

WEEK OF GIVING

Monday, December 5th to Friday, December 9th

As a school we are looking to contribute to a variety of charities in the region. We ask that you and your family decide which charities you would like to support and send the appropriate item with your child on the appropriate day. Thank you for helping us meet our goals.



Teddy Bear Drive Monday, December 5th

Please send in new or slightly loved Teddy Bears or stuffed animals. The toys will be donated to the annual Teddy Bear Toss at Kitchener Rangers Game on Wednesday, December 7th. Please visit <http://kitchennerrangers.com/event/teddy-bear-toss-game> for more information.



Turkey Toonies Tuesday, December 6th

We are having our first Turkey Toonie drive. Students are asked to bring in a toonie to support Wilmot Family Resource Centre. WFRC will purchase turkeys to provide to families in our community to cook a warm, festive meal this holiday season.



Spread the Warmth Wednesday, December 7th

Please donate NEW hats, mittens or scarves for all ages. These items will be donated to the Wilmot Family Resource Centre to help keep people warm during the winter months. Visit http://www.wilmotfamilyresourcecentre.ca/index_files/Outreach.htm to find out more information about the organization.



WFRC's Holiday Hamper Drive Thursday, December 8th

We are collecting items for Christmas Hampers for families within the Wilmot Family Resource Centre's community. Our goal is to collect enough items to support at least one sponsored family hamper from each classroom.

Families may send one of the items listed below or you may choose to include additional items if you wish. Hampers contain the following items:

1 box of cereal (1 per every 3 people)
1 box/bag of rice
1 box/bag of pasta
1 bag of potatoes
stuffing mix
hot beverage (tea/coffee/hot chocolate)
___ canned vegetables (2 per person)
___ canned fruit (2 per person)

1 box of crackers (1 per every 5)
___ Kraft dinners (1 per person)
___ pasta sauce/ canned tomatoes (1 per every 2)
2 100% fruit juice
gravy mix or tin of gravy
1 jar of pickles
1 bag of flour
1 cake mix & frosting or festive dessert

1 jam or honey
1 margarine/butter
1 bag of sugar
1 cranberries
1 mayonnaise
1 peanut butter
___ canned meat (eg. Tuna, salmon – 1 per person)

All food items must be in the original container and in good condition. Educational types of toys are good choices and we cannot accept "warfare" toys. Puzzles, games, art and craft supplies and school items are very appropriate. The community is very generous and the volunteers will be adding additional items to your hamper, such as books, hats and mittens, and stuffed animals.

Optional: candies, pop, and produce which stores well, in place of canned fruit and vegetables (e.g.: cabbage, apples, carrots)

Food Drive Friday, December 9th



Please send in a non-perishable food items for the Wilmot Family Resource Centre Food Bank. The items that are most needed right now are: Canned & Powdered Milk, Peanut Butter, Canned Fruit, Fruit Cups & Apple Sauce cups, Spaghetti Sauce/Canned Tomatoes, 100% real Fruit Juice. For more information visit

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