

WEEK AT A GLANCE LORD BYNG ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

December 18th - 22nd

Monday,
December 18th

Tuesday,
December 19th

Wednesday,
December 20th

Thursday,
December 21st

Friday,
December 22nd



**Byng Family Skate
Night @ 5pm**



Festive Wear Day



Comfy Day

We have a whole bunch of fun planned for the upcoming week! Term 1 Report Cards are available for viewing online this Thursday and we recommend families print a copy of them as they are available for a limited time only. Please watch your email inbox for more comprehensive Parent Portal instructions!

**Term 1 Report
Cards Published**

This year the Leadership Committee is organizing a fundraiser for the Richmond Food Bank. You may donate at this [Link](#) Please remember this is completely optional and that a little goes a long way. \$1 becomes \$3 as the Food Bank can buy in bulk. If you wish to donate warm clothes such as socks, gloves, hats, etc., we will collect those as well to donate to those in need. The boxes for clothing and food will be by the front door and if you would rather donate cash you can bring/send that to the office and they will send in money to the Richmond Food Bank. Thank you all for your support, we appreciate it greatly.

Upcoming Events

December 19th ~ Family Skate
Night @ 5:00-6:30pm

December 21st ~ Festive Wear
Day

December 21st ~ Term 1 Report
Cards are posted

December 22nd ~ Last day of
school before Winter Break

December 22nd ~ Comfy/Cozy/PJ
Day

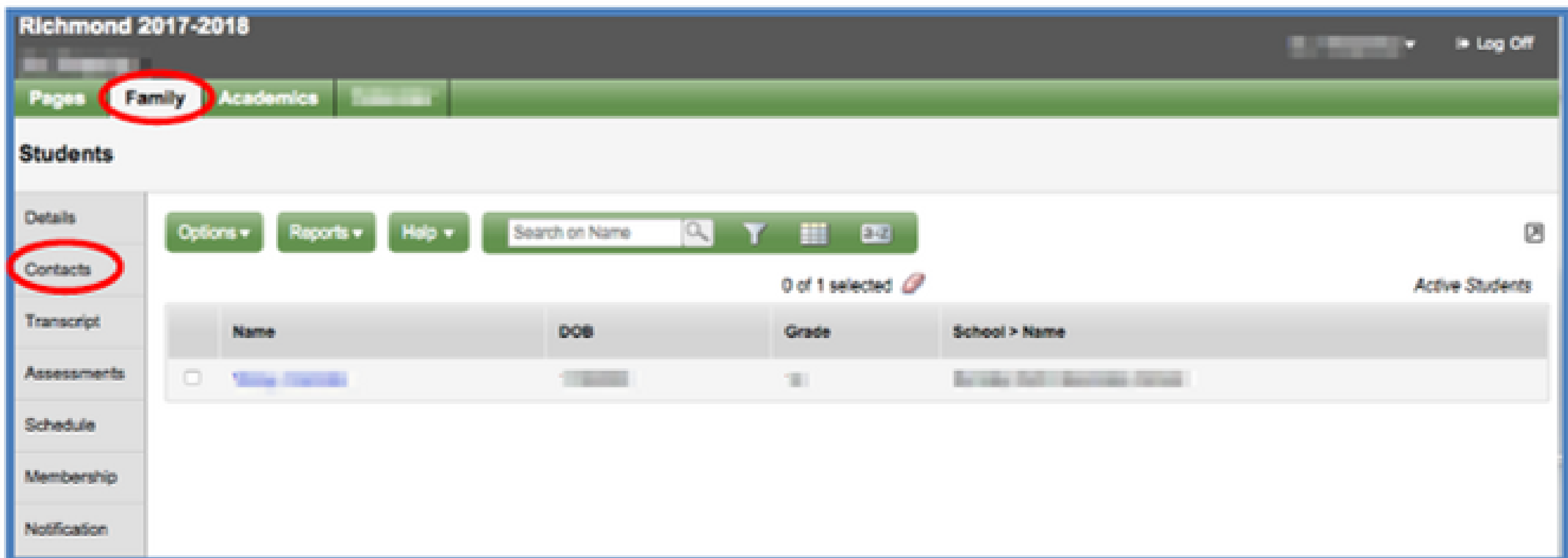
December 25th ~ Christmas



**Report Cards will be available
for viewing online on
December 21st @ 3pm
(detailed instructions for the
Parent Portal will be sent next
week to families by email)**



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Side Tabs: The tabs along the side will change depending on the current Top Tab



Each time you log in to the Parent Portal, you will land on the 'Pages' tab. The MyED Parent Portal includes other tabs that contain information parents can view. Here is a brief summary of each tab.

Pages Tab

Recent Activity - information about recently posted student attendance and some mark information.

Published Reports - When a report card is published to the portal, it will appear under the Published Reports heading as a hyperlinked PDF document. You will receive an email that a report card has been published to the portal.



Please note that Report Cards cannot be archived on the Parent Portal. Each report card will be removed 4-6 weeks after publication. Please download any report cards that you would like to save.



Family Skate Night
Tuesday, December 19
5:00-6:30pm
Minoru Arenas,
7551 Minoru Blvd

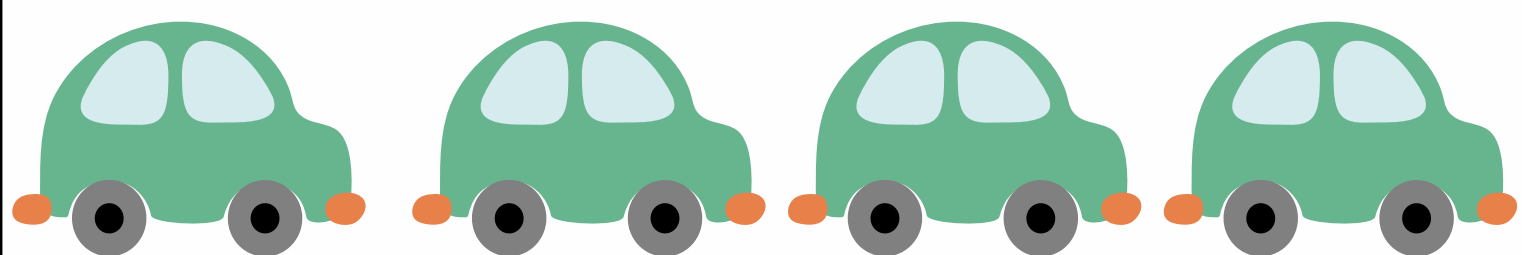
The PAC is providing this fun family night free of charge! In lieu of payment, families are encouraged to bring donations for the Richmond Food Bank. A collection bin will be at the Skate Night.

Admission includes skate and helmet rentals. There will not be a concession but please feel free to bring your own snacks or purchase from the Arena's concession.

COVID-19 Protocols:
The arena is operating their facilities in accordance with current Provincial guidelines, but the risk remains that COVID-19 transmission could occur. Wearing a mask is not mandatory and therefore a personal choice. Please consider the health and safety of those around you. If you or your child are feeling unwell or are showing any symptoms of illness, please stay home.

**TUESDAY,
DECEMBER
19TH IS
FAMILY
SKATE
NIGHT!**

We have recently been getting complaints from neighbours of vehicles blocking driveways and crosswalks when dropping off and picking up students. Please be conscious and aware of our designated parking, your speed as well as where you can and can't stop your cars, especially during our very busy times of the day!

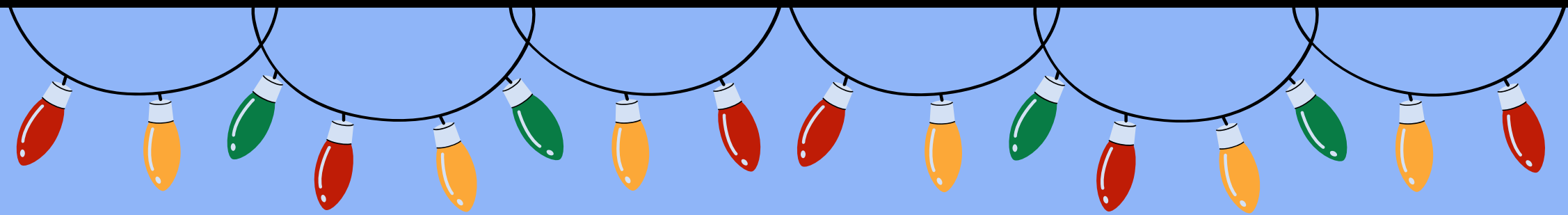


**PLEASE COME CHECK OUT
OUR LOST AND FOUND IN
THE GYM FOYER. ANY
ITEMS NOT CLAIMED BY
WINTER BREAK WILL BE
BAGGED UP AND SENT TO
GOOD WILL IN JANUARY.**

Christmas

[kris-muh s] *noun.*

A wonderful time when somebody breaks into your house and eats your cookies, whilst replacing the food with presents.



Christmas is an annual festival commemorating the birth of Jesus Christ, who is worshipped as the Son of God in Christianity, the world's largest religion.





The Byng PAC is accepting donations towards the Playground Improvement Fund. Tax receipts will be provided for donations of \$50 and above!

Two ways to donate:

- 1. By e-transfer to lordbyngelementarypac@gmail.com. If you would like a tax receipt, please send a second email with your name, address and donation amount.**
- 2. Drop off cash or cheque to the PAC box at the front entrance of the school. If you would like a tax receipt, please include your name, address and donation amount on the front of an envelope with donation inside.**

Please consider donating to the Byng Playground Improvement Fund as we are working towards purchasing a piece of play equipment to be added to our playground!






PAC Bottle Drive

FASTER & EASIER
TO RETURN YOUR
DRINK CONTAINERS

4 Easy Steps:

- 1 Bring your unsorted containers in sealed, clear or transparent bags of under 90-litre capacity to an Express site. Tip: put only a maximum of 12 glass bottles in each bag to prevent breakage.
- 2 Use the school's phone number **604-668-6649** to login at an Express Kiosk at Return-It & select PRINT LABELS
- 3 Put the label on your bag(s) and leave them with Return-It 
- 4 Return-It will sort & count, and Byng's Account will be credited with the deposit refund. Byng will redeem the money afterwards.

Blundell

130-8180 No. 2 Road,
Richmond, BC V7C 5K1



Ironwood

Unit 110 - 11020 Horseshoe
Way, Richmond, BC V7A 4V5

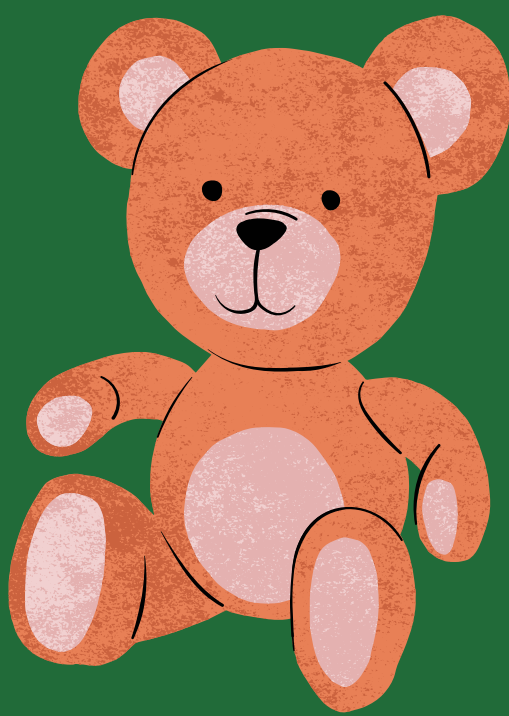


All proceeds go toward new
playground equipment for our school!

**Thursday, December 21st
is Festive Wear Day!!!!**



**Friday, December 22nd
is Comfy, Cozy PJ
Day!!!!**



(Wear
whatever
makes you feel
comfy and
bring a stuffy
to keep you
warm!)





LORD BYNG ELEMENTARY PAC

PIZZA WEDNESDAYS & HOT LUNCH!!!

How to order...

All New Families must register a new account with Munchalunch:

Go to <https://munchalunch.com/schools/LordByng>

Click the "Register Here" button. The system will guide you through the process of adding children. **After** adding your child(ren) click the "Order Lunch" button to order. Next time, just click the "Login here" button to access your account.

It is recommended you sign up to receive a reminder email the day before hot lunch is delivered. Returning families will just need to update their students' grade and division upon first signing in.



**2024 HOT LUNCH DATES
COMING SOON!!!**

Please note:

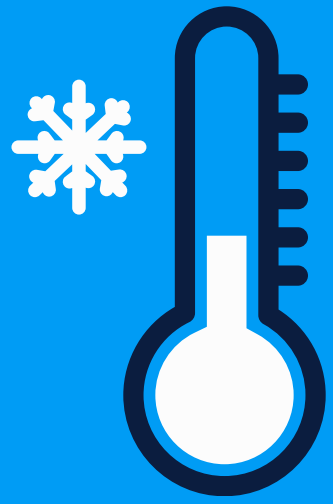
- **For Pizza Wednesdays:** Order must be placed and paid in full the Sunday before that Wednesday.
- **For Hot Lunches:** Orders must be placed and paid in full 9 days prior to the scheduled lunch date as per our vendor requirements. Unpaid orders will be canceled. **Make sure you follow the order all the way to the end to pay!** Munchalunch automatically cancels an order that hasn't been paid within 1 hour.
- Munchalunch charges us a per transaction fee, so if you are able to order and pay for multiple lunches in one transaction you will be saving the PAC transaction fees.
- If your child is absent on the lunch date, you are welcome to come and pick up the order by noon, but the food cannot be kept for the following day.
- Consistent with previous years, there are **NO REFUNDS.**

For any questions or issues ordering, please email
lordbynghotlunch@gmail.com, do not approach admin or staff.

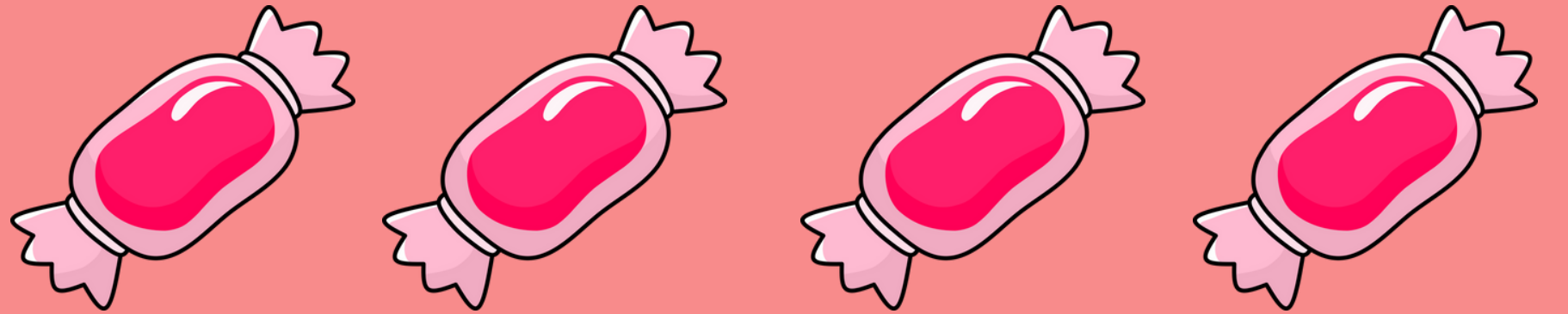
Remember to order Pizza online by Sunday, December 17th

VERY IMPORTANT REMINDER FROM THE OFFICE.....

If your student is absent or late for school Please inform the office directly by calling the early warning line as soon as possible at 604.668.6587.



AS IT THE WEATHER GETS COOLER PLEASE ENSURE THAT STUDENTS ARE DRESSED WARMLY FOR SCHOOL. HATS, GLOVES AND WARM CLOTHES ARE IMPORTANT TO STAY TOASTY OUTSIDE!!!



A little reminder...chewing gum is not permitted in school. Teachers will ask students to spit it out if they have it!

Looking ahead....

December 19th ~ Byng Family Skate Night @ Minoru

December 21st ~ Term 1 Student Reports available online

December 22nd ~ Last day of school before Winter Break

December 25th ~ Christmas Day

December 26th ~ Kwanzaa Begins

January 8th ~ First day back after Winter Break