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PRINCIPAL'S COMMUNICATION



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Dear Parents & Families:

I hope everyone had an enjoyable Thanksgiving with family and friends. These next weeks leading up to the holiday break are filled with excitement and keeping students focused on learning becomes more challenging the closer we get to vacation. Try to keep a normal bedtime routine at home to help keep children focused on learning until vacation time arrives. PM kindergarten parents check your mail for the letter informing you that Dec. 5th marks the change over for early release days. This means for the remaining early release days, PM students will attend kindergarten in the morning and AM students will not attend on early release days. This is to equalize the number of days for AM and PM sessions.

SANTA'S BREAKFAST: Join the fun at the Rose L. MacDonald School on Saturday, December 1, 2007 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The PTO invited Santa Claus to RLM and he once again accepted. He enjoys visiting and chatting with the children. Stop by for pictures with Santa. The PTO will also have available donuts, juice and coffee for a nominal fee. PTO will have a raffle table along with an arts and crafts table for the children. Prices are as follows:
 *Pictures \$4 *Crafts \$1 *Decorate a cookie \$2 *Raffle \$1.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION UP-DATE:

We are at that time of year where we need to check our emergency information for all students. If you have had a change in phone number, cell phone or address, please be sure that Mrs. Linda Wohlen (secretary in the Superintendent's Office) has your new up dated information.

SANTA'S ELF SHOPPE:

Once again the WBPTO will be holding their annual Santa's Elf Shoppe December 3rd 4th and 5th. Below is the schedule for each class. Parents can come in to help their child shop. Contact the WBPTO or Mrs. Vanessa Sharkey to see how you can help out.

ELF SHOPPE SCHEDULE	MONDAY, DEC. 3, 2007	TUESDAY, DEC. 4, 2007	WEDNESDAY, DEC. 5, 2007
9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.		Mrs. Riley	Mrs. Riley
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.		Mrs. Walsh a.m.	Mrs. Labrecque
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.		Mrs. Sidman	
10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.			
LUNCH			
12:15 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.			
12:45 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.		Mrs. Collins	
1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Mrs. Riley	Mrs. Walsh p.m.	
1:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Mrs. Labrecque	Mrs. Riley	

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RECESS:

It is the policy of the school to have outdoor recess whenever possible. Indoor recess will be held only when weather conditions do not permit outdoor activity. Parents should dress children according to weather conditions with the proper footwear and outer clothing for outdoor recess.

FOOD DRIVE: During the months of December, the staff of the Highway Department will pick up any food donations from the community. Please call 508 894-1216 to arrange for a pickup. You may leave your address and the location of the items. Donations may also be dropped off at the Food Pantry located at the Spring Street School, Town Hall during regular business hours, the Senior Citizens Center, the First Church and any of the **WB Public Schools**. We have a listing of the most needed food pantry items in our lobby area

GROUP E-MAIL INFORMATION: The SSS will be using a new system to compile our group e-mails. If you would like to receive group e-mails of the Principal's Newsletters and other up-to-date information, please visit our website at www.wbridgewaterschools.com/springstreet/. In order to add your name to the group list, click on **Links - Join our e-mail list** and follow the instructions. You may submit more than one e-mail if you wish; i.e., your home and work. During the next several weeks I will be sending e-mails via our old group e-mail along with the new e-mail list in order to give everyone time to join up. After the month of December, group e-mails will be sent by our new method only. We are excited about this new e-mail group communication as parents and community members will be able to keep their e-mails current.

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