



Mill Bay Nature School Weekly Newsletter

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Winter Solstice Event



MILL BAY NATURE SCHOOL
invites you to celebrate the

WINTER SOLSTICE

Thursday, December 18th

4:30 — 6:00 PM

Mill Bay Nature School

The winter solstice marks the
longest night and the return of the light.

Join us for an evening of warmth,
community, and reflection as we
welcome the season.

A few things to know for the Winter Solstice Gathering:

1. This is not a performance. Students will lead the first to sing-a-long songs and then we will all partake in some familiar festive songs together. We will bring the energy down with a Solstice story and then end our evening with a small lantern walk.
2. We will be sitting on the floor "campfire" style. Please bring blankets for your family to sit on. We will have chairs for people with mobility restrictions to use.
3. Children need to be with you at ALL times. We will have the undercover area set up with sidewalk chalk for children to create with if they need some time to get their energy out before the sing-a-long. Parents if you decide to stay in the gym after you put your blankets down, please ensure your children are with you and not running around the gym.
4. This is a rain or shine event. Most of the event will be inside the gym, however, the hot chocolate and lantern walk will be outside. Please dress accordingly. Hot Chocolate can be enjoyed in the undercover area before coming into the gym. Not beverages, except water are permitted in the gym.
5. PAC is hosting a bake sale. Please bring some money for some tasty treats. Thank you so much to all of our bakers who have generously been baking to donate to this wonderful fundraiser.

Festive Fun Days



We will be having a couple of festive fun days next week!

On Thursday, December 18th: PJ day...bring your coziest sleeping attire

On Friday, December 19th: FESTIVE FRIDAY...Bring your Festive Spirit for our last day of school.
Some festive ideas can be:

- Fun festive hair
- Holiday hats

- Festive sweaters
- PJ's (for the second day in a row)

Lost and Found



We have a lot of winter jackets, hoodies and rain pants in our lost and found. It is currently located on the tables outside the gym.

Important Dates



December 18: Winter Solstice Celebration 4:30-6:00

December 20-January 4: Winter Break

January 5: First day back after winter break

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<https://natureschool.sd79.bc.ca/>

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