

## November/December News

As I prepare this newsletter, I cannot believe I am talking about the holidays. The year has flown by thus far. We have eleven weeks of school completed. This time of year is busy for everyone, but take the time to enjoy the change in season, family, friends, and all the blessings we have been given.

**No School:** No School on Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>-Election Day, Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup>-Parent Teacher Conferences, and Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup>-Veteran's Day.

No School on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, and 25<sup>th</sup> respectively, to celebrate Thanksgiving. Happy Thanksgiving!

**Early Dismissal:** Students are dismissed at 1:50 p.m. on Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>-Parent Teacher Conferences.

Students are on early dismissal at 11:20 a.m. on Wednesday, November 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Parent/Teacher Conferences:** Parent/Teacher Conferences are Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. Please make sure you have scheduled a time with your student's teacher.

**Santa Shop:** Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Quigley, and PTO will sponsor Santa's Shop for the students on December 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>. Students have a chance to purchase gifts for their family at Santa's Shop.

**Holiday Programs:** Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup>, second and third grades will present their Holiday programs to the community. The programs will take place in the WMS gym. All attendees will enter through the AP room door (door F) and must exit immediately following the program. Parents that have a second and third grade student will have to leave between programs.

Second grade @ 5:30 p.m. "An Old Fashioned Christmas": Students need to wear red and green. No jeans please!

Third grade @ 6:30 p.m. "The Littlest Reindeer": Students need to wear red and green. Students with elf parts-red and green. Students with reindeer parts-brown.

**Holiday Dress Up:** Students and staff will have dress up days for the Christmas Holiday-

Wednesday, 12-14: Ugly sweater-Get out those ugly sweaters!

Thursday, 12-15: Santa takes a Tropical Vacation-Wear tropical vacation wear

Friday, 12-16: Mad About Plaid-Wear Plaid/flannel

Monday-12-19: Merry, Merry, Monday-Pajamas (No slippers)

Tuesday, 12-20: Baby It's Cold Outside-Dress Like a Snowman

Wednesday, 12-21: Santa's Helpers-Wear red and a Santa hat

**Christmas Parties:** Classroom Holiday parties will be celebrated Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup> from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.

**Early Dismissal:** Students will be dismissed on Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup> @ 1:50 p.m.

**Winter Break:** Staff and students are on Winter Break beginning Wednesday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> through January 9<sup>th</sup>. Classes resume on Tuesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>.