



2024

December Newsletter

"Learning without Limits"

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Coming up @ TeN

DECEMBER

5th - District Volleyball tournament
boys @ SESS / girls @ OSE
5th - Growing Smiles pick-up
@ TEN 2:15 - 3:15
6th - Eagle Spirit Day! Plaid Day!
13th - Eagle Spirit Day! Ugly Sweater Day!
18th/19th - Santa's Workshop
19th - Christmas Concert @ 12pm
20th - Eagle Spirit Day! PJs & Xmas Hats!
20th - Last Day before Christmas Break!

JANUARY

6th - Back to School!

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

-For bus students: If your student will not be taking the bus after school, please notify the office.

-Drop Offs/Pick Ups: Please use the parking available in front of the school. The parking lot is for staff use only.

A Miller Minute

It's December! Where did the time go? We have had an exciting month!

We started with a beautiful Remembrance Day Assembly organized by Ms. Grainger's Grade 5/6 class. We're so grateful to our local Colour Party for being such a big part of the presentation.

The TeN Green Club has been busy! Thanks to Ms. Simpson for getting our students organized with recycling, and composting

Thank you to our amazing PAC! They have been busy with Purdy's and Poinsettia sales! Thank you to everyone that supported these fundraisers!

Our Volleyball teams played Oliver and Osoyoos Elementary this month. Both teams were very strong and played some fantastic volleyball! Both teams are off to our SD#53 Tourney on Thursday, Dec. 5th. Go Eagles! We are looking forward to a fun month ahead! We have lots on the go! Basketball will start, we're collecting for the Food bank, Santa's workshop is going to be great and our Christmas Concert is going to be beautiful!

An early Merry Christmas and Happy New Year wish to all our TeN families! Thank you for all you do to make this such a great place to learn! I'm so grateful to be here!

Sincerely,
Shannon Miller

BELL SCHEDULE

8:25 Warning Bell
8:30 Classes Start
10:40 to 10:55 Recess
12:15 to 1:05 Lunch
2:27 Dismissal
2:30 Busses Leave



Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8:30 to 3:30pm
Messages received after 2:15pm may not be delivered.

Absent or Late? Phone 250-498-3415 or email our office lsanders@sd53.bc.ca

We are carefully tracking absences.



STUDENT ABSENCES: WHEN YOUR CHILD IS ABSENT FROM SCHOOL, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE BY PHONE OR EMAIL.

Ph. 250-498-3415 or tenoffice@sd53.bc.ca



Communicating Student Learning



Teachers have been working hard to provide ongoing assessment in SpacesEDU. Please take time to review your child's progress by regularly signing in to their e-portfolio. It's a great opportunity for your child to share their successes and tell you about what they are learning.

Ongoing assessment and reporting provide families with timely feedback on their child's progress. Our goal is that all families are well informed about their child's learning and understand ways to support their growth.

Outstanding School Fees

If you still need to pay your child's school fees please either e-transfer the school at tenoffice@sd53.bc.ca / password: **tenoffice** or bring cash/cheque to the Office as soon as possible. These fees pay for your child's school supplies & some school activities.

If you need to pay in installments or need financial assistance contact the school office.

KG-3: \$60 / Gr.4-7: \$85



YOUR
TEN PAC EXECUTIVE
2024-25!

CHAIR -
RON DAVIES
TREASURER -
JOCELYN BURNS
SECRETARY -
SHAYNA CICALO

Next Meeting:
Jan 13th @ 6:30pm
in school Library

What can you do to help??

Be a volunteer at large and offer to help with a fundraiser or event or

Come to a meeting or

Donate to the PAC to help raise funds!

Coming up!
West Coast Seed Sale - Late January
Contact Danielle Kelliher
(danokelliher@gmail.com)
To Support:
Our amazing school garden & Garden classroom!



EAGLE ATHLETICS

VOLLEYBALL



District Tournament
Dec. 5th
GIRLS @ OSE
BOYS @ SESS

BASKETBALL



Practices Start
the Week of
Dec. 9th!

INTRAMURALS

Wednesday
Grade 3/4
Thursday
Grade 5/6
Friday
Grade 7

HOCKEY ACADEMY

Tuesdays
and
Fridays
12:30-2:15

Thank you coaches!

Cross Country - Mrs. Clarke & Mr. Nichols

Soccer - Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Miller & Mr. Doll

Volleyball- Mr. Pearle, Mrs. Dragseth, Mrs. LaCroix, Mrs. Miller

TUC-ELNUIT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

\$5 LUNCH MENU

January 6th – 31st –
No Lunch January 29th

Order online - tenpac.parentcouncil.net

Monday's

6 inch Veggie or Turkey & Cheese Sub from Subway

Tuesday's



A pork or veggie burrito from Taco Rienda

Wednesday's

Homemade pasta from Crownest bakery in Cawston

Thursday's

Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza from Marco's Pizzaria

Friday's

Freshly made soup and homemade buns from Crowsnest Bakery

JANUARY Hot Lunch Order Link – OPENS Dec. 6th and closes on Dec. 17th

Next month's lunch program starts on Monday, January 6th & ends on Friday, Jan 31st You can order lunch for the month or choose specific days of the month.

If you need support with the cost of the program or have any questions, please contact the school

250-498-3415.

It's DECEMBER @ TEN!!



This holiday season, help spread cheer by joining our Holiday Food Drive! Bring non-perishable foods like canned goods and pasta to support families in need. Every donation counts and can bring joy to those who are struggling. Together, we can ensure everyone enjoys a festive meal.

Drop off your donations in your house team bucket in the front foyer!

Let's make this season bright for our community. Donate today and share the joy of giving!

School Spirit
DECEMBER



TUC-EL-NUIT
PRESENTS

HOOLY JOLLY JALOPY



Join us at Park Drive Church
@ 12pm on December 19th
for our 2024
TEN Christmas Concert!

SANTA'S WORKSHOP @ TEN

Dec. 18th for Kids

Dec. 19th for Families

We would appreciate clean and well cared for donations of toys, books, clothes, household items or anything else that kids might like to choose as a gift for their families!

Have questions
about what to
donate? Call the
office @ TEN
250-498-3415



Please drop donations at the
school before Dec. 17th



November @ TEN



We've Been Busy!

Curling!

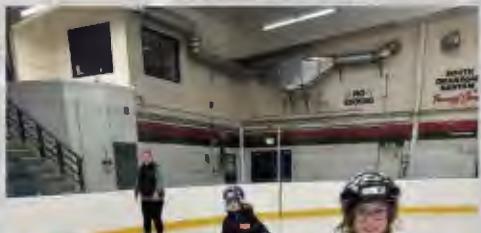


Monthly
**Eagle
Assembly!**



**Grade 7 Grad Hoodies!
Thank you TENPAC!**

Antelope Brush Restoration



Skating

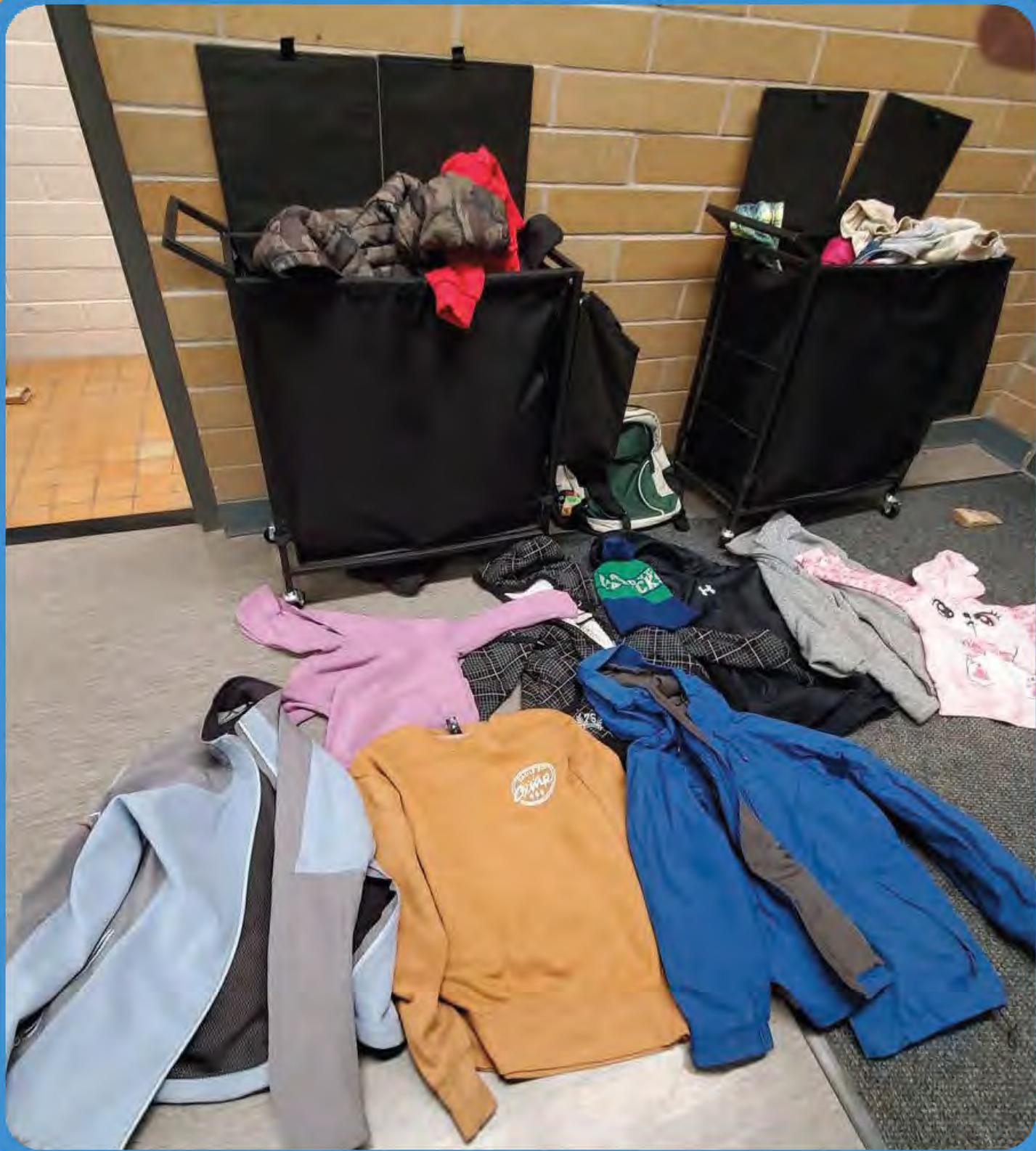


Skate Schedule

DATE	TIME	TEACHER
13-Jan	9:30-10:00	Clarke
20-Jan	9:30-10:00	Clarke
27-Jan	9:30-10:00	Clarke
3-Feb	9:30-10:00	Clarke
20-Dec	9:00-9:30	Dunlop
14-Feb	1:00-2:00	Dunlop
20-Jan	10:00-11:00	Gillick
28-Jan	11:00-12:00	Gillick
4-Feb	11:00-12:00	Gillick
23-Jan	11:00-12:00	Grainger
30-Jan	11:00-12:00	Grainger
6-Dec	1:00-2:00	Johnston
13-Dec	1:00-2:00	Johnston
12-Dec	11:00-12:00	Pearle
17-Dec	10:30-11:30	Pearle
8-Jan	1:00-2:00	Raposo/Livera
13-Jan	1:00-2:00	Raposo/Livera
22-Jan	1:00-2:00	Raposo/Livera
27-Jan	1:00-2:00	Raposo/Livera
6-Jan	9:00-10:00	Simpson/Spaurel
15-Jan	1:00-2:00	Simpson/Spaurel
28-Jan	9:00-10:00	Sousa
11-Feb	9:00-10:00	Sousa
4-Feb	9:00-10:00	Sousa, Raposo/Livera
25-Nov	11:00-11:45	Teigen
20-Jan	11:00-11:45	Teigen
10-Feb	11:00-11:45	Teigen

Lost & Found Items

Our bins are overflowing with hats, hoodies & jackets!



Spare Change of Clothes!

With the wet weather outside now, please send an extra pair of pants & socks to school for your child's cubby, even the big kids are coming in with wet/muddy pants after outside play.

OUR TEN LENDING LIBRARY IS OPEN

OUR LENDING LIBRARY IS A GREAT PLACE FOR STUDENTS TO FIND WHAT THEY NEED TO DRESS FOR THE WEATHER! THEY CAN KEEP IT FOREVER, WEAR IT UNTIL IT DOESN'T FIT OR JUST BORROW FOR THE DAY.

IF YOU HAVE ANY WINTER CLOTHES THAT ARE TAKING UP SPACE IN YOUR CLOSET, WE ARE ALWAYS TAKING DONATIONS!

How to Dress for the Weather Guide

Outdoor play is a great way to support healthy growth and development. Opening the doors to outdoor play in all kinds of weather provides children and adults with opportunities to spark their curiosity, reduce stress, explore and learn. When children have the right clothing for the season it contributes to them having positive, rich outdoor play experiences that just can't happen indoors. Get outside & curious. Let children read and have fun!

Temperature	Appropriate Clothing Items
20°C	Shorts, t-shirt, hat, shoes
10°C	Pants, long-sleeved shirt, hat, mitts, boots
0°C	Pants, jacket, hat, mitts, boots
-10°C	Pants, jacket, hat, mitts, boots, toque, snow pants
-20°C	Jacket, pants, mitts, toque, snow pants, snow boots

Supporting Outdoor Play Year Round

 www.getoutsideandplay.ca

 www.beFitforLife.ca



Community News & Events



REGISTRATIONS OPEN 1 OCTOBER 2024



Starskate and Canskate

WWW.SOUTHOKANAGANSKATINGCLUB.CA



NEW!
Adult and teen
lessons



**Fundraiser Event
put on by the
South Okanagan Skating Club**

