



ST. EDMUND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Here's what's going on this week.

Events this Week & Next Week:

Date	Event	Details
Nov. 6	Delayed Start to School Day	Supervised schoolyard at 10:50. Entry at 11:00. Business as usual as of 11:00am. The regular schedule is to be followed.
Nov. 7	PPO/Home and School Meeting.	7:00pm. All are welcome!
Nov. 10	Remembrance Day Assembly	Gr. k-6

Additional Info:

Seasonal Weather: Please dress for the changing weather conditions. All students should have a pair of indoor and outdoor shoes. **CROCS are not permitted.**

School Bus Strike: Transco (Bus 44 & 66) will be on strike until further notice. Bus 79 is not impacted and will run as usual. All other students are expected to follow their regular arrival and departure routines. For students impacted, please be sure to register weekly for the extra supervision offered before and after school should you wish to take advantage of this service. Please see the email sent by the LBPSB for more details.

Parking Lot Vigilance: Parents who use the church parking lot for drop off are asked to remain parked until 8:00am to avoid driving through the crowd of students and parents that gather at the gate. If you must leave before 8:00am, please use the express drop off lane. **PLEASE DO**

NOT DRIVE UP PORTLAND RD AND TRY TO ENTER THE STAFF PARKING LOT FROM THAT DIRECTION. IT IS EXIT ONLY.

Message from PPO & Home and School:

The **Parent Participation Organization/Home & School (PPO/H&S) Association** is an organization of parent volunteers working in cooperation with the principal and school staff to raise funds and organize activities to help foster a sense of community and promote school spirit!

The money we raise helps to fund music and gym equipment, classrooms, and resource program needs, as well as activities at school such as Movie Night, Duathlon, EdStock, and more!

- Thank you to everyone who joined in as a **PPO/H&S member!**

- Give the gift of cheese with our new Holiday fundraiser! Place your order by **November 24th**. [Holiday cheese boxes \(tally.so\)](https://tally.so) **Delivery will be at the school on December 11th**, more details to follow!

- Our **next meeting** will be held in the library, **Tuesday November 7th at 7PM**. We hope to see you there! *We'll be having a cheese tasting from our Holiday fundraiser and serving some wine!*

- Our St-Edmund Spirit Wear is always available at <https://stedmundstore2023.itemorder.com/shop/home/>

Upcoming Events:

Date:	Event	Details
Nov. 7	PPO Meeting	7:00pm. St. Edmund Library. All are welcome.
Nov. 16	Report Cards Issued	
Nov. 17	PED Day	School is closed. Daycare is open.
Nov. 17	Grade 6 Entrance Exams	For those who registered
Nov. 23	Parent Teacher Interview Evening	More info to follow shortly
Nov. 24	Parent Teacher Interviews	More info to follow shortly
Nov. 30	Governing Board.	7:00pm. St. Edmund Library

Have an amazing week!

Melissa