



# DeWitt Carter Public School

## Dragon's Digest

### December 2022



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## DeWitt Carter Public School Mission Statement

*"Our mission is to support student learning in a safe environment where all students are motivated to learn and are willing to take risks so they can become positive contributors to our society."*

### A Message from Mrs. Beck

We have had such a busy November, filled with focused learning and fun activities. Our volleyball teams showed what teamwork is all about and I am excited to watch our Triple Ball teams in action this coming month! Our Remembrance Day assembly continues to make me reflect - thank you for the hard work, thoughtfulness and talent from staff and students that went into making such a memorable experience. Our parent council has filled our halls with the smell of popcorn, Smores and hot chocolate. What a treat to have these special days that also work as fundraisers. Thanks to the parent council's hard work, our students will benefit from a lower price off our special movie day coming up - thank you parent council!

November, unfortunately, has shown us how quickly germs can spread. We have had a lot of sickness in our school (that's an understatement!). This is resulting in some careful planning for December - we are limiting our events and visitors in the school. Please know that we are still planning some fun ways to celebrate the holidays, but we have had to change our plans to ensure we try to keep everyone as healthy as possible before the break.

Congratulations to Macy Melinko who won First place within our school for the Lions Club Peace Poster Contest. Macy moved on to the District Contest where she won Third place. Congratulations Macy!!

Congratulations to Zoe Reber for winning first place in the City of Port Colborne's Christmas Card Contest. Zoe has been invited to participate in the Port Colborne Santa Claus Parade and will be honoured at a City Hall Council Meeting. Congratulations Zoe!!

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### Student of the Month

The following students will receive recognition at our assembly which will be held on Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup>. These students will be recognized for their hard work, class participation, school spirit and/or demonstrating our monthly character trait- "Integrity".

### Scholastic Book Fair

Our DeWitt Carter Scholastic Book Fair will be running from Tuesday, November 29<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>.

Parents are allowed to come and shop on Wednesday, November 30<sup>th</sup> from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and on Friday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Students will be allowed to shop at the Book Fair during the First and Second Nutrition Breaks.

This is a perfect opportunity to get some of your Holiday shopping done and support the DeWitt Carter School Library.

**Stay Tuned:** Our Parent Council is planning a Chocolate Bar Bingo for some time in the New Year and there will be a School Performance in February 2023!

	Character "Integrity"	Literacy	Numeracy
Mrs. Laur	Bishop Groom	Alyssah Bowx	Riley Beroud-Carpenter
Mrs. Churchill	Felicity Brady	Alexander Darby	Revata Katugampola
Mrs. Cooper	Benjamin Nimmo	Benjamin Taylor	Owen Bath
Mrs. Lubeck	Ivy Zarb	Emilia High	Micah Mansury
Mrs. Boyer	Larkyn Haywood	Collin Lofquist	Aubrey Carpenter
Ms. Marling	Aquinnah Stewart	Lillyanna Guidi	Nevada Jolivet
Mr. de Waard	Mila Nimmo	Aiden Lee	Sage Zarb
Mr. Turonski	Kylee Pellow	Sophie Taylor	Aiden Martin
Mr. Fraipont	Trenton Jacques	Madelyn Goulding	Lolla Holmes
Ms. Minor	Isabella Roy	Colin Rogers	Taylor Lee
Office	Ella Wotherspoon		
French	Devilyn Adams-Swain, Shyla Warner, Sophie Taylor, Trenton Jacques, Isabella Roy		

