Perdue School News

Principal – Mr. Jeff Chilibeck

Vice Principal - Mrs. Kristal Mason

Important Dates to Remember

- 1. Friday, December 5 / Saturday, December 6 Senior Girls Basketball Tourny
- 2. Saturday, December 13 Santa Claus Day Legion Hall
- 3. Thursday, December 18 Perdue School Christmas Concert 7:00pm
- 4. Friday, December 19 Christmas Dinner
- 5. Friday, December 19 Last day of classes before Christmas
- 6. Monday, January 5 Day C3 First day of classes after the Christmas Break

Principal's Message

I would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a safe, relaxing break. Perdue School looks forward to seeing everyone at the annual Christmas Concert on December 18th.

I would like to thank our cross-country and volleyball coaches for their commitment and dedication to their teams. While many schools are struggling to find coaches, I am proud how our staff provides opportunities to our students!! Thank you coaches!!

The progress reports were a new and, at times, a frustrating experience! I hope that the progress reports sent out in November met the expectations of students and parents. If you have any feedback for us please call me and let me know how we can better meet your needs.

As mentioned in other newsletters, staff will be working with Prairie Spirit Division staff on our goal of parent engagement and student led conferences. We would like to, again, thank parents for their support at interviews and the feedback you provided on the surveys. Division staff will be working with us on December 1st at our staff meeting and on December 10th during the school day. I am proud of our staff for their eagerness to learn and improve. I am lucky to work with such a reflective group of individuals who are willing to try new ideas and implement them in the classroom!

In closing, I would like to thank our School Community Council for their hard work and dedication to our school! Keep up the great work ladies!!

Yearbook

Just a reminder----if you are interested in purchasing a 2013/2014 yearbook, please do so as soon as possible. There is a copy at the front office for you to look through and the cost is \$20.00. Our cut off date for orders is November 28th. but, we would extend that to December 1st.

Thank you

Mr. Corrigan

Eat Better, Eat Together

How often does your family eat together? Busy schedules can make it hard to sit down and eat as a family. On the other hand, there can be many benefits in sharing meals together as often as possible. For example, family meals may help to promote:

- communication, sharing of family values
- a sense of family tradition, feelings of security and stability
- healthy eating habits
- better manners
- better use of time by preparing only one meal and having only one mess to clean up

Children who enjoy regular family meals have been found to eat more vegetables and fruit and less fried food and soft drinks. They get more of the nutrients and fibre they need and less saturated and trans fats. Some studies have also found that children who eat regular family meals do better in school.

Get family members involved in planning, preparation and clean-up. This takes the pressure off of one person, provides a learning experience for children, and extends your time together as a family.

These days, we tend to have more choices than ever before for family activities. When scheduling these activities, consider the benefits of regular family meals as well.



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PERDUE WHEATLAND REGIONAL LIBRARY

will be hosting a **BAKE SALE** at the CHRISTMAS CONCERT
Thursday, December 18, 2014. **Bake Sale will begin at 6:45pm.**

Baking donations will be accepted at the school anytime on Thursday.



For more information, please contact Faye @ 237-4568



PERDUE COMMUNITY CALENDARS HAVE ARRIVED!

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PLEASE STOP BY THE DAYCARE BETWEEN 8AM AND 4PM TO PICK - UP YOUR CALENDAR.

IF YOU NEED TO MAKE PICK UP
ARRANGEMENTS OR CANNOT PICK UP
PLEASE CALL 237-4403 AND WE WILL BE
HAPPY TO HELP YOU.

EXTRA CALENDARS ARE AVAILABLE FOR \$10.00 EACH.

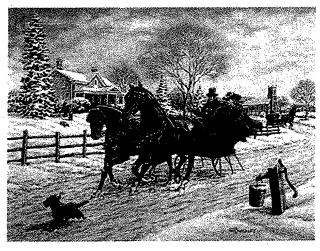
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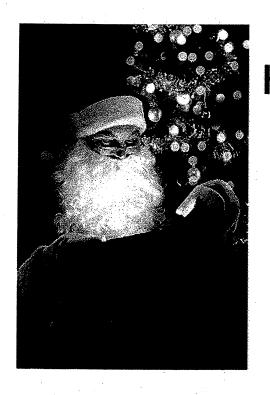
Perdue Santa Day

December 13, 2014 Perdue Legion Hall

Horse Team Sleigh Rides

1:30pm - 3:30pm





Hot Chocolate & Cookies

Activies for the kids

Christmas Caroling

Pictures with Santa by

2:30pm Santa

Dear Parents,

For the month of December the booth will be adding and taking away a few items.

We will be adding: hot chocolate .50

Carrots and dip .50

We will be taking away taco and chicken wraps and replacing them with grill cheese for \$1.50

Booth Prices

| Lunch: | | Drink | s: | Snacks: | | |
|---------------|----------|----------------------------|--------|--------------|--------|--|
| KD Cups | \$1.75 | Sunny D | \$2.00 | Pepperoni | \$1.00 | |
| Mini Pizzas | \$1.25 | Chocolate Milk | \$1.00 | Ritz Bits | \$1.50 | |
| Pizza Pops | \$1.25 | Ice Tea | \$1.50 | Popcorn | .50 | |
| Taquitos | 2/\$1.25 | Powerade | \$2.50 | (occasional | ly) | |
| Grill Cheese | \$1.50 | [*] Hot Chocolate | .50 | | | |
| Noodle Cups | \$2.00 | Water | \$1.00 | Treats | • | |
| Lunchables | \$2.00 | | | Caramilk Bar | \$1.25 | |
| Carrots and D | 9ip .50 | | | Skittles | \$1.25 | |
| | • | | | Revels | .75 | |
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| | | | | Chips | \$1.00 | |
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December 2014



| Sat | 14 6 | Senior Girls B'Ball Tourny | 3 <i>I3</i> | Santa Claus Day | Perdue Legion Hall | 2 20 | | 27 | | First day of classes in 2015 is January 5 Day C3 |
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| Fī | 5 Day D4 | Kindergarten Senior Girls B'Ball Tourny | 12 Day C3 | | | 19 Day B2 | Kindergarten Last day of classes before Christmas Christmas Dinner | 26 | Boxing Day | First day of c Jan Da |
| Thu | 4 Day C3 | Soup/Sand—\$2.50 | II Day B2 | Kindergarten | Soup/Sand—\$2.50 | 18 Day Al | Christmas Concert 7:00pm | 25 | Christmas Bay | |
| Med | 3 Day B2 | Kindergarten | 10 Day A1 | | | 17 Day F6 | Kindergarten | 24 | Christmas Eve | 31 |
| Tue | 2 Day Al | | 9 Day F6 | Kindergarten | · | 16 Day E5 | | 23 | | 30 |
| Mon | I Day F6 | Kindergarten | 8 Day E5 | | | 15 Day D4 | Kindergarten | 22 | | 29 |
| Sun | | | 7 | | | 14 | | 21 | | 28 |