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# DECEMBER 2016 NEWSLETTER

## Information for Parents and Guardians NSTU Job Action

The Nova Scotia Teachers Union will begin the work-to-rule strike action on Monday, December 5th at all schools in Nova Scotia.


The NSTU has described the work-to-rule in this way: Teachers will continue to carry out their instructional duties in classrooms, but will not support any extracurricular activities like concerts, coaching teams or supervising clubs; field trips will not go ahead. The NSTU has indicated that teachers will arrive 20 minutes before school and leave 20 minutes after, as stipulated in the Teachers Provincial Agreement.

More details about the impact of a work-to-rule job action on AVRSB students and schools will be available in the coming days. Please continue to monitor [www.avrsb.ca](http://www.avrsb.ca) and @avrsb on Twitter for further updates.



## Important Dates to Remember


Dec 21	Last day of classes ~ Christmas break
Jan 3	First day back after Christmas break



### SCHOOL CANCELLATION DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER

Listen to the School Info Pack on K-Rock, Magic 94.9 or AVR...

...if Kings County Schools are cancelled, we are closed



## "SCENT-FREE" PLEASE



**Absolutely NO perfume, cologne, scented spray, or other scented products!**

Students wearing scented products to school **MAY BE SENT HOME**. These products cause breathing difficulties for several people at our school!!



## ABSENT FROM SCHOOL? TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**Students / guardians MUST contact the taxi company if they will not be using the taxi on a given day.**

→ M & G Taxi: 691-2500

Please call at least a half hour before your scheduled taxi pick-up time.



A birthday wish goes out this month to:

*Student: Oliver ~ Dec 8*



**WANNA SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING @ HEC??**  
Check out our website at:  
[www.hec.ednet.ns.ca](http://www.hec.ednet.ns.ca)

*Merry  
Christmas*