

Sir Wilfrid Laurier

重要信息 - 请翻译

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Dear Laurier Community,

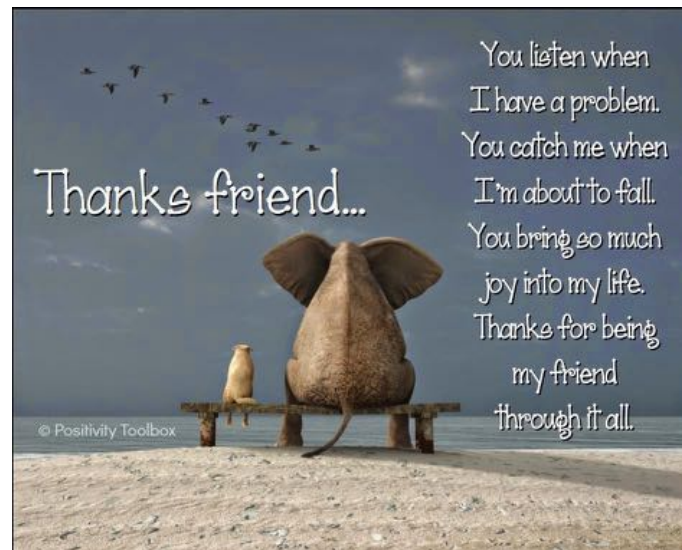
What a fun and full month November was. From the excellent turn out at our first *Movie Night*, to *Gym Sense* gymnastics, our sexual health student and parent presentation by *Dr. Brandy Wiebe*, to adventures in healthy eating with *EarthBites*, it has been a jammed packed month full of fun and learning.

Thank you so much to PAC for helping us organize many of these events. It was such a heart warming way to end the month of November by having our first Community Craft Fair. What a great way to show off all of the talents of our students, families and staff. Thanks to all of those who took the time out to attend.

As we enter the Holiday Season I have challenged our students to consider the concept of Respect. Learning to respect others also means learning to be grateful for what others bring to our lives. Each student has been challenged to make December a month of gratitude. Please help us teach these concepts at home by asking your child to consider who has made a real difference in their lives, and to come up with one small gesture to say thank you.

And to officially kick off our month of gratitude... I would like to personally thank all of the Laurier Staff. It is their hard work that makes Laurier such a fun place to learn and grow. I am so lucky to work with such a dedicated and passionate team. A passion that I see reflected in the smiles of our students as they challenge themselves as learners, grow as community members, and learn to SOAR to success!

Risha Golby



Important Dates:

Day	Date	Time	Description (who, location, event)
Friday	Dec 01	all day	Pro-D (no classes)
Monday	Dec 04	9:10-10:00	SOAR Assembly
		3:00-4:00	Book Fair, in library
Tuesday	Dec 05	morning	Immunization Clinic for Kindergarten
		6:30	Pac Meeting
Wed-Thurs.	Dec 06-07	2:00	Student Led Conferences, early student dismissal
Friday	Dec 08	9:15	Primary Concert, in gym
		4:00	Book Fair Ends
Monday	Dec 11	8:00-3:00	Div 13&14 to Grouse Mountain
Tuesday	Dec 12	9:30	Hold & Secure Drill (in school)
Friday	Dec 15	9:15	Intermediate Concert, in gym
Wednesday	Dec 20	9:00	Dancers of Damelahamid performance, gym



Reporting Student Absences:

Student safety is of paramount importance at the Vancouver School District. Ensuring student safety is a shared responsibility. In order to assist schools, we ask parents to notify schools of student absences. If your child will be absent from school, please phone or email the school to report this absence as early as possible.

Messages will be received before the office is open. School offices are busy places: consistently notifying the school in advance of your child's absence will significantly improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the Safe Arrival Morning Routine.

If your child is going to be away from school please call the following number:

604-713-5159

ext. 44





EarthBites:

Winter Market - December 13th @ 3:00 P.M. in the under cover area. Please join us for our last pocket market of the year! Students will be selling seasonal snacks.

EARTHBITES' STUDENTS ARE EXPLORING BUILDING

During September & October students learned about Preserving the Harvest. Outside students harvested late summer and fall fruits and vegetables, and prepared the garden for winter by cleaning up summer plants and and planting winter veggies. Inside they learned about preserving foods to use during the winter and made a pumpkin pudding using nutritious chia seeds.

EarthBites' current module focuses on Building (Immunity & Habitat). Your RHN (Registered Holistic Nutritionist) will be making a drink using fresh ingredients such as ginger, rosemary, and lemon which can help to support your immune system during the flu season.

Outside your urban farmer will explore various habitats in the garden and on school grounds that provide shelter for insects, animals, and plants. Activities we may explore are building insect hotels, hoops houses, and mulch piles.

EarthBites is a non-profit organization. We collaborate with schools to fully utilize their gardens as outdoor classrooms. We are a team of urban farmers & nutritionists educating students & teachers how to grow & preserve their own food, create seasonal snacks & run their own markets. Follow our stories on [facebook.com/earthbites](https://www.facebook.com/earthbites).

Regards,

Pablo



Parent Advisory Council:

A big thank you to PAC for all of their hard work this term. The PACs fund raising efforts support many of the programs we enjoy here at Laurier. From EarthBites to informative parent presentations, to Smart Boards, iPads and more, we really wouldn't have many of these amazing opportunities if it wasn't for their efforts!

If you are interested in helping with any upcoming events, please contact us. If you are looking for a way to volunteer, or just want to know more about our school – and see Ms Golby's fantastic slide show - please come to our next PAC meeting which is December 5th at 6:30 PM in the library.

Email: laurier.pac@gmail.com

Website: <https://laurierpac.weebly.com>



Laurier Scholastic Book Fair

Come help support our library by visiting the Laurier Book Fair all this week.

The library will be open from 8:30 - 9:00 AM every morning and from 3:00 - 4:00 PM in the evenings. The book fair will also be open late during student conferences on Wednesday and Thursday. Thank you to Ms. Altman and all the parent volunteers for their hard work!

