

Primary School News Update

Recycling Update From Paper Retriever

It's the holiday season and that means wrapping paper. If your paper is made of paper it is fine to put in the bin, but wrapping paper these days is often made from more than paper with glitter, metallic, or plastic coatings and those materials we cannot recycle. Please bring your catalogs, magazines and newspapers and deposit them conveniently into the big green and yellow bins in our parking lot. We do receive monetary rewards for our recycling efforts. Thanks for helping our environment.

"Caring" Food Drive Update

This month our character trait is "caring". Daily students are learning and discussing what it means to be caring person. The students are proud that collectively they have brought in 350+ items already for our food drive that extends until December 16th.

Help Wanted

We are looking for substitute lunch/recess/bus monitors on an as needed basis. For information please contact the Primary office for more information at 847-740-5320.

Polar Express Day

Students will experience Polar Express Day on Monday, December 19 for first grade and Tuesday, December 20, for Early Childhood and Kindergarten. Students will participate in grade level activities related to the story and watch the movie. Students are welcome to wear their pajamas on those respective days.

Yearbooks

The deadline to order the 2011- 2012 Big Hollow Primary/Elementary School yearbook is Friday, December 16, 2011. Please send a check for \$20 written to Big Hollow with your child's name, teacher name and "yearbook" written on the outside of the envelope.

Toys for Tots Program

The 2011 U.S. Marine Corps League is asking for your support in the Toys for Tots program. Collection boxes for new toys will be located outside the Big Hollow School office until December 16.

Important Dates

- 12/10- Holiday Breakfast 8 - 11 a.m.
Craft Fair 9 a.m.-2 p.m. @ Middle School Pajama Drive concludes
- 12/16- Toys for Tots concludes 9 a.m.
ECH Family Engagement Day 9:30-11:00 a.m. @ Primary
Yearbook order deadline
- 12/19 1st grade Polar Express Day- wear pajamas
- 12/20 ECH and Kindy Polar Express Day- wear pajamas
Early Dismissal ECH @2:15 p.m.
Early Dismissal K-4 @ 2:45 p.m.
- 12/21- Winter Break- No School
- 1/4- School Resumes
- 1/6- Spirit/Popcorn Day Bring 25 cents for popcorn
- 1/7- PTO Scrapbook Event
10 a.m. - 10 p.m.@ Middle
- 1/9- PTO Meeting 4 p.m. @ Primary
- 1/16- Martin Luther King Jr. Day- No School

