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IMPORTANT: WINTER WEATHER AND SCHOOL CLOSURES:

Please remember we do NOT do a school phone chain for closures. The SWLSB has emailed all parents regarding an app which will notify parents by text in the event of closures. In addition, the SWLSB website and Facebook page post information about closures. We will try to post on our school website and Facebook page as soon as possible after a closure is announced.

Important Dates:

January 8: Ped. Day

January 16: Backwards Day

January 18: First W.A.P. Snowshoeing 3-6

January 30: Reward PM

January 10: Dress Down Day

January 17: First W.A.P. Skating K-2

January 23: Governing Board @ 7:00

Au Revoir From Ms. Roberts:

I would once again like to take this opportunity to say thank you to Ste-Adele families for an amazing 7 years with you. It's been my pleasure to watch your children learn and grow in our small school community. I'm spending 3 days this week introducing Mr. Clark to our school culture and activities and I'm sure your children will flourish under his guidance!

Welcome Peter Clark:

As the new principal, I am very much looking forward to working together with the students, staff, and community here at Ste-Adele Elementary. I was given a fantastic introductory tour of the school and classrooms this morning by Grade 6 students Madison and Charle! Previously, I was working as a Math education consultant for the school board and before that, as a teacher at Laurentian Regional High School. I am appreciative of the effort Ms. Roberts has put into making this a smooth transition and am excited to get to know the students and support their learning.

Winter Activity Program:

Please keep an eye out for very important information regarding our Winter Activity Program. This year **Grades K-2 will be skating on Wednesdays** and **Grades 3-6 will be snowshoeing on Thursdays**. It is very important for you to make note of dates and activity details and locations.

December Fundraisers:

Wine: \$2275. This money is deposited into the PPO account and goes towards bussing and field trip costs for students.

Team Frank: \$115 On behalf of Green Team, this year we are helping Team Frank build a school in Africa.

Grade 6: a little over \$400. This year the bake sale/napkin ring funds are going towards the costs of the Grade 6 year-end trip.

Daycare Notice:

Please note we have recently been advised that the Ministry has increased the rate from \$8.15 to 8.20. Please also remember that in the event of inclement weather (i.e. school closure), daycare services are only available to those students who have previously registered with Ms. Manon.

Christmas Lunch Thank You:

Thank you to all of our parents who donated to the Christmas Lunch in December. It was a tremendous success and our students had a WONDERFUL meal to end the year!

Green Team:

We are collecting empty plastic laundry bottles and fabric softener bottles in order to make snow scoopers with them.