



ST. EDMUND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

It was great to see everyone in the building today. The kids were very happy and motivated. Let's keep up that positive attitude as we head into December by week's end.

Here's what's going on this week.

Events this Week & Next Week:

Date	Event	Details
Nov. 27	Cycle 1 Trip to Salle Paul Julien	Grades 1 & 2 only
Nov 28	Grade 5 Singing for Seniors	Group 502 only
Nov. 30	Governing Board Meeting	7:00pm in the St. Edmund Library.

Additional Info:

Holiday Basket Campaign: The Campaign has officially started! We have received our family profiles. Family profiles will be distributed to each homeroom class shortly. As in past years, we will be asking students for gift cards and/or cash from grocery stores and pharmacies like Walmart, Maxi, Super C, Metro, IGA, Pramaprix, Uniprix etc. Every year, the need seems to grow. Over the years, the St. Edmund community has brought great joy and relief to many families who are struggling during the holiday season. Thank you in advance, for supporting this very important St. Edmund tradition.

The gift baskets will be delivered on December 15th. The deadline to bring in contributions is **Thursday, December 14th.**

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 limited 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.

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!

➤ Our **next meeting** will be held in the library Tuesday **December 5th at 7PM**. We hope to see you there!

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

Upcoming Events:

Date:	Event	Details
Dec. 5	PPO Meeting.	7:00pm. St. Edmund Library
Dec. 11	PPO Cheese order delivery and pick up.	More info to follow shortly
Dec. 12	Cycle 2 Holiday Show Evening	*please see the attachment from Ms. Jen with times and details
Dec. 13	Kindergarten Performance Afternoon	*please see the attachment from Ms. Jen with times and details
Dec. 14	Cycle 3 Holiday Show Evening	*please see the attachment from Ms. Jen with times and details
Dec. 22	Last Day of School Before the Holidays	

January 8	School Resumes	
January 17	Open House	For new kindergarten students only
January 26	LBPSB PED Day.	School is closed. Daycare is open.

Have an amazing week!

Melissa