



December 2017

The 'DRAGON'

GEDSB

St. George-German School

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Message From The Principal

We are looking forward to the kindergarten to grade 3-4 Christmas Concert at the Sanderson Centre this year on Thursday December 14th. Students and staff are practicing to make the evening memorable for all.

It is important to try and purchase your tickets with the online cashless system by the end of December 7th or purchase tickets at the box office which is open until just before the show on December 14th. If anyone is having difficulties with online purchases School Cash Online help is available at parenthelp@schoolcashonline.com or at 1-866-961-1803. The OEN number to identify your child can be found on the top corner of their report card. Please be advised to not leave your ticket purchases until immediately before the show so that you get tickets and to your seats before curtain time at 6:45 that night.

We are asking that parents take students who are performing through the entrance off of Darling Street by 6:15 pm where they will be received by staff. Tickets are \$5 and needed for all audience members not performing at one year of age or older. Have a safe and happy holiday season!

Mr. T. Zebroski, Principal

Important Dates to Remember

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| Dec 5 | - | School Council Meets 6:30 pm |
| Dec 6 | - | Intermediate Girls and Boys Volleyball at PDHS |
| Dec 7 | - | Last Day for online Cashless ticket sales for, Kinder to Grade 3-4 Christmas Concert at Sanderson |
| Dec 8 | - | Wellness Talks for Grades 7 and 8 |
| Dec 12 | - | Junior Co-ed Volleyball at PDHS |
| Dec 14 | - | 'North Pole Experience' Concert at Sanderson 6:45 pm |
| Dec 19 | - | Grade 5-6 Christmas Concert 9:30 am, 11:30 am in gym |
| Dec 22 | - | Spirit Day Hoopla, Last Day of classes before Holidays |

*** Please note that we have a clothing drive to support our Kindergarten Program open until December 15th. If you have clothes to donate, please send them to school by then. Thankyou!

*** School restarts on Monday January 8, 2018. Have a safe and happy holiday!

Volleyball Roundup at S.G.G.

We have Intermediate Girls, Boys and Junior Co-ed teams in action at tournaments this month in December. Intermediate Girls and Boys Teams both play on Wednesday December 6th at PDHS. Girls will play in the morning and boys in the afternoon. The Junior Co-ed Team will play on December 12th in their tournament. Good luck teams!

News from the Student Leadership Team

Thank you - Thank you to Ethan R and Amelia W for being the emcees for our Remembrance Day assembly -- and also to Serena G and Ava H for representing our school at the cenotaph. Thank you to Mr. Anderson for submitting our video about our foodbank donations (we collected 852 lbs!) to the Bulldogs game so that it could be shown on the big screen -- and thank you to all the SLT members who participate in delivering pizza to the classes every week!

Colour Houses - We kicked off our first Colour House activity in November and it was a great success! Students dressed in their "colours" and competed in games to get to know names. Our next Colour House day is **December 22nd**, where we will dress in "**Holiday Hoopla**" attire (antlers, hats, sweaters... anything festive!) and play more games to earn points for our teams. Thank you to our executive SLT members for organizing these fun events for us!

Sock the Halls - Our SLT is working with the Brantford Food bank again to collect socks, mittens/gloves and winter hats for their "Christmas Baskets" campaign. We are collecting these items in the library on and around the tree until **December 18th**. Thank you to all who help support this worthy cause.

Our SLT is also currently organizing carol sings in the gym and a winter Olympics day for intermediates during the last week before the holidays. More news on this will come home soon!

School Council Newsletter for December

Our Chocolate fundraiser is just coming to a close and we would like to say thank you to all of the families who participated in this successful fundraising event....whether it was selling chocolates, buying them and / or eating them we appreciate it!!

Milk will be starting up again in January so please keep a watch out for these dates to come out.

Thank you for all your continued support in our fundraising efforts!

Our next School Council meeting will be **Tuesday December 5th at 6:30pm**, in the school staff room. Please come and join us! All are welcome!!!