## **IMPORTANT DATES**

## JANUARY 2

First day back

## **JANUARY 8**

Grade 6 STOMP interactive presentation Girls Basketball @ Caledonia Junior High

JANUARY 9 Boys Basketball @ Ellenvale Junior High

JANUARY 15

Martin Luther King Jr Day Grade 6 STOMP interactive presentation

## JANUARY 31

Grade 6 trip to Woodlawn High – Reggae Presentation

# **BAND/MUSIC ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Grade 6 Band Concert – Date to be determined.

Healthy Hunger – Lunch Orders WE NOW HAVE HEALTHY HUNGER AVAILABLE 5 DAYS A WEEK. CLICK THE LINK TO PLACE YOUR ORDERS <u>HTTPS://HEALTHYHUNGER.CA/INDEX.PHP</u>

## **Winter Weather**

To help navigate winter, there are three important links listed below: INCLEMENT WEATHER AND EARLY CANCELLATION TEXT NOTIFICATION WIND CHILL PROTOCOL – When is it too cold?

**Reporting Student Absence** Phone: 1-833-582-6940 Online: <u>https://sishrsb.ednet.ns.ca/public/</u>

## ELLENVALE NEWS



#### JANUARY NEWSLETTER

January is here and has brought with it, a beautiful new gym floor and lockers in the modular building!! Although, we still have a number of upgrades scheduled to be completed, our school improvements are really taking shape.

We would like to thank Mr. Pettipas, Ms. Burnett, and Ms. Farrell for the time they have spent working together in coordinating a cast and crew for this year's musical, **Annie**. Rehearsals will begin January 5<sup>th</sup>, and continue each Tuesday and Thursday morning until show time in May. If you are interested in helping with this great undertaking, please contact Mr. Pettipas at <u>npettipas@hrce.ca</u>

As we enter the colder winter months, we encourage students to dress according to the weather. As we know how quickly it can change, it is important that students come to school as prepared as possible. To help us navigate winter, there are three important links listed under the "Winter Weather" section of this newsletter.

**Reminder:** Please remember that we are a scent-free environment. We ask you to refrain from wearing body spray, cologne, perfume of any kind at Ellenvale.

As always, we would like to thank you for your continued support in providing a positive learning environment for our students.

## SPORTS NEWS

**Female and Male Basketball** – This season is now underway with our first game scheduled for January 8<sup>th</sup> at Caledonia, and January 9<sup>th</sup> at Ellenvale!

If you would like to cheer on our Eagles', the schedule can be found on our school website calendar link.

### GO EAGLES!!!

# School Events

Mr. Pettipas, Ms. Burnett, and Ms. Farrell are currently working with students in preparation for this year's musical – **Annie.** Rehearsals will take place Tuesdays and Thursdays

# Lunch Clubs

MONDAY – Dungeons & Dragons TUESDAY – Glam Band Girls' Volleyball WEDNESDAY – Gr 6 Intramurals GSA THURSDAY – Art Club Leadership Group FRIDAY – Chess Club Boys' Volleyball

# **School Yearbooks**

What better way to remember your Junior High Years than with the purchase of a Yearbook?! Yearbooks are \$27.25 and can be purchased using our SchoolCash link found on the school's website.

For information on individual class activities, look for class websites, newsletters, emails.