

# **Wowk News**

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The Week Ahead: January 3 - 6

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January 3	Welcome Back! First Day of School
January 4	PAC Pizza Day
January 5	PAC Hot Lunch
January 6	



#### **Thank You PAC and Thank You Families!**







We are incredibly fortunate here at Jessie Wowk to have a PAC committee who went to such extraordinary lengths to make sure our staff, students, and families were able to celebrate together this winter season. Our pancake breakfast, skating event at Minoru and winter celebration were incredibly successful events that brought people together. We as a staff would like to extend a huge THANK YOU to all of our parents who gave up their time to volunteer and help run the events and to our PAC committee for their leadership in making these events possible. We also want to thank our families and students for taking the time to attend.

#### **Extended Vacations / Late Returns to School**

We kindly ask that all families who happen to be arriving after January 3rd from vacation to please contact the office and inform us of your child's later return to school. We also kindly ask that you please let us know of your child's expected return date to school. Thank you.

## **Positive Discipline Workshop for Families**

A workshop is available for families through the Ministry of Children and Family Development that offers an opportunity to learn about how to guide children in developing self - discipline, responsibility, problem - solving skills and positive self esteem. Registration is required and please see the attached flyer for more information.

## **PAC Updates**

Thank you for taking the time to read some important PAC updates and events.

Dear Wowk Families.

Thank you so much to all our wonderful volunteers who have so generously given their time and donated so much to make these December events so successful. Pancake Breakfast, Family Skating, and Winter Celebration all surpassed previous attendance levels! We hope you have felt the warmth of our school community and have been able to enjoy these PAC sponsored events. Thank you for participating. Your continued support gives us the confidence to plan for more events. PAC would like to wish you and your family a joyful holiday season and a fantastic new year to come.



# **Important Dates Coming Up**

December 18 - 26 - Hannukukah (Judiasm)

December 24 - Christmas Eve (Christianity)

December 25 - Christmas Day (Christianity)

January 1 - Happy New Year

January 3 - Return from Winter Break

January 17 - Band Concert

January 22 - Lunar New Year

Questions about symptoms and wondering if a Covid test is needed? Please go to: <a href="https://covidcheck.gov.bc.ca/">https://covidcheck.gov.bc.ca/</a>







