



Weekly Message from
North Canaan Elementary School
November 8, 2024

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Upcoming events:

- **November 11** No School, Veterans Day Observed
- **November 12** Board of Education meeting, NCES library
- **November 13** Fall Picture RETAKE Day
- **November 15** PTO Paint and Popcorn
- **November 20** PTO Pie Order Pick Up, 3:15pm-5pm
- **November 26** Thankful for Veterans Assembly
- **November 27-29** No School, Thanksgiving Recess
- **December 3** National Iron Bank, Student Banking Day
- **December 4** [PTO Meeting](#) (at school or [virtual](#))

National Iron Bank - Student Banking Day: National Iron Bank is working with North Canaan Elementary School to start a student savings program. This program would give your child the opportunity to make a deposit into their savings account monthly, right at the school. A member of National Iron Bank will come to the school the first Tuesday of each month to collect their deposit and provide a receipt monthly. Students who participate in banking will receive an ice cream from the PTO.

Children's Flu and Vaccine Day: Community Health and Wellness is hosting flu and vaccine day on Monday, November 11th. Please click the link for more information and to schedule an appointment.

REMINDER: Lifetouch Fall Picture RETAKE Day is Wednesday, November 13th.

PTO Paint and Popcorn: The PTO is hosting a painting party for students on Friday, November 15th after school. Students will paint the fox featured in the attached poster. For your child to participate, please click [here](#) to complete the sign up, and then send \$10.00 in with your child no later than Tuesday, November 12: cash or check payable to NCES PTO. The event will be held in the cafeteria after school. Pick up will be 4:30 pm. Students will receive free popcorn and water as a snack.

Bingo For Education: Friday, November 15th at 7pm at Lee H. Kellogg School. Please click the link for more information.

[Oliver Wolcott Technical High School](#): Are you interested in learning more about the programs at Oliver Wolcott Technical High School? Plan to attend their Open House scheduled for Tuesday, November 19th, from 5-7 pm.

[Regional Park & Rec Basketball](#): Registration is now open to students Grades K - 6. Registration closes November 22nd. Please click the link for more information and to register.

[2024 Holiday Gift Request Form](#): It is already time to start thinking about holiday gifts. If you would like to participate in North Canaan's Holiday Gift Program, please print and complete the application. Contact the office if you would like us to send a form home with your child.

Thankful for Veterans Assembly: On Tuesday, November 26th we will host our annual Thankful for Veterans Assembly. The program will start at 9:00 am in the school's gymnasium. Our second graders will be presenting and all other students will attend. We would like to invite veterans you may know to attend as our honored guests. If you have a family member or friend who is a veteran and would like to be an honored guest, please invite this special veteran to attend. Then, please fill out [this form](#) and send it to school by Friday, November 15th. If you have any questions, please contact Denise Sorrell (dsorrell@nceschool.org) or Dena Noubleau (dnoubleau@nceschool.org).

[Thanksgiving Day Community Dinner](#): On November 28th from 12 pm to 2pm at the Pilgrim House. Please click the link for more information.

[Boxtops for Education](#): Click the link for more information on how to earn free money for our school.

Enjoy the long weekend,
Mrs. Johnson
NCES Principal