6th Grade Weekly News

December 6, 2024 Mrs. Kalie Naas--<u>knaas@smsrockets.net</u>--812-431-0831

From the Desk of Mrs. Naas:

December? How can it be? I hope you all enjoyed your Thanksgiving Break and are rested and rejuvenated for this season of Advent and Christmas. In our virtue circle this month, we will be "unwrapping" the names of Jesus as we await his birth– Emmanuel, Wonderful Counselor, Prince of Peace, The Great Vine, along with so many more!

Christmas Float- SMS will have a float in the Christmas Parade TOMORROW, December 7. We are looking for riders and walkers. Contact Marcerie Hocking with any questions!

Family Christmas Movie Night-Mark your calendars for <u>NEXT FRIDAY, December 13</u> at 6:00 p.m. Student council will be projecting the movie, The Polar Express, in the school gym. Snacks and drinks will be available for purchase. Wear your pj's and bring your blankets, chairs, & Christmas spirit!

Middle School Christmas Mystery Lunch-On December 19, we will be having a 6th-8th luncheon catered by Rosati's and the students will participate in a CLUE-type game. It's been a fun tradition that we hope to continue! Becky Pyatt usually organizes this, but she is caring for her critically ill father in Alabama–please join us in praying for the Pyatts. We are asking that each student bring in \$10 to put toward a catered lunch. Please send in by Monday, December 16.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Religion: Advent study & Weekly Reflection on Google Classroom Science:Earth's Spheres Math: Add, Subtract, Multiply & Divide Decimals Social Studies: Topic 2-3 The Assyrian & Persian Empires ELA:Percy Jackson; Cause/Effect Essay will be due Friday

Secret Santa

6th grade has decided that they would like to do a Secret Santa gift exchange this year. They filled out a "Favorites" inventory so the Secret Santa has a few ideas. They drew names today and will exchange gifts the week of December 16. (I'll have the exact day closer to time) \$10-\$15 is our price range.

Mark your calendar

Dec 15-SMS Family Movie Night, 6pm-school gym

Dec 18- Christmas Program at 6:00pm, be at church at 5:30

Dec 19-School field trip to see Moana 2 @9am + PJ's

Dec 20-Christmas Break Begins-dismiss at 1p.m. -End of 2nd Quarter

Jan 6-Classes resume

Jan 20-MLK Day-No School