

January Newsletter

2022-2023

Principal's Message

Happy New Year! Welcome back to school everyone. I hope you had a restful and relaxing holiday with friends and family.

January tends to be one of the coldest months, so please remind students to bundle up! Thanks to the generosity of past and present students, staff and community members, we have lots of extra mitts, hats and coats. There are also shoes and boots in a variety of sizes that can be lent out for the day, or longer if necessary.

This month at school we will be focusing on anti-bullying, cyber-safety, mental health and being kind, global citizens.

Mrs. Merrifield



A big thank you to Tim Horton's and our community! The smile cookie campaign raised \$2300 for our Nutrition Program!

Thank you Highpoint!

Heartfelt thanks to students parents and staff for the amazing generosity over the past month. We collected over 2000 items for the local food bank. Staff participated in the Christmas Cheer campaign giving back to local children in need. The Scholastic Book Fair netted us just under \$3000 that will enable us to purchase quality books for classrooms and the library.

Upcoming Dates

Jan. 9– Return from Winter Break

Jan. 11– Anti-bullying Assembly

Jan. 11– SCC Meeting at Proton School 6:30 pm

Jan. 23– Special Mental Health and Physical Education Event with Tyler Boyle and Moving EDGEducation for all students - brought to you by our amazing SCC!

Feb. 3– PD day– no school for students



On-line Clothing Orders

If you are interested in purchasing Highpoint clothing, you can go online at anytime and make an order. Represent the Wolfpack by wearing a hoodie or a t-shirt!

HIGHPOINT APPAREL ORDERING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Go to Dunwood.ca
2. Click on online stores
3. Click on Highpoint Community School
4. Enter password – HIGHPOINT-WOLVES

Safe arrival: Please be kind and let us know when your child will be absent. Hours are spent daily making follow-up calls to make sure students are safe.

Sports

Basketball try-outs are underway!

Both tournaments will be held on Wed. March 29th (Cancellation date March 30).

Girls travel to Macphail, while Highpoint is hosting the boy's tournament.



Dismissal

Dismissal is one of the busiest times of the day.

If a student is not going to ride their assigned bus, let us know with a note or a phone call by 2:30.



Thanks for your efforts to make drop off and pick-up a safer experience for everyone.