



## Wyatt Community Weekly Wire

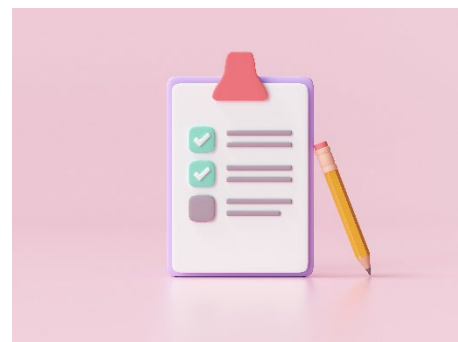
December 8 – 12, 2025

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### Term 1 Conference Night Survey

Please consider taking a few moments to offer your feedback on our Term 1 Conference Night. We value your voice and insights.

[Term 1 Conference Night - Parent/Caregiver Feedback – Fill out form](#)



### Winter Concert Reminders

Thursday, December 11th

Doors open at 6:15 p.m.

Concert starts at 6:30 p.m.

**Band students** – 6:00 p.m. arrival in the band room. Please wear black bottoms and black shoes. Band shirts are provided.



**Grade K – 6 students** – 6:10 p.m. arrival in their classrooms. Please come in best dress and for safety do not wear heeled shoes.

Our student have been hard at work preparing for our upcoming Winter Concert and we look forward to celebrating the season together with music and cheer.



## Reporting Student Absences

We encourage all families to call the school to report when their child(ren) will be away from school. You can do so by calling the office at any hour **(204) 255-7880**. There is a voicemail option for after hours. You can also email the office at the following email address: [wyatt.office@lrsd.net](mailto:wyatt.office@lrsd.net). Your assistance helps to reduce the number of attendance calls that need to be made each day, which ensures student safety. Thank you for your support.

## Candy Cane Courier

- ❖ Organized by Grade 7/8
- ❖ Cost: 50¢ each
- ❖ How it works: Write a message slip and send a candy cane to yourself or anyone in the
- ❖ Buy as many as you like!
- ❖ Special Sale: Available at the Winter Concert on December
- ❖ Dates: Runs Dec 11 – Dec 18
- ❖ Why? Students love receiving candy canes and messages from siblings and

✨ Spread holiday cheer with Candy Cane ✨



## Celebrate Everything: Holidays, Celebrations and Days of Recognition

<b>December</b>	Hanukkah (dates change)	A Jewish festival honouring the recovery of Jerusalem and subsequent rededication of the Second Temple at the beginning of the Maccabean revolt against the Seleucid Empire in the 2nd century BCE.
	Universal Human Rights Month	People are encouraged to come together and stand up for equality, justice, and the dignity of all humans.
<b>December 6</b>	Saint Nicholas Day	Marks the anniversary of the death of the third-century Catholic saint who inspired the modern versions of Santa Claus.
<b>December 6</b>	St. Nikolaus Day	St. Nicholas Day has remained a time when children are given special cookies, candies, and gifts.
<b>December 10</b>	Human Rights Day	To honour the day the United Nations General Assembly adopted the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
<b>December 12-24</b>	Jólasveinar (Yule Lad Visits)	Kids don't just get a visit from Santa Claus on Christmas Eve. Iceland also has the 13 Yule Lads ("Jólasveinar"), who descend from the mountains to wreak mischief in the nights leading up to Christmas.
<b>December 13</b>	Sankta Lucia Day	St. Lucia's Day, festival of lights celebrated in Sweden, Norway, and the Swedish-speaking areas of Finland on December 13 in honour of St. Lucia (St. Lucy).
<b>December 16-24</b>	Las Posadas	A Mexican religious festival honouring the journey that Joseph and Mary made from Nazareth to Bethlehem in search of a place to give birth to Jesus.
<b>December 18</b>	International Migrants Day	Aims to raise awareness about the challenges and difficulties of international migration.
<b>December 21/22</b>	Winter Solstice	
<b>December 24</b>	Christmas Eve	Christmas Eve is observed as a full or partial holiday in anticipation of Christmas Day.
<b>December 25</b>	Christmas Day	Christian celebration of Jesus' birth.
<b>December 26-January 1</b>	Kwanzaa	Kwanzaa is a weeklong celebration honoring African heritage in African American culture.
<b>December 31</b>	New Year's Eve	The Greeks celebrated the new year on the winter solstice, the shortest day of the year.
<b>No dates associated</b>	Griha Pravesh Puja	A Hindu act of worship that is usually undertaken before moving into a new house to protect it from any negative energy.
	Quinceañera	A quinceañera is a celebration of a girl's 15th birthday. It has pre-Columbian roots in Mexico and is widely celebrated by girls throughout Hispanic culture.
	Iso Omo Lorukou	A naming ceremony in Nigeria eight days after the baby is born.

## Week at a Glance

<b>Monday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025</b> <b>Day 1</b>	Grade 7/8 Basketball @ noon
<b>Tuesday, December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025</b> <b>Day 2</b>	Grade 7/8 Basketball @ noon
<b>Wednesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025</b> <b>Day 3</b>	Art Club – Grade 6 – 8 - 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.  Kitchen Brigades – 3:30 – 5:30 p.m.  Can-U – Grade 6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• pick up – 3:30 p.m.</li> <li>• drop- off 7:30 p.m.</li> </ul>
<b>Thursday, December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2025</b> <b>Day 4</b>  <i>Candy Cane Courier begins and runs until Dec. 18</i>	Winter Concert – 6:30 p.m.
<b>Friday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025</b> <b>Day 5</b>  <i>Candy Cane Courier</i>	Field Trip to Meadowood Manor (early years)  Meals2Go delivery

## Lunch Dance Rehearsals (Music Room)

Hot Chocolate & Sugar Cookie Dancy Daily Practices until Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> (check schedule).

## Upcoming important dates:

### December

- Friday, December 19<sup>th</sup> – Last day of school before Winter Break – Early Dismissal @ 2:30 p.m.