

Wyatt Community Weekly Wire December 15 - 19, 2025 Issue 15

Have Your Say - Term I 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 Thank You

Thank you to everyone who attended our Winter Concert last night.

We are so proud of all the students who participated and made the evening so special.

What a great night of song, dance, music, laughter, and joy!



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 II Dec I8
- Why? Students love receiving candy canes and messages from siblings and
 - ♣ Spread holiday cheer with Candy Cane ♣



School-Wide Spirit Week



Victor Wyatt's School Spirit Week



Day	Dress-Up Theme	Description	School ** Activity
Monday December 15 th	Merry and A Bright	Wear any holiday <u>headwear</u> you have and / or a pair of <u>sunglasses!</u>	Merry Messages! (Create messages, pictures, or cards of kindness and joy.)
Tuesday December 16 th	Sweater weather!	Wear a festive sweater to school (get crafty and add winter decorations to a regular sweater!)	Walking in a Winter Wonderland. School walk spreading holiday cheer with merry messages.
Wednesday December 17 th	"New Years Eve () Glitz and Glam"	Get out your "best look of the year" and dress to impress! ©	2025 Trivia Challenge!
Thursday December 18 th	Candy Cane Twist!	Make yourself look like a candy cane! (Socks, hair, outfit colours – be creative!)	Class "Gingerbread House" Design Challenge! Decorate 1 Meals2Go BOX with your class to impress the judges!
Friday December 19th	"Comfy and Cozy"	Pajama Day! (Bed head included!) <i>©</i>	Winter BINGO and "Gingerbread House" Design Winner Announcement!

Last Day of Classes and Early Dismissal

A reminder that the last day of classes before the break is Friday, December 19th. It is also an early dismissal day (2:30 p.m.). We ask families to make the necessary arrangements to ensure they are on time to pick up their child(ren).

Meals2Go

Next week's Meals2Gowill arrive one day earlier, on Thursday, December 18th.

Celebrate Everything: Holidays, Celebrations and Days of Recognition

December	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 centu BCE.	
	Universal Human Rights Month	People are encouraged to come together and stand up for equality justice, and the dignity of all humans.	
December 6	Saint Nicholas Day	Marks the anniversary of the death of the third-century Catholic saint who inspired the modern versions of Santa Claus.	
December 6	St. Nikolaus Day	St. Nicholas Day has remained a time when children are given special cookies, candies, and gifts.	
December 10	Human Rights Day	To honour the day the United Nations General Assembly adopted the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.	
December 12-24	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.	
December 13	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).	
December 16-24	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.	
December 18	International Migrants Day	Aims to raise awareness about the challenges and difficulties of international migration.	
December 21/22	Winter Solstice		
December 24	Christmas Eve	Christmas Eve is observed as a full or partial holiday in anticipation of Christmas Day.	
December 25	Christmas Day	Christian celebration of Jesus' birth.	
December 26-January 1	Kwanzaa	Kwanzaa is a weeklong celebration honoring African heritage in African American culture.	
December 31	New Year's Eve	The Greeks celebrated the new year on the winter solstice, the shortest day of the year.	
No dates associated	Griha Pravesh Puja	A Hindu act of worship that is usually undertaken before moving in 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.	

Week at a Glance

Monday, December 15th, 2025 Day 6	
Candy Cane Courier	
Tuesday, December 16 th , 2025 Day I Candy Cane Courier	Grade 7/8 Basketball @ noon
Wednesday, December 17th, 2025 Day 2 Candy Cane Courier	Art Club – Grade 6 – 8 - 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. Kitchen Brigades – 3:30 – 5:30 p.m.
	Can-U – Grade 6 pick up – 3:30 p.m. drop- off 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, December 18th, 2025 Day 3 Candy Cane Courier	Meals2Go delivery
Friday, December 19 th , 2025 Day 4	Last Day of Classes – Early Dismissal – 2:30 p.m.

Upcoming important dates:

Winter Break - December 20, 2025 - January 4, 2026

January

January 5 – Classes Resume

January 27 – Staff Meeting – Early Dismissal – 2:30 p.m.