

District 12 Newsletter

December 7, 2018

Happy Holidays from the Board of Education, Faculty, and Staff at District 12! We hope all students have a relaxing, well deserved, break over the holiday season.

Christmas Break: School will dismiss at 1:30 PM on Friday, December 21st. There will be no school Monday, December 24th – Thursday, January 3rd. There is a Teacher Institute on Thursday, January 3rd, and school will resume for students on Friday, January 4th.

Lost and Found Items: All items in the lost and found are donated over Christmas Break. If anyone believes an item in the lost and found belongs to you, please make sure to take a look before Christmas Break.

End of the 2nd Quarter: The second quarter ends on Friday, December 21st. Report Cards will be sent home with students on Friday, January 4th.

Chess Club News: Chess Club is meeting on Wednesday afternoons from 2:45 PM – 4:00 PM. If you have not signed up, please stop by Mr. Jackson's room to join.

Christmas Concerts: Great job on the Christmas Concerts to all those that participated! The 5th – 8th grade Chorus and Band and our Kindergarten – 2nd grade students put on excellent shows!

Candy Cane Grams: Wish your friends a happy holiday and help out your Bobcat Music Country! Your candy cane will be delivered by a special person before we dismiss for Christmas Break. Wish those special someone's (only K – 8 students and staff) in District 12 Happy Holidays! The cost of the Candy Cane Gram is \$1.00 and Candy Cane Gram forms are available at both campuses.

Congratulations to D12 Student: Huge congratulations go out to Hunter Wittenborn for having his piano composition win FIRST PLACE overall in the state of Illinois! Hunter was entered in the Illinois Music Education Association 2018 – 2019 Student Composition Contest. He placed first in the Middle School division for his Instrumental Solo Titled "Sweet Dreams". He will be honored at an awards ceremony on January 26th in Peoria.

Student Council News: The BCMW Toy and Food Drive has been extended to December 14th. Please continue to donate food, new coats, and toys. The Student Council will be awarded prizes to the homeroom with the most donations.

More Student Council News: Student Council will be hosting different event days the last week before Christmas Break:

Monday, Dec. 17th: Christmas Accessory Day – headpiece, light up/bulb necklace, festive tie, jewelry, etc.

Tuesday, Dec. 18th: Christmas Sweater Day

Wednesday, Dec 19th: Christmas Sock Day

Thursday, Dec. 20th: Christmas Pajama Day

Friday, Dec. 21st: Talent Show

Congratulations to November's Students of the Month:

Harper Benhoff (Kindergarten); Tessa Poole (1st Grade); Grant Hilmes (2nd Grade); Hunter Atnip (3rd Grade); Juan Carlos Jimenez-Rojas (4th Grade); David Schlautmann (5th Grade); Brielle Graber (6th Grade); Susan Flores (7th Grade); Raylynn Sander (8th Grade)

Events from the Calendar:

Please visit the District 12 website to view the Events from the Calendar.