

6th Grade Weekly News

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From the Desk of Mrs. Naas:

I'm starting to feel the Christmas excitement with all the fun things coming up! It truly is the most wonderful time of the year!

SMS won "Best Music" in the Christmas parade on Saturday. If you see Marcerie Hocking be sure to thank her for all of her organization, time and energy into creating an adorable *Whoville* float! And a BIG Cindy-Lou Who thanks to Amelia for walking our school banner with the float!

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Waterbury and Mr. Wallace got a PIE in the face for having the most items donated for Student Council's Bingo Donation Drive for Oakview Nursing Home. We will deliver those prizes and play Bingo with the residents Tuesday afternoon, December 20. Thanks for sending in donations! Hats off to our 6th grade Student Council members, Jack, Lucy & Amelia for all their help in counting and organizing the items.

Tomorrow night is **Christmas Movie Night!** Be sure to join us at 6:00pm in the school gym for the movie, *Elf*. Wear your jammies, bring a blanket/chair and your Christmas spirit. Popcorn, candy, & hot chocolate will be available for purchase.

Upcoming Events:

Middle School Christmas Mystery Lunch-Mrs. Pyatt has so graciously volunteered to host a Mystery Lunch at the Elks on Tuesday, December 20. We will head to the Elks mid morning after Mass and the Christmas Program rehearsal. Students are encouraged to wear an ugly Christmas sweater for the festivities. Be on the lookout for ways you may be able to help--food, drinks, paper goods, an extra set of hands, etc.

Christmas Movie Field Trip-On Wednesday, December 21, Kindergarten-8th grade are going to Princeton Showplace Cinema to watch a Christmas movie. We will return back to SMS for lunch and dismissal at 1:00. If you haven't already, please sign and return the permission slip Monday. Thanks AGAIN to the Rockets Foundation for purchasing our movie tickets and popcorn pack-We appreciate you!

The Week Ahead

Religion: Advent

Science: Christmas Science

Math: Test Tuesday

Social Studies: Topic 2-3, Assyrian & Persian Empires

ELA: Percy Jackson, Cause/Effect essay due Friday, Dec. 16

Secret Santa

6th grade has decided that they would like to do a Secret Santa gift exchange this year. They have been given a "Favorites" inventory so the Secret Santa has a few ideas. We drew names on Wednesday, so everyone has classmate to shop for :-)) We will exchange gifts on Monday, 12/19 during our class Christmas party. \$10-\$15 is our price range.

Mark Your Calendar:

Dec 9-Christmas Movie Night-gym-6pm

Dec 19-6th grade class party (Secret Santa)

Dec 20-Program Rehearsal, 8:45am.(after Mass)

-Middle School Christmas Mystery Lunch/Party.

-Deliver BINGO donations and play-1pm

-SMS Christmas Program @ church-6pm

Dec 21-Christmas Movie Field trip, Princeton

-End of 2nd Quarter

Dec 21-Jan 3-Christmas Break, no school