

November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021

# Steeple Elementary School

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## Daily Health Check Reminder

Just a reminder to keep children home when they are sick. You can use the **BC K-12 Health Check** app to assist you. Here is the link to the K-12 Health Check App:

<https://www.k12dailycheck.gov.bc.ca/healthcheck?execution=e1s1>

## HAT DAY TOMORROW NOVEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup>



### Important Dates:

**Monday November 14<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup>**

Rock Your Mocs Week

**Wednesday November 17<sup>th</sup> – HAT DAY**

**Thursday November 18<sup>th</sup> – PAC Boston Pizza Lunch**

**FRESH TO YOU FUNDRAISER PICKUP**

**Friday November 26<sup>th</sup> – No School**

## Cranbrook Townsman Christmas Village

This year our PAC is taking part in the Cranbrook Townsman Christmas Village. Schools can participate by donating Wreaths, Decorations, Gingerbread Creations. All items must be given to the school no later than November 24<sup>th</sup>. The items will go into the papers on December 2<sup>nd</sup> and the auction will start on December 7<sup>th</sup> to



December 10<sup>th</sup> on Facebook. Classes might work on items to donate but parents are welcome to make items and donate as well. If you are interested in donating an item, please let Mrs. Ney by email at [jennifer.ney@sd5.bc.ca](mailto:jennifer.ney@sd5.bc.ca) and she will let the PAC know.



## PAC NEWS

Your help is needed! Tomorrow, Wednesday November 17, our shipment of veggies is arriving, and we need to offload 65 cases of fruits and veggies into the library for sorting. We won't know a time until about an hour beforehand but if you can help it would be much appreciated. Please keep an eye on the Facebook page for updates on arrival time.

We are also looking for as many homemade gingerbread creations, wreaths, or tree ornaments as we can get our hands on for the 6th annual Christmas Village. Please help us make this event a success. All submissions are due into the office November 24th. That's only one week away!

Thank you to those who attended our PAC meeting last night. We really appreciate the parents who come to help us out. Our next meeting is December 13.

Our Purdy's fundraiser was a huge hit again this year! We sold over \$7000 in chocolate for a profit of around \$1800. Thank you so much to everyone who participated. Chocolates will be ready for pickup December 8. Our next fundraisers will be after Christmas. We will be doing a DFS Easter fundraiser in February as well as Casey's flower baskets again

Thanks again to all our Steeples families for your support this year!

Jacqueline Nielsen

[j.nicole629@gmail.com](mailto:j.nicole629@gmail.com)

Did you know that 5% of your Save-On-Foods grocery bill could be donated straight to our school? It's super easy to help out our kids!

All you have to do is

1. Shop at the Cranbrook Save-On-Foods
2. Mention Steeples Elementary at the till
3. 5% of your bill is donated by the store!

How simple is that? Every little bit helps get our kids better equipment and awesome experiences.

Thanks for your support!

Keep Steeples really rocking! |





## Steeple's Breakfast Program:

Parents, please note the program does not open until 8:15 as the weather becomes challenging it is best to not have your children arrive too early as students will not be let into the school prior to 8:15. After breakfast students are expected to return outside until their classroom teacher opens their classroom door. Please have students dress weather appropriate. Thank you!

## Winter Clothing:

Steeple's receives donations of winter jackets and boots (used) at times, if your child is in need, please let us know!

Barb Fode

YCW – Steeple's

[Barbara.fode@sd5.bc.ca](mailto:Barbara.fode@sd5.bc.ca)

# K'at'u?k xupqa - November

14-20 Rock Your Mocs (Coloring Contest)

15-20 Metis Week

16 Louis Riel Day

Why is Louis Riel so important?



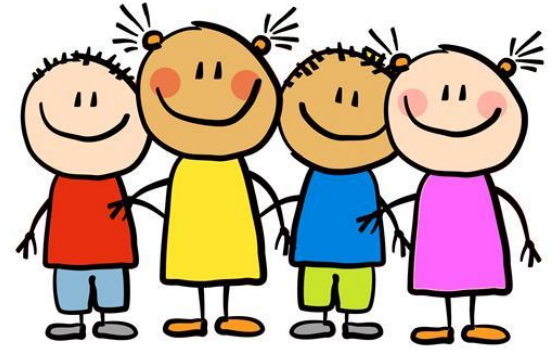
Louis Riel (/ˈluːi riː ɛl/; French: [lwi ʁjel]; 22 October 1844 – 16 November 1885) was a Canadian politician, a founder of the province of Manitoba, and a political leader of the Métis people. **He led two resistance movements against the Government of Canada and its first prime minister, John A. Macdonald.** (copied from

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# STEEPLES STRONGSTART CENTRE

## STEEPLES STRONGSTART HOURS

MONDAY	8:45AM-11:45AM
TUESDAY	8:45AM-11:45AM
WEDNESDAY	1:15PM-3:15PM
THURSDAY	1:15PM-3:15PM
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>4:30PM-6PM (STARTING NOV 18<sup>TH</sup>)</b>
FRIDAY	CLOSED



If you would like to attend one of those sessions, please email: [lisa.lancaster@sd5.bc.ca](mailto:lisa.lancaster@sd5.bc.ca) to reserve your spot. There can be 6 families each morning.

Registration Forms are available for pickup from Mrs. Ney in the office. Birth Certificate and Proof of Address are required upon registration.

Thank you,

Lisa Lancaster

<https://cbal.simplesurvey.com/f/s.aspx?s=7303D3F5-B0AD-4A3F-A99D-1DD152DED26A>



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## STUDENT SERVICES AT STEEPLES



Welcome to a new school year! Did you know that there is an entire Student Services Department devoted to helping ALL students learn? It consists of three Student Services Teachers, Education Assistants, 2 Youth Care Workers, a Counsellor, an Aboriginal Education Support Worker, and the principal. If you ever have ANY concerns about your child - learning concerns, friendship or social skills concerns, emotional concerns, or any other concerns, please feel free to reach out through email or by calling the school. We are here to help and support!

- Jen Horvath - Student Services Teacher - [jennifer.horvath@sd5.bc.ca](mailto:jennifer.horvath@sd5.bc.ca)
- Barb Eckersley - Student Services Teacher - [barb.eckersley@sd5.bc.ca](mailto:barb.eckersley@sd5.bc.ca)
- Shae Smith - Student Services Teacher – [shae.smith@sd5.bc.ca](mailto:shae.smith@sd5.bc.ca)

**Steeple has a new school counsellor. Aleata Harty-Blank has joined our Steeples team and is at our school on Thursdays and some Fridays. If you feel your child might benefit from connecting with a counsellor, please let their classroom teacher know and the counsellor will contact you as soon as possible to discuss options. If you have any questions, you can email [Aleata.Harty-Blank@SD5.BC.CA](mailto:Aleata.Harty-Blank@SD5.BC.CA)**



# STEEPLES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL – NOVEMBER 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
14	<p>15</p> <p><b>LEGION YOUTH REMEMBRANCE DAY CONTEST DEADLINE</b></p> <p>OUTDOOR MONDAYS – MRS. LENTZ - PM</p>	<p>16</p> <p>TREKKING TUESDAY – Mr. Goodwin &amp; Mr. Hammond – PM</p> <p>Louis Riel Day</p>	<p>17</p> <p>WILDERNESS WEDNESDAY – Mrs. Henderson, Ms. Kent / Greenlee &amp; Mr. Stewart - PM</p> <p>HAT DAY</p>  <p><b>VOLLEYBALL 2:45-4</b></p>	<p>18</p> <p><b>PAC BOSTON PIZZA LUNCH</b></p>  <p>Mrs. Enns – Design Lab – 8:50am</p> <p>TREKKING THURSDAY – Mr. Goodwin &amp; Mr. Hammond - PM</p>	<p>19</p> <p>KINDERGARTEN FOREST FRIDAYS – PM</p> <p>WEAR STEEPLES CLOTHING &amp; COLOURS</p>	20
<b>METIS WEEK &amp; ROCK YOUR MOCS WEEK</b>						
21	<p>22</p> <p>OUTDOOR MONDAYS – MRS. LENTZ - PM</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Tinker Time – Ms. McDowell / Mrs. Basaraba</p> <p>TREKKING TUESDAY – Mr. Goodwin &amp; Mr. Hammond - PM</p>	<p>24</p> <p>WILDERNESS WEDNESDAY – Mrs. Henderson, Ms. Kent / Greenlee &amp; Mr. Stewart – PM</p> <p><b>VOLLEYBALL 2:45-4</b></p>	<p>25</p> <p>Mr. Hammond – Tinker Time – Mount Baker – 9:30am</p> <p>TREKKING THURSDAY – Mr. Goodwin &amp; Mr. Hammond – PM</p> <p>WEAR STEEPLES CLOTHING &amp; COLOURS</p>	<p>26</p> <p><b>NO SCHOOL</b></p>	27
28	<p>29</p> <p>OUTDOOR MONDAYS – MRS. LENTZ - PM</p>	<p>30</p> <p>TREKKING TUESDAY – Mr. Goodwin &amp; Mr. Hammond - PM</p>				

## ROTARY CLUB – ANGEL TREE

Below is information regarding Rotary Clubs Angel Tree program. If you would like a form for your child, please let Mrs. Ney know by emailing her at [jennifer.ney@sd5.bc.ca](mailto:jennifer.ney@sd5.bc.ca) and she will send one home in an envelope with them. You can also print the form below and send it in.

# Rotary Club of Cranbrook Sunrise and the Tamarack Shopping Center

## Angel Tree Registration

The Angel Tree Program is a community based program to assist low income families in making Christmas special for their children. All requests are numbered and only a number, **not the child's name** is placed on a tree sponsored by the Tamarack Centre. Cranbrook families or individuals then choose an "Angel" from the tree and purchase a gift to help make Christmas a joyous occasion for all. The Cancer Society has volunteered to wrap the gifts and attach the number so the right child gets the gift. Registration forms will be available

*Please* see that your completed registration form is returned to the **Tamarack Mall Administration Office**. Their office hours are 10:00a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday. **Please slide under door, if door is locked.**

Because of the time required for recording, posting and distribution of Angel requests....**Registrations| need to be submitted by Friday, November 26th, 2021. Any late forms received after this date, will not be accepted.**

\*\*\*\*\*TEAR OFF THIS PORTION FOR PICK UP \*\*\*\*\*

***Distribution dates will be Dec. 17th from 6:00 – 9:00 pm and Dec. 18th from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm in the interior vacant space across from Columbia Theatre***

***\*\*\*You must pick up your gifts during this time only. Any gifts not claimed will not be delivered.***

## ANGEL TREE REGISTRATION FORM

Dear Parent:

This year's Angel Tree Program will again be administered by the Sunrise Rotary Club. If you are interested in registering your children, please fill out the following information and **Return it to the Tamarack Shopping Centre, Administration Office by Friday, November 26, 2021.** The office hours are 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday. **Please slide under the door, if the door is locked.**

Name of Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Suggestions need to be of a reasonable cost approx. \$30.00 \* Max. age is 17 years old.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_

Gift Suggestion \_\_\_\_\_

Care Card Personal Health Number \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_

Gift Suggestion \_\_\_\_\_

Care Card Personal Health Number \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Care Card Personal Health Number \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Gift Suggestion \_\_\_\_\_

Care Card Personal Health Number \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*\* Deadline for registration is November 26, 2021 \*\***  
**PLEASE...NO LATE REGISTRATIONS**

Gifts must be picked up at The Tamarack Shopping Centre – (interior unit across from Columbia Theatre) on **Friday, December 17th from 6:00 - 9:00 pm** and **Saturday, December 18th from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Gifts will not be delivered.**

All gifts are purchased by families or individuals from the Cranbrook area hoping to assist in make Christmas a joyous occasion for all. The Cancer Society wraps all the gifts and numbers them. The volunteer agencies have no control over the choice or value of the gifts purchased. We can only hope the gift brings joy and happiness to your child at Christmas. The Angel Tree program is sponsored by Sunrise Rotary Club, Tamarack Mall, Cancer Society|and the caring people of Cranbrook.