



# St. Elias Community School

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## Screenagers Documentary:

SECS, School Council and Dulac Mining are hosting a community viewing of the Screenagers Documentary at **6:30pm on Tuesday February 18, 2020** at the Convention Ctr. This is an award winning film that offers solutions to families struggling to balance academics with the digital world of social media and video games. The film will be followed by a community discussion. Doors open at 6:00pm. Snacks will be provided, everyone is welcome. We hope to see you there!

## St. Elias School Cross Country Ski Club:

Ski Club is back for the 2020 season for all students Gr.1 and up. We will be skiing on the school field, Pine Lake and at the Community Forestry Ski Trails **on Wednesdays, from 3:15 – 4:45.** Parents/guardians are welcome to join us!

The SECS Activity Bus will provide transportation to the surrounding ski trails, as well as staff vehicles when necessary. We will leave the school at 3:30 and return by 4:45 p.m. Snacks will be provided. If the temperature is -20 C or below we will remain at the school for indoor ski related activities. If it's below -25, the event will be cancelled. Please feel free to contact Ms. Cheetham, Ms. Cooper, Ms. Burton, Ms. Buck or Mr. Allaway at the school if you have any questions.

Ski equipment is also available to the public for the ski season. Please contact Mr. Samis at the school if you are interested in borrowing equipment.

## “No School” Days in February:

St. Elias Staff will be participating in a **Professional Development Day on Thursday February 20, 2020.** There are no classes this day.

**Friday February 21, 2020 is Heritage Day.** There are no classes this day. Enjoy the long weekend everyone!

## Upcoming Events:

- Feb. 18 Screenagers Documentary – community viewing, 6:30pm at the Convention Ctr.
- Feb. 19 Gr. 4/5 Science Fair. 1:30 – 3:00pm.
- Feb. 20 Teacher Professional Development Day, no classes this day.
- Feb. 21 Heritage Day holiday.
- Feb. 29 Yukon Stikine Regional Science Fair.
- Mar. 2-6 SECS Book Fair.
- Mar. 6 Elementary Schools Hand Games Tournament hosted by SECS.

Welcome to our newest student, Lalela in Gr. 6, and to our returning students Jacob and Isaac in Gr.9 and Callum in Gr. 11!

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### Gr. 4/5 Science Fair:


Ms. Burton and the Gr. 4/5 class are very busily working on their projects for this years Science Fair. Join us for this exciting annual event on **Wednesday February 19, 2020 from 1:30 to 3:00pm** in the school gym. You will have a chance to see what students have been learning in science and how they apply their learning to everyday life. The top 6 scoring projects of the SECS Science Fair will be going to the Yukon Stikine Regional Science Fair in Whitehorse on February 29<sup>th</sup>.

### Scholastic Book Fair:

St. Elias School will be holding a Scholastic Canada Book Fair in the school library the week of **Mar. 4-6, 2020, during the noon hour and from 3:15 – 4:30pm**. On Saturday Mar. 7<sup>th</sup> we will be open 12:00pm – 3:00pm. We invite you to come and check out the great selection of books for all ages, from picture books to young adult books. A percentage of sales will go towards buying books for our school library.

### Hand Games Tournament:

SECS and CAFN are hosting an Elementary Schools Hand Games Tournament at our school on Friday Mar. 6, 2020. The tournament is from 10:00am – 3:00pm in the school gym. Gr. 4-7 teams from Whitehorse will be here to participate in the Hand Games tournament. Good luck to everyone!

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