



Upcoming Events

**December 9 Primary
Report Writing Day (No
School K-3)**

**December 17 Winter
Concert Div. 1-10 (Once on
a Housetop) 9:30am /
1:00pm**

**December 18 Ugly sweater
day ...and "Santa Claus is
Coming to Town"**

**December 19 PAC
sponsored craft morning**

**December 20 Spirit Cup
Hockey Game (CN center)**

Iceman Training:

Training continues on
Wednesdays afterschool and a
Monday has been added for
runners to train as well! Thanks
Ms. Rekdal for coaching and
Mrs. Buydens and Mrs.
Haseldine for supporting our
runners!

Choir:

Southridge Choir continues to
practice on Wednesdays and
Fridays at lunch. Thanks Mrs
Duerksen for getting us singing!

Drumming and Crafts:

Thanks to Ms. Williams for
getting this organized!

Thank-you all for your positivity
and fun activities around the
school ☺☺

Welcome to December! This month brings with it snow, family, feasts and fun. The whole school has been very busy with the planning and preparing for the Winter Concert and Christmas Families Programs these past few weeks and everyone is looking forward to performing for their families! Reminder that the concert this year is Divisions 1-10 only. We would like to welcome Mrs. Barg to the Southridge family. She joins us in the Library and as a support teacher! We also welcome Ms. Clark to the office team once again. Remember that with the snow finally on the ground to drive safely and give yourselves enough time to get students here on time. Also remind your students that snowballs throwing is a no-no. We wish you all a restful break and wonderful holiday season. Don't forget a hot cup of cocoa when the weather gets cold!

Please continue to check out the calendar on our website, [https://www.sd57.bc.ca/school/srdg/Pages/default.aspx#/="](https://www.sd57.bc.ca/school/srdg/Pages/default.aspx#/=) and keep up to date on events and announcements by liking our page on Facebook <https://facebook.com/SouthridgeElementaryPG/>

Southridge 2019 – 2020 Staff

Kindergarten Teachers: Ms. Stratton & Ms. Fast

Primary Teachers: Ms. Robilliard, Ms. Rekdal, Ms. Patenaude, Ms. MacLeod, Ms. Fillion, Ms. Huber

Intermediate Teachers: Ms. Aalto, Ms. Seiter, Mr. Bellavance, Mr. Hollybow, Mr. O'Driscoll, Mr. Clough, Mr. Reusch, Ms. Fillion, Ms. Huber

Support Teachers: Ms. Doll, Ms. Buydens Ms. Bast, Ms. Haseldine, Mrs. Barg, Ms. Duerkson,

Educational Assistants: Ms. Dubois, Ms. Peterson, Ms. Kozak, Ms. Hoffman, Ms. MacIntyre, Ms. Bourguignon, Ms. Tomm, Ms. Asmussen, Ms. Mantler, Ms. Warren, Mrs. Singh

Ab. Ed. Worker: Ms. Williams

Youth Care Worker: Mrs. McLeod

Senior Secretary: Ms. Dowhy

School Secretary: Ms. Clark

Custodians: Mr. Thomas and Mr. Farrell

Vice Principal: Mr. Lee

Principal: Ms. Johnston



Friendly Reminders:

- 1) Please send the \$10.00 cultural fee with your child to school. This fee helps us to have cultural events, performances and activities throughout the school year.
- 2) Reminder that Spirit Wear should be available for pick up before the winter break – please keep an eye out for communication around this
- 3) Reminder to report all student absences to the office either by phone 250-964-3544 or email to tdowhy@sd57.bc.ca and cclark@sd57.bc.ca
- 4) Please be courteous and follow the direction of our traffic circle supervisors (this is so important with winter just around the corner!)
- 5) Please get your volunteer information into the school if you wish to help out or take part in field trips
- 6) Please remember that there are to be no dogs on school property - please follow the posted signage

SD57 Policies

Please see the following policies for further information about safety and inclusion in our school:

<http://www.sd57.bc.ca/Board/Policies/Policylisting/Documents/6179.pdf>

[http://www.sd57.bc.ca/Board/Policies/Documents/3541.35 Winter Weather.pdf](http://www.sd57.bc.ca/Board/Policies/Documents/3541.35%20Winter%20Weather.pdf)

[http://www.sd57.bc.ca/Board/Policies/Policylisting/Documents/5131 District Code of Student Conduct.pdf](http://www.sd57.bc.ca/Board/Policies/Policylisting/Documents/5131%20District%20Code%20of%20Student%20Conduct.pdf)

[http://www.sd57.bc.ca/Board/Policies/Documents/3542.3 Healthy Food Choices in Schools.pdf](http://www.sd57.bc.ca/Board/Policies/Documents/3542.3%20Healthy%20Food%20Choices%20in%20Schools.pdf)



Thank-you Iceman Team and Coaches for your training and hard work!!



Southridge Elementary School's Bell Schedule 2019/2020



8:10 a.m.	Supervision Begins
8:25 a.m.	Warning Bell
8:27 a.m.	Start Time
10:20 a.m.	Recess
10:35 a.m.	Class Resumes
11:41 p.m.	Lunch Inside
12:00 p.m.	Outside Play
12:27 p.m.	Warning Bell
12:30 p.m.	Class Resumes
2:23 p.m.	Dismissal
2:40 p.m.	Supervision Ends

School District 57 Stories

School District No. 57 is pleased to announce the addition of a new website to our communication platforms. The site, which can be found at **[sd57stories.com](https://www.sd57stories.com/)**, shares stories and information about the great things happening in our schools. Student achievement, educational initiatives, school events, human interest stories and Board of Education news are among the areas of focus. The new website complements the original [sd57.bc.ca](https://www.sd57.bc.ca/) site, which remains a hub for school information, registration forms, policies, procedures and links to specific departments. Please check out **[sd57stories.com](https://www.sd57stories.com/)** for a fresh look at how School District No. 57 is enriching the lives of our students and communities. Keep tuned for a SRDG story that will soon be posted 😊😊
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