



# Beacon Hill Bulletin

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Chinook's Edge School  
Division #73

**December  
2024**

## UPcoming EVENTS

- 2 Candy Cane Sales Begin
- 3 PAC Meeting Online @ 8pm
- 6 Hot Lunch—Taco Time;  
Christmas Spirit Day;  
T/Th Kinder
- 10 Christmas Concert (Gr 4-5)
- 11 Christmas Concert (Gr 2-3)
- 12 Christmas Concert (Gr K-1)
- 13 No School
- 15 Deadline for January Hot  
Lunch Orders
- 18 PAC Turkey Lunch
- 20 Hot Lunch—Panago;  
Pajama Day; M/W Kinder
- 23- No School—Christmas
- Jan 5 Break
- Jan 6 Classes Resume!
- Jan Lost and Found Items taken
- 31 for donation



### Welcome to Kindergarten!

Beginning in January, Chinook's Edge will be accepting Kindergarten registrations for the 2025-2026 school year. Children must turn five years old by December 31, 2025 to begin attending Kindergarten in the fall of 2025. Online registration will begin in early January – please visit our website for [registration information](#), including the Chinook's Edge schools that offer Pre-Kindergarten programming.

### KINDERGARTEN



**REGISTRATION IS COMING!**

**Important:** All parents please sign in at the office when you are visiting the school. Parents that are volunteering please sign in and get a volunteer tag from the office.

### Next Parent Council Meeting

December 3 @ 8:00pm

To join the meeting, use the link provided under the 'Parent Council' tab on the website.

Please do not send snacks or lunch to school with your child that could contain any kind of nuts or peanuts. It puts others at unnecessary risk.



### Everybody Deserves a Smile

Please help BHES bring smiles and hope to those unhoused this Christmas season. Our Grade 3/4 class is leading the way with help from several other grades and the Gr. 6 leadership team. Students will be organizing and preparing homemade gift bags. Please help us fill them! In the front entrance, we will be **collecting new toques, mitts, and wool socks** for the gift bags, which can be dropped off at the school anytime until Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup>. If you would like to give **cash donations**, you can either send your donation with your child(ren) to the school or bring it to the school office (and we will do the shopping for you).



### Coins for Christmas

We will be collecting Coins for Christmas at our Christmas Concerts to raise money for families within our school community to make their Christmas a little merrier! Mrs. Hyatt & the leadership students will be in charge of collecting at the three evening performances. We would like to thank you in advance for any support you are able to provide. Every little bit counts!

### Food Bank Donations—SUCCESS!

With your help, the leadership students collected 576 Food Bank donation items that will be given to the Sylvan Lake Food Bank. Your generosity will go to many community families that need the extra assistance over the holiday season.

### Merry Christmas from Everyone at BHES

We want to take this time to wish all of our BHES families a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. May the season be filled with warmth, joy, and magic for you and your family.

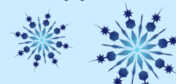


*“Christmas will always be as long as we stand heart to heart and hand in hand.” - Dr. Seuss*

Recently, Chinook’s Edge School Division shared a conflict resolution approach to the Parents Matter Group. We are sharing this with our parents now:

### Resolving Conflict—a quick guide for parents...

When working to resolve conflict, it is important to try and avoid making assumptions. We ask that you please enter conversations with a positive approach and avoid the use of email.



### What should I do if I have an issue with a teacher?

- Arrange to have a conversation with the teacher. Please phone the teacher to make an appointment.
- If there is no resolution, arrange to have a conversation with your administrator by appointment, made either by phone or in person.
- If there is still no resolution, please call the Division Office at (403) 227-7070 and you will be directed to either a Division Principal, a Liaison Superintendent, or the Chief Superintendent who will respond to you within 24—48 hours.
- Please expect 24 hours for a response.

### Christmas Concerts

BHES will be holding 3 separate Christmas Concerts in order to accommodate all our families in the school gym comfortably. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. and the Christmas Concerts will start at 6 p.m. The dates are as follows:

**December 10: Grade 4—5**

**December 11: Grade 2—3**

**December 12: Grade K—1**



Please be advised that there is **NO** playground supervision **before 8:20am or after 3:20pm**. Students are expected to go home after school before going to the playground.