



JANUARY 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 Day 6 K Hot lunch Pepperoni Pizza	10 Day 1	11 Day 2 K	12 Day 3	13 Day 4 K Gr.8 shops	14
15	16 Day 5 Hot lunch Clubhouse wrap	17 Day 6 K	18 Day 1 Early Dismissal @ 2:20pm	19 Day 2 K Winter Concert 2pm & 7pm	20 Day 3	21
22	23 Day 4 K Gr.8 shops Hot lunch Chicken fingers	24 Day 5	25 Day 6 K	26 Day 1	27 Day 2 K Movie Night 6:30pm	28
29	30 Day 3 Hot lunch Hot dogs	31 Day 4 K Gr.8 shops				

Please note the full newsletter can be found on the school website at we.interlakesd.ca

Happy Holidays and Happy New Year!

Our students have been preparing for our Winter Concert this month and are looking forward to presenting their songs to the community on

WES @WESEvents - Dec 6
Our students are collecting food for the Christmas cheer board. Every day is an opportunity to bring in a little something to help our community. Today's food is soup! #WEScares



January 19th. Special thanks to all of the families who donated food for our food drive, the generosity of our community is truly heartwarming. Also, thanks to WEPAC for preparing our annual Pancake breakfast and parents who came out to support our student athletes at our volleyball windup!



Our School goal this year is Numeracy Development, specifically in the area of

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Guided math in grade one, learning how to count to 100, patterns and counting by 2's. Students engaged in games and activities or working in small groups with Mrs. Margetts. A great strategy to increase Number sense.



“Rational Operations”. Our Staff and Students have been working hard this year using new methods that have been introduced by our divisional numeracy Consultant, Mrs. Michalyshen. Classroom teachers have been learning about guided math practices where students work in small groups with their teacher, as well as number talks where students demonstrate and learn new strategies to solve math problems

as a class. We are seeing progress in our students understanding of math concepts and look forward to each of our students finding success in numeracy.

Our Early Years teachers in k-2 have been applying the concepts of the “Science of Reading” in their classroom. This new approach adopted by our division and our teachers has a focus on phonics and decodable texts and we are seeing the benefits of this new instructional strategy. We encourage all of our students to take time to read during the holidays!

2022 has been a great year and I expect that we will have even more to celebrate as we enter 2023. Thanks to all of our Staff, Students, Parents and community volunteers who have made our school a great place to learn and grow for our students. If any of our readers know families that have not yet registered their children for Kindergarten next year please direct them to our school website to get the process started!

Lastly, we are looking for an evening custodian, if you or someone you know is interested please share this link or QR code with them

<https://tinyurl.com/39jzhmrv>

Follow us on Twitter for daily updates from our school at @wesevents

Happy Holidays!

Mr. Gamble

