

# PHILLIPS WEEKLY

DECEMBER 12, 2025

## Important Dates

Winter Dance (SCC) - Dec 17  
Staff Surprises Assembly - December 18  
Last Day before winter break; Singing in the gym periods 1-2 - Dec 19

First Day Back - January 5, 2026

[DDSB Dates of Significance](#)

## Staff Surprises

Thank you to all of you who purchased raffle tickets for our staff surprises! On December 18, we will gather for a fun assembly and draw a name out of each box. The staff member will come up to be with the winning student while they unwrap the surprise. This was so much fun last year and we know it will be a highlight next Thursday. All proceeds will go to the SCC and then back into the school and classrooms.

## Toy Drive



Thank you for your support with our toy drive!! We are in the process of organizing bags to go out to many of our children. Phillips is an extraordinary community who truly cares for each other! One of the most important lessons we can teach our children is the joy of giving. Our school is a special place to learn. Thank you!!

## SNOW



Winter is here! We will do our best to get kids outside and playing safely. We need your help:

1. Please make sure your children have waterproof winter gear as well as extra socks and mitts in their bags.
2. Please remind your child about our snow rules: You can build, roll and create. You may not throw snow or destroy anyone's structures.
3. The play structure is closed for the season as it becomes very icy. Please do not encourage use before and after school.

Thanks for your support!

## Message From Your SCC

A huge thank you from the SCC to all of our Phillips families for supporting our Staff Surprise Raffle this past week. Good luck in the draw next week! We are excited to host our Winter Dance on December 17, featuring lighting, great music, and a free treat and glow stick for each student. Students will attend the dance in grade-level groups, with some sessions beginning promptly at 9:00 am, so please ensure your child arrives on time so they don't miss any of the fun. This event is the SCC's way of saying Happy Holidays to our entire student community. We wish you all a safe and wonderful winter break and look forward to seeing everyone back in the new year.

# WINTER DANCE

DECEMBER 17TH 2025

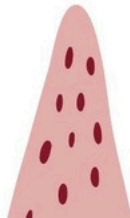
**FREE GLOW STICK  
& TREAT FOR ALL STUDENTS**

TO HELP KICK OFF THE WINTER BREAK THE SCC IS PUTTING ON A WINTER DANCE! STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO WEAR WINTER THEMED CLOTHING OR GLOW ITEMS.

WISHING OUR PHILLIPS FAMILIES  
A SAFE AND HAPPY HOLIDAY  
SEASON!



# Holiday Spirit Week



## Register for Kindergarten!

Children who will be four by December 31, 2026 can start Year One Kindergarten (JK) in September.



Online registration for the 2026/27 school year opens January 6, 2026. Visit [ddsb.ca](https://ddsb.ca) for more information.







JOIN RESOURCES FOR A WINTER BREAK

# ICE SKATING

5:00-6:00 pm Family Skate  
6:00-6:45 pm Pizza & Winter Craft  
5:00-6:45 pm Hot Chocolate, Tea and Coffee is available.

*Family Event*

For more information,  
or to register:



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2025



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