



# École Birds Hill School

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## Week at a Glance

Nov 24th-28th

Monday, November 24 <sup>th</sup> - DAY 3	Grade 4 Volleyball Club @ 12:15pm
Tuesday, November 25 <sup>h</sup> - DAY 4	Grade 5 Volleyball Club @ 12:15pm
Wednesday, November 26 <sup>th</sup> - DAY 5	Grade 4 Volleyball Club @ 12:15pm
Thursday, November 27 <sup>th</sup> - DAY 6	Grade 5 Volleyball Club @ 12:15pm
Friday, November 28 <sup>th</sup> - DAY 1	

## Stay on Track

- Please call or email school office with ALL student pick ups by 3:40pm if possible. Our phone number is 204-663-7669 | Email: [bh@retsd.mb.ca](mailto:bh@retsd.mb.ca)
- All visitors MUST report to the office, prior to checking in with students or staff
- Please have students leave all toys/personal items at home.
- Please send cutlery with students in their lunches.
- With temperature changes & rain, our fields can get very wet. Please send an extra set of clothes in your students backpack
- Staff arrive at various hours in the morning. Please do not park in the staff parking lot when dropping off for school.
- Students CANNOT be dropped off prior to 9:10am as that is when our supervisors arrive
- We are a completely nut free facility. Please be mindful not to pack any products with nuts in student lunches
- Students DO NOT have access to microwave. Please pack lunches accordingly.
- Reminder, as **head lice** can occur throughout the year, we encourage you to check your child's head regularly. If you should discover your child has head lice, click here for a [Head Lice Fact Sheet](#) from the Manitoba Health website. It provides information about head lice, how to detect it, and how it can be treated.

# Important Dates

**Wednesday, December 10th**  
**Grade 4 & 5 Volleyball Tournament**  
w/ Dr. Hamilton @ ÉBHS

**Friday, December 19th**  
**Early Dismissal @ 2:55pm**

**Monday, December 22nd-  
Friday, January 2nd**  
**Winter Break**

**Monday - January 19th**  
**Lunch Program Meeting**  
6:00pm - 6:30pm in ÉBHS Library  
**PAC Meeting**  
6:30pm - 7:30pm in ÉBHS Library



## Important Links

[PowerSchool Parent Portal](#)  
[RETSD PowerSchool Guide](#)  
[Parent Portal for Guardians](#)

## School Calendars

[2025-2026 Divisional Calendar](#)  
[Kindergarten Even-Day \(Caterpillars\)](#)  
[Kindergarten Odd-Day \(Ladybugs\)](#)



## École Birds Hill School Lunch Program - Committee

The École Bird's Hill School Lunch Program (ÉBHSLP) provides a safe and positive environment for students over the lunch break, where parents and guardians may choose to have their children supervised. We are currently looking for Full-Time Lunch Supervisors who are available Monday to Friday. We need caring and reliable individuals to supervise students during lunch—both outdoors and while they're eating in their classrooms.

**Hours: 12:05 p.m. – 1:20 p.m. Wage: \$19.75 per shift**

Successful applicants will need to complete a Child Abuse Check and a Vulnerable Sector Check. The ÉBHSLP Committee is also looking for parent/guardian volunteers to help oversee the business side of the program. If you're interested in applying or learning more, please email [bhslunchprogram@outlook.com](mailto:bhslunchprogram@outlook.com).

**The next committee meeting will be held on January 19th at 6:00 p.m. in the school library.**

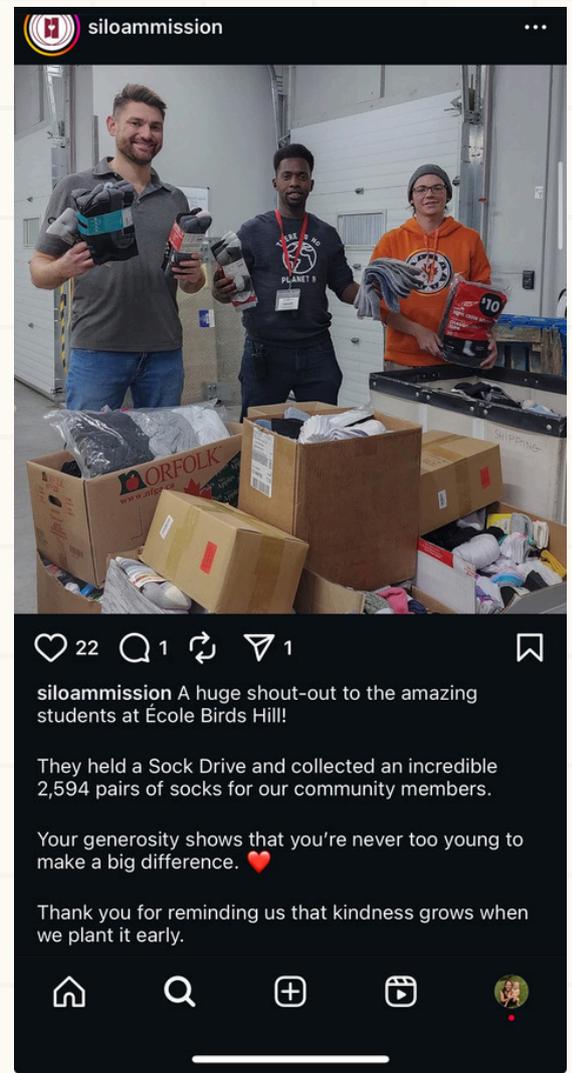
## NEWS FROM YOUR PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (PAC)

**NEXT MEETING: Monday, January 19th**  
**6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. IN THE ÉBHS Library.**

Our PAC plays a big role in supporting the ÉBHS community! We help plan and/or fund school events like Hot Lunches, special holiday celebrations, and the Grade 5 Farewell. We also host staff appreciation events, purchase much-needed classroom equipment, and support playground improvements. Plus, during meetings, Mme. Cockriell shares the ÉBHS Principal Report so everyone can stay in the loop. **Can't make it to meetings but still want to be involved?** We'd love your help! Our Lunch Program and Playground Committees are looking for new members, and we're always happy to have volunteers for school activities and fundraisers.

# Thank you from Siloam Mission!

One last big thank-you to everyone who participated – your generosity truly made a difference for our community. We're thrilled to share that Siloam Mission gave us an awesome shout-out on their social media, recognizing all the kindness shown by our school. Check out their post!



## RETLife Winter 2026 - Open for Registration!

We're excited to share that RETLife has officially launched its full 2026 Winter Programming Schedule, and registration is now open!

There are more than 80 programs to choose from this season – including sports, science and technology, cooking, art, and so much more. There truly is something for every age and interest, and the best part is that all programs are offered close to home!

If you're still looking for activities sooner, there are also spots remaining in the last of the Fall programs, including a few fun winter-holiday themed options. It's a great chance to squeeze in one more activity before the year wraps up.

Take a peek at everything available by clicking [HERE](#). Browse the full list of programs and register early – popular classes fill up quickly!

