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Hello Elm Street Families -

It is so hard to believe that it is the middle of November!! Where has the fall gone?

Here are some updates for you:

Parent Teacher Interviews - Parent teacher interview sign ups are still happening! Go to the Elm Street webpage and follow the instructions! The sign up will close Tuesday morning!

Picture Retake Orders - The proofs for retake orders were sent home this week. If you are ordering with cash through the school, the orders are due back on Monday, November 17.

Fundraiser Pick Up - During parent teacher interviews on Thursday, November 20 next week, ALL families who collected popcorn orders are asked to pick them up in the main entrance of the school by the gym! The Home and School will be ready to hand out orders starting at 3:00pm and will be available until 7:00pm. All orders must be picked up!

Pancake Breakfast - The Home and School will be providing a delicious pancake breakfast and a free milk to all students on Tuesday, November 25 in honor of National Children's Day! We are looking forward to this treat!

Winter Weather - ❄️ Here's what you need to know when storms impact the PSB ❄️

◆ Every effort is made to announce all Public Schools Branch weather-related cancellations by 6:30 am on local radio stations and on the PSB website.

◆ You'll hear announcements like, "all classes in the Public Schools Branch are cancelled" or "there is a Public Schools Branch system-wide shutdown" or "all classes are on a one-hour delay" or if schools have to close early you may hear "all classes in the Public Schools Branch will be dismissing two hours early today."

◆ Sometimes, it may only be necessary to close an individual school or a family of schools. Partial system closures or delays will be announced by family of schools.

Important Links 📎 More Information on PSB's Storm Closures - <https://psb.edu.pe.ca/parent-and-student-resources/storm-closures> 📎 Find your Family of Schools - <https://psb.edu.pe.ca/our-schools> 📎 PEI Road Conditions - <http://511.gov.pe.ca/en/> 📎 Environment Canada's PEI Weather Forecasts - https://weather.gc.ca/forecast/canada/index_e.html?id=pe

Kindergarten Registration - **Kindergarten Registration for the 2026-2027 school year has started! Check out this link for helpful information! [Register Your Child For School | Government of Prince Edward Island](#)** If you have a child that will be starting Kindergarten next year, please ensure you visit the school to register your child! You need to bring proof of address (eg. a phone bill) and proof of your child's age (eg. health card). Please drop by the school that you are zoned for to register your child!

Christmas Family Support - Each year, many schools including Elm Street offer Christmas support to lots of families who may otherwise go without. This could include things like Christmas gifts and groceries. Elm Street offers support to families throughout the school year but Christmas is often a time of financial stress and we take pride in being able to help some families in need. We often have many generous donors in addition to money we raise at the school ourselves, but this year we'd like to extend the request to our parent community. If anyone is looking to offer support this year, we'd be more than happy to chat about that with you. Please contact Mrs Doyle if this is something you'd like to consider! jmcarragher@edu.pe.ca

Boys Basketball - No practice next week. The first game is Monday, November 17 at Miscouche at 4:20pm against Ecole Sur Mer. Boys are to go home after school and to arrange their own drives to Miscouche. Please be at Miscouche by 4:10pm.

Girls Basketball - No practice next week. The first game is Wednesday, November 19 at Greenfield at 4:20pm against Athena. Girls are to go home after school and to arrange their own drives to Greenfield. Please be at Greenfield by 4:10pm.

Badminton - Ms M is running an after-school badminton club for grad 5-6 students interested in learning the sport of badminton! It will typically be Thursdays after school until 3:30, but students should listen to announcements for any changes. The schedule for the next couple of weeks is:

November 20 - Badminton 2:30-3:30

November 27 - Badminton 2:30-3:30

December 4 - Badminton 2:30-3:30

December 11 - NO badminton

December 18 - NO badminton

Finding Nemo Jr. Musical – Rehearsal Schedule for the next few weeks is as follows:

- November 18, 2:45-4:00 – FULL CAST – Run through of scene 1, Blocking for Scene 2
- November 25, 2:45-4:00 – Marlin, Dory, Bruce, Chum and Anchor, shark ensemble, fish friends – Run through scene 2 (Dory’s Ditty and shark encounter), blocking for Scene 3

*Please remind students to listen carefully to the announcements every day to know if they are scheduled for a rehearsal during big recess.

Christmas Concert - As shared last week, our Christmas concert will be on Thursday, December 11 (storm date will be Friday, December 12). We will have the K-3 concert at 9:15am and the gr 4-6 concert at 11:15am. Could each parent send in a battery-operated candle labeled with your child’s name for them to use at the end of the concert!

School Clothing - It’s school clothing order time again! We are once again selling Elm Street hoodies, long sleeved shirts, tshirts, sweatpants and winter hats for this order. All prices are on the order form - the order form is attached to this email. Grade 6 students can add the “26” with class signatures to the back of their item for an additional cost. There will be some items on display during Parent/Teacher interviews outside the office. All order forms and money (cash or cheque made out to Elm Street Elementary) are due to the school on NOVEMBER 24, 2025. Please send completed order forms and money to your child’s teacher. We are doing our best to have orders back in time for Christmas, but there are no guarantees. If you have any questions, please check in with Ms. Jolena (jxmalone@edu.pe.ca) or Ms. Coulson (vkoulson@edu.pe.ca). [REVISED School Apparel Order Form 25 26.docx](#)

Milk - Ordering for milk for November 17th-28th is now closed - please remember to watch your email for system reminders on ordering dates before the deadline closes.

Steam PEI - STEAM PEI is organizing a French educational camp on November 21st in Summerside. Children will be able to explore the exciting theme of wild animals through hands-on and inspiring activities. [Register here.](#)

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

November 19 - Report Cards go home

November 20 - Parent Teacher Interviews in evening

November 21 - No Classes, Parent Teacher Interviews in morning

December 11 - Christmas Concerts (9:15am Gr K-3, 11:15am Gr 4-6)

December 19 - Last Day of classes for Students before Christmas Holidays

December 22 - PD Day for Staff - No classes for students

January 5 - First Day back of 2026

Looking forward to the week ahead.

Ms. J and Mrs. Doyle