

ÉCOLE CAMILLE J. LEROUGE SCHOOL WEEKLY PARENT NEWS

**"God, let them see You in me!
Dieu, laisse-les Te voir en moi!"**

This week at Camille:

Monday, November 19, Day 3
Wed/Friday Kindergarten Day
Early Dismissal at 2:09 pm

Thursday, November 22
Photo retakes again

Friday, November 23
No School for students

Coming up at Camille:

December 4 - Band Concert
December 6 - First day of middle school Ski and Snowboard Club
December 7 - Teacher Faith PD - No school for students
December 13 - Middle School Awards (pm)
December 14 - Advent Week Celebration

New Indoor Recess Guidelines

As per the letter sent home, this school year during temperatures of -22 to -25, students will have the opportunity to go outside, however the outdoor recess would be shortened from 30 minutes to approximately 15 minutes, followed by 15 minutes indoor recess. When students play outside they come inside better prepared to focus on learning. Students in all grade levels should have warm clothing such as warm boots, mitts and a hat in their lockers.

Giving Tree

Please share in the joy of giving this Christmas season! Consider supporting families in our community knowing they appreciate your kindness more than you can imagine!

The gift tags are available at the office. We are also collecting gift cards for grocery stores to help the families to have an extra special Christmas season. Any denomination is welcome. Please bring these to the office at any time.

Deadline for gifts and gift cards is Monday, December 3rd.

Gifts for Grandparents

We are once again excited to be helping Family Services of Central Alberta with an amazing project, Gifts for Grandparents! Details have been sent home with your child via email. There is no need to sort or wrap your gifts. They will be packaged up for delivery to the “Grandparents” by the elves at FSCA. The deadline to bring in items to the school is Monday, December 3rd .

Ornament Raffle

We are once again excited to hold the Ornament Raffle! A letter is being sent home via email this week! Proceeds of this fundraiser will be used towards the Christmas Hamper Program which supplies food hampers, gifts for children in the family, or gift certificates to families in our school who are in need during the Christmas Season. Draws will be made daily throughout the month. Students may purchase tickets for \$.25 or 6 for \$1.00 from November 26 to December 21st. Students can win more than once and students can continually purchase tickets. All tickets will be placed in the draw bin at the office. Draws will be made every morning.

Red Deer Christmas Bureau

Please help support the Red Deer Christmas Bureau. We have a toy box at the front office. Unwrapped toys can be left in the box up to and including Monday, December 17th.

Scholastic Book Fair

Congratulations to Joaquin and to M. Corbiere's class, 5CO, for winning the \$25 door prizes!

Many thanks to all the parents, teacher, and students for supporting our Festival du Livres. We were able to purchase many new French books for our library.

Volleyball Info

Our Sr Girls finished the season in 6th place and had a very good run in the playoffs finishing in 5th. On Wednesday, Nov. 14 the girls won vs. St. Pat's in 4 sets and qualified to go to CWAJHAAs and represent Red Deer! The final tournament in Rocky is on Saturday, Nov. 17.

Our Sr Boys won the CENAA playoffs and came back with the big trophy and a gold medal! On Wednesday, Nov 14 the boys won vs. St. Pat's in 5 sets and qualified to go to CWAJHAAs and represent Red Deer! Their final tournament is in Stettler on Friday, Nov. 16.

Our Jr volleyball program playoffs are next week! The Jr Girls play on Tuesday, Nov. 20 and the Jr Boys play Thursday, Nov. 22 all at St. Joe's starting at 2:30 pm.

Basketball Info

Basketball try-outs begin next week!

Sr Girls are November 21-22 and Sr Boys are November 27-28.

Parents needed!!! Would you like to be involved with basketball? Please contact M. Cormier as we need some assistant coaches and helpers for practices.