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## Weekly Newsletter December 13th

Thank you to all our families who were able to join us for our Winter Concert. The gym was full of singing snowflakes, snowy days, the Beatles, Nutcrackers, barrel drumming, xylophones, dancing and lots of singing. Thank you to all the staff who put loads of effort to get our students prepared for the show and getting them on and off the stage. We know it was worthwhile by all the smiles on the student's faces and the cheers coming from the audience. Thank you for joining us. We wish all our families a very happy holiday season. Happy Hannukah and Merry Christmas for those celebrating.



### Congratulations to the Senior Boys' Volleyball –

Immediately after finishing the concert some of our senior boys' volleyball team went straight to Gladstone Secondary for the City Volleyball Championship. A total of four schools qualified teams last week at various zone finals. Cavell won the final in a best of three games series 2-0 to secure the City Championship. Thank you to Sheldon for helping coach the Sr Boys teams this season. A big thank you to all the other parents who also helped coach volleyball this season as well.



**VSBC Reporting Session for Parents-** This week the VSBC sent out an invite for a Report Cards Are Coming Information Session: **Report cards are coming!** Got questions? Wondering what the proficiency scale means

With deep gratitude and respect, we are honoured to be learning and unlearning on the ancestral and unceded lands of the xʷməθkʷəy̍əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish Nation) & səliwətaʔ (Tsleil-Waututh Nation).

for your child? Looking for other ways to help your child learn? Join VSB's session for parents/caregivers: Understanding Elementary Report Cards!

When: December 16, 2024, 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Where: [Online Information Session](#)

Got questions already? Submit them [here!](#)

**Theme Week at Cavell** – please see the attachment for Cavell's theme week from December 16-20<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to our grade 5,6 and 7 students who put this week together for us. Encourage your child to join for one of the days, a couple or all five!

### Cutlery

Please remember to send your child with the appropriate utensils for their lunch. We do not supply forks, spoons, chop sticks etc.



### Important Dates Coming Up:

**December 16<sup>th</sup>** – Learning Update #1 sent home with students

**December 20<sup>th</sup>** – last day of classes for 2024

**January 6<sup>th</sup>** – Return from Winter Break

**Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup>** – Professional Day – school not in session for students

**February 14<sup>th</sup>** – Professional Day – school not in session for students

**February 17<sup>th</sup>** – Family Day – school closed