home, please have him/her return them to the school by this date. Thank you.
- Synervoice Messages: We will be sending notices/information out now via our Synervoice Messages.
- Updates, Newsletters, and School Calendars will all be posted on our school website. (<http://www.hwdsb.on.ca/central/>)

### Cold Weather

As the cold weather approaches, please be sure your child(ren) is/are dressed appropriately for the weather. Students will be waiting outside before and after school, and they will be going out for recess each day – weather permitting.

On rainy, or extremely cold weather days, students will be brought into the gym, in the morning. Please say good-bye to your child(ren) at the door as we do not have enough room in the gym to accommodate parents and children.

Also, please do not congregate in the vestibule at the entry door. Crowding in this area is a safety concern. Thank you.

**SCHOOL CLOSURES:** “The decision to cancel School and Board Administrative Operations is often a difficult call to make. Please be assured that the decision to remain open or to close is always made with the safety and security of our students and staff in mind. In order to determine whether or not schools will be closed, please refer to the HWDSB Website at [www.hwdsb.on.ca](http://www.hwdsb.on.ca) or listen to the following stations:” (HWDSB)

- KLITE FM 102.9
- FM CJXY-Y108
- FM 107.9 FM
- CHAM 820 AM
- CHML 900 AM
- Oldies 1150 AM
- CHKX-KX94.7.FM
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- 92.1 FM
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### Annual Bazaar

Elke Goindi and Friends, **Annual Bazaar** – students will preview items on Thursday, Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> and may bring money (suggested no more than \$5.) to purchase items on Friday Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>, 2016. All proceeds go to the garden fund. Please note that Elke and friends, keep our front and surrounding gardens looking AMAZING through extensive volunteer work and lots of heart!

We thank this team for all they do throughout the year!