



## JANUARY NEWSLETTER

*“Somewhere, something incredible is waiting to be known.”*

*Carl Sagan*

- December 18      Christmas Concert at 6:30. Students to arrive 6 – 6:15.  
Happy Holiday Bake sale before and after the concert
- December 19      Coaticook Cheese pick up – 3 pm to 5:45 in the CLC
- January 6      -      Planning Day (no classes, daycare open)
- January 7      -      First day of school after Christmas holidays
- January 7      -      Free pizza lunch for those who signed up generously offered by  
Friends of PEES Foundation
- January 9      -      Zumba (see note)
- January 20      -      PPO Meeting – 6 pm in the library
- January 22      -      Governing Board Meeting – 5:30 pm in the library
- January 27<sup>th</sup> – February 7<sup>th</sup> – Registration for 2020-2021**
- January 27      -      Planning Day (no classes, daycare open)
- January 31      -      End of Term 2
- February 3 – 14 Re-Registration for existing students for 2020-2021.**
- February 11      -      Term 2 Report Cards available on the Parent Portal
- February 12      -      Parent/Teacher interviews after school (by request of teacher or parent)

**Registration:** will begin on January 27<sup>th</sup> for the 2020-2021 school year.

**Again this year: For already existing students whose parents have supplied an e-mail address, re-registration will take place on line between February 3 – 14. More information to come.**

**Existing students:** (no parent e-mail address) Already existing students (except for grade 6) will receive a partially completed form which must be completed, checked for accuracy and signed in blue or black ink. Please return the completed registration form as soon as possible or by Friday February 7<sup>th</sup> at the latest. If your child will not be returning to PEES, simply check the box at the bottom of the form and return it to the school unsigned.

**New students:** If you have a child coming to school in the fall for the first time (or know of someone who will be sending their child to school for the first time) please call for an appointment to register (819-843-4847 x 2). Be sure to bring the original of your child’s birth certificate (the long form), a proof of citizenship of the eligible parent (original long or short form of the birth certificate or a passport) and a proof of residence (driver’s license with address or other gov’t document). The child must be five by September 30<sup>th</sup> for Kindergarten or four by September 30<sup>th</sup> for Passe Partout.

**See reverse →**

**\*\*\* ILLNESS – VERY IMPORTANT \*\*\***

Flu season is upon us. If your child shows any signs of illness, please keep him/her at home until well enough to return to both the regular class and outdoor recess. If your child is sick with a contagion or childhood illness (chicken pox, strep, pinworms, gastro, etc., please advise the office when calling to motivate the absence. Thanks!)

**Absences** - Very important Notice: Please phone us at school (819-843-4847) by 8 am in the morning if your child will be absent from school. **This is very important and it is for the safety of your child(ren).**

**Appropriate Clothing:** Please ensure that your child(ren) wears appropriate clothing for the changing weather. Students are also expected to wear appropriate indoor clothing; two pairs of shoes (one for inside and one for outside). Students must NOT wear outside shoes or boots to classrooms. Due to fire regulations, shoes must be worn at all times.

**Calendars:** If anyone has old calendars with pictures of animals, birds or winter scenes, the kindergarten classes would greatly appreciate receiving them to make crafts. Please send them to the attention of Mme Carole Savard. Thank you!

**CLC:** For more info regarding courses, please check their website at [www.magogclc.ca](http://www.magogclc.ca)

**Sliding:** Appropriate winter clothing is required if your child wishes to slide.

**Snowballs:** Please remind your child(ren) that they cannot shoot snow balls when at school. This is a safety procedure. Two targets are available for this activity.

**Supervision & School Fees:** Please ensure that you have paid your supervision & school fees. If you have not done so already, please send in your payment as soon as possible or call the school at 819-843-4847 x 2 to make arrangements.

**Thank you:** Thank you to all who supported the Christmas Food Drive, the Christian Vachon Christmas gift drive, the cycle 2 Santa Shop, and the Happy Holiday Bake sale.

**Zumba:** begins again! Due to the great popularity of this activity, the school will again offer Zumba on Thursdays at lunch time for another session of 8 weeks (January and February) free of charge to all our students. Enjoy!