

The Honor Roll School
Early Childhood Express
December 2015

Happy
Holidays!



"A New Year is on the way and the possibilities are endless." - Unknown



December 2, 2015

Dear Parents,

December magic is all around us with it's traditions, customs and celebrations. In the next three weeks our students will experience the spirit of the season through many holiday projects celebrating Winter Holidays Around the World. They will collaborate and partner with another class to maximize the learning process.

Our TK Winter Concert will be held on **Monday, December 7 @ 6:00 p.m, in the Gym**. All students must report to their classrooms by 5:30 p.m.

Pre-K and Toddler students are busy practicing their songs for their concert, "A Winter Wonderland". Please talk to your child's teacher regarding costumes and props. The ECP concert will be held on **December 17 @ 6:00 p.m. in the Gym**. All students must be in their classrooms by 5:30 p.m.

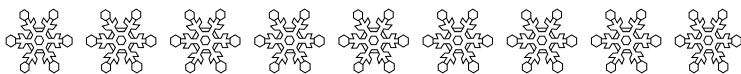
Thank you parents for your great response to "Stuff the Bus" with canned food items for the Houston Food Bank. Please read Ms. Baldwin's letter on the other side of this newsletter regarding community service projects for December.

All classes will celebrate winter with a pajama party and book exchange where each child will give a new wrapped book, \$10.00 and under to a friend. Your child's teacher will inform you of the day and time for the event.

On behalf of all of us at ECP, I wish you a joyous holiday season, rich with blessings. May the New Year bring peace, good health and happiness to you and your family.

Warm regards,
Joy Dasgupta

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Early Childhood Principal



Dates to Remember

December

- Dec. 4 Santa Pictures
- Dec. 4 Toddler 1 Bake Sale
- Dec. 7 TK Winter Concert @ 6:00 p.m. in the Gym
- Dec. 11 PreK-1 Bake Sale
- Dec. 17 Toddler/ Pre-K Winter Concert @ 6:00 in the gym
- Dec. 18 Last day of school- 1/2 day for TK-8th - Regular hours for Toddler & Pre-K
- Dec. 21-Jan. 3 Winter Holiday—CAMPUS CLOSED

January

- Jan. 4 1st day back to school for ECP
- Jan. 4 Holiday care available for K-8th
- Jan. 5 1st day back for ES/MS
- Jan. 15 PreK-3 Bake Sale
- Jan. 18 MLK Day - CAMPUS CLOSED
- Jan. 28 Open House -9:00—11a.m. and 5—7 p.m.
- Jan. 29 PreK-2 Bake Sale

Thank You

Thank you Megan Malone, Deborah Clark, Janet Nuckles, Sisin Chang, Faran Momin, Li Qiao, Sara Shekari, Shuchi Gupta and Yan Huang for your tremendous help with making our TK-1 bake sale an awesome success!!!

TK-6 would like to thank all TK-6 parents for the donations to our bake sale. A big thank you to the parents who worked the bake sale. You all made it a great success!!! Thank you, Esther Tchokokam, Gracia Dharia, Akemi Indo, Jessica Baker, Shweta Bhat, Satish Natesan, Ravi Guddeti, Elsa Miao, Ruby Cherian, Ruaju Cherian, Biby Parayll, Mehul & Aditi Tamboli, Inosha Rathnasekara, Anita Yau and Marlene and Sami Dharia.

THRS Second Grade Spreading Season's Greetings!

The Second Grade Community Service Project for December will focus on spreading good cheer throughout our community.

Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Burke and Mrs. Honeycutt's classes will participate in a seasonal concert at several nursing homes in the Sugar Land area.

In addition, they will coordinate a school-wide campaign focused on spreading good tidings to the Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center in Houston. Students from all grades will create seasonal cards for patients and residents at the VA hospital. The Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center serves as the primary health care provider for almost 130,000 veterans in southeast Texas. Veterans from around the country are referred to the MEDVAMC for specialized diagnostic care, radiation therapy, surgery, and medical treatment including cardiovascular surgery, gastrointestinal endoscopy, nuclear medicine, ophthalmology, and treatment of spinal cord injury and diseases.

From December 2 - 11th, we are also collecting the following donations for the VA Center:

Entertainment

- Puzzles (New & Under 500 pieces)
DVD's
New and Gently used Board Games
New and Gently used Wii or Playstation 3 games
New and Gently used handheld games and batteries
Hardcover or paperback books
Playing Cards
Crossword Puzzle Books
Magazines

Toiletries

- Toothpaste/ Toothbrushes
Shampoo/ Conditioner
Powder
Deodorant (Spray/Aerosol)
Body Spray
Shaving Cream
Lotion
Combs / Brushes
Liquid Body Wash

Clothing

- Sweatshirts/Sweatpants (elastic or drawstring waist) - all sizes
Socks
Undergarments (in unopened packages)
Caps/Hats

Miscellaneous

- Afghans
Lap robes
baby pacifiers
Baby Bottles
Baby Wipes/ Powder
Baby Diapers (all sizes)