

*School starts @ 8:50am  
School ends @ 3:10pm*

**Principal**  
David Van Laecke

**Vice-Principal**  
Tatum Shantz

**School Secretaries**  
Nancy Wallace  
Charlotte Ratch

### Lakewood Upcoming Events:

**Friday Dec 3-** International Day of Persons with Disabilities

**Monday Dec 10-** 6 pm Parent Council meeting

**Monday Dec 13** – Holiday Head Gear

**Tuesday Dec 14** – Ugly Sweater Day

**Wednesday Dec 15** – Christmas Formal Day

**Thursday Dec 16** – Red, Green, White Day

**Friday Dec 17** – PJ Day, Last day before our Winter Holiday

**Monday Jan 3-** First Day back to School



Learn

Lead

Inspire

### December 2021

## Lakewood INCLUSIVITY CLUB is spreading an abundance of holiday cheer...

On November 8<sup>th</sup> Lakewood Elementary Student Inclusivity Club Founders were invited to GEDSB Executive Council meeting via TEAMS to share their success in providing voices for our school community. The Inclusivity Club has focused on Every Child Matters, Remembrance, and Respect for All. Our board's Executive Council was very impressed with the efforts our students have been making to Lead, Learn and Inspire since the beginning of the year. Each month the Club will determine a topic that is relevant to our community.

In December, the club's focus will be giving back to the community and providing for those in need for the holiday season. **THE 10 DAYS OF GIVING** is a student lead and driven food drive providing non-perishable food items to our local food bank. The club will be collecting food items from students who are encouraged to bring in a food item to help support families in our community. The food drive will run from Dec. 1-14. If you would like to contribute, please send a non-perishable food item with your child to school and the club will collect the items from each class. Unbelievable support has already poured in from our community and the Inclusivity Club could not be happier. They thank everyone for their donations and compassion for our Norfolk families in need.

As we get closer to our winter holiday, we would like to send you all warm wishes and a happy holiday break with your family and friends. Be safe, be kind and be grateful.

### Lakewood Parent Council

Join our virtual meeting on December 6<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm  
All parents are encouraged to participate!

[www.zoom.us](https://www.zoom.us) Meeting ID: 818 2303 1270 Passcode: CWm5jW

Character Focus for December is Compassion.