

Weekly Notes December 18, 2024

Office Notes

Be Sure to Mark Your Calendars for These Important Dates!

- **MSOR Breakfast With Santa** – Thursday, December 19th
- **Classroom Holiday Celebrations (1/2 Day of School – Early Dismissal)** – Friday, December 20th
- **Winter Break** – December 23rd-January 3rd
- **School Resumes** – Monday, January 6th
- **Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (No School)** – Monday, January 20th

This Friday will be our last day of school before Winter Break! All students will dismiss at the following times on Friday:

- Toddler –11:00am
- Primary – 11:15am
- Lower Elementary –11:30am
- Upper Elementary –11:45am

MSOR Breakfast With Santa – Thursday, December 19th

Santa Claus is coming to MSOR! The Adolescent & Secondary programs are excited to host Breakfast With Santa on Thursday, December 19th!

Your child is invited to wear his or her Christmas pajamas and join us for an exciting morning with Mr. Claus himself!

Parents are not required to attend with your child, but are welcome to join if you wish as this event will take place during the regular academic morning on Thursday, December 19th.

The cost to attend is \$15.00 per student and \$10.00 per adult. Students who attend will enjoy a delicious breakfast including pancakes, fruit, and juice and will also have their photo made with Santa Claus. Sign-up forms and payment are due no later than Wednesday, December 18th to secure your child's spot. Checks should be made out to MSOR Adolescents.

We are looking forward to this special visit from Santa and hope your child can join us!

Our Breakfast With Santa event is a fundraiser for the Adolescent & Secondary students who are raising money for international travel to Argentina and Antarctica this year. Thank you for your continued support!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR

Pancakes, Fruit, Juice, and more!

Breakfast with Santa

Thursday, December 19th... Santa is coming to MSOR

- * Wear your favorite Christmas pajamas!
- * Bring your wish list!
- * Snap a pic with Santa!
- * Enjoy a hot breakfast!

Sign ups - on the attached page, on or before December 18th, to secure your attendance.

\$15 per student and \$10 per adult!

If there are any questions, please email ashlete@msor.org!

Ms. Ginny's & Ms. Kelly's Toddler Class

We are so proud of all our students for a fantastic Holiday Program last night! They looked so cute in their sunglasses and worked so hard to put on a great show for our parents! Thank you to all who came to support us.

We are wrapping up the final week of school before Winter Break with lots of exciting things happening in the classroom. Pajama day today was so much fun! Thank you to Max's parents for donating cookie decorating kits for our cookie decorating day and Henry's parents for donating a special snack for our class to enjoy.

Please remember that pick-up will be at 11:00am on Friday. We are looking forward to fun couple of days before we kick off the break! If your child will not be here on Friday please let us know so we can send home any items on Thursday.

Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays! See you next year!

Ms. Shannon's, Ms. Kristin's, & Ms. LaKosta's Toddler Class

Thank you all for yet another fantastic Holiday Program! Our students worked so hard and were total rock stars last night. We are so proud of them!

Today was a fun day wearing our pajamas and decorating cookies. Our students always love all the fun events this time of year!

Remember – This Friday we will dismiss early at 11:00. If you are not planning on attending, please let me know so I can have your child's things together to send home on Thursday.

Thank you to everyone for the gifts that you have given to Ms. Kristen, Ms. LaKosta, and myself. We really appreciate your love and support! Have a very Merry Christmas! See you next year!

Ms. Angie's & Ms. Karabeth's Primary Class

Thank you all for a wonderful Holiday Program last night! Our class looked fantastic in their poodle skirts and 1950's attire, and we want to give a special shout-out to our incredible Elvis! Great job, everyone!

This week is full of special holiday celebrations in our classroom. Our pajamas and pancakes day today was an absolute hit with the students. We look forward to more fun the rest of this week!

Please remember that pick-up will be at 11:15am on Friday. All students must be picked up as Friday is a half-day. If your child will not be here on Friday please let us know so we can send home any items on Thursday.

We wish everyone a safe and happy Winter Break!

Ms. Ortrud's & Ms. Rana's Primary Class

Cowabunga! The holiday program last night was a success even with so many out sick. Thank you for all of your support. We are very proud of our little surfers.

Special thanks to Dev's family for bringing a pizza lunch tomorrow, Thursday. No lunchboxes needed if your little one likes pizza!

Please remember that this Friday is a half-day and pick-up for all students is 11:00-11:15am. We ask that parents, whose child has been out this week, please reach out to us so we can make arrangements for you to pick up the red folder, nap rolls, and holiday crafts before winter break.

We wish you a happy and healthy winter break. We are excited to see everyone's smiling faces in the new year.

Thank you, Ms. Ortrud and Ms. Rana

Lower Elementary Class

We hope that everyone enjoyed the Holiday Program last night. The students did a great job! Thank you for all your support during this time.

We are making Irish barmbrack bread today. It is a holiday tradition in Ireland and we are excited to try it.

Thursday: Students can wear their Run-D.M.C. costumes as well as their bling.

Friday: Pajama Day/ Half Day- Our pickup time is 11:15-11:30am.

- Only water bottles and backpacks are needed on this day.

Homework and library books are due tomorrow.

Extra grammar packets will be sent home to certain students over the break. The packets are for extra practice to better prepare them for upcoming grammar lessons once we return.

We hope that everyone has a happy holiday season and we will see you in the new year!

Ms. Robin and Ms. Maggie

Upper Elementary Class

We are so proud of the students for last night's performance! All the hard work and time spent rehearsing was evident, and the audience loved it! Great job to all and thank you to those who attended our Holiday Program to support MSOR!

Friday we will end our semester with a Holiday Breakfast for Upper El. **Parents: Please send in a breakfast item of your choice on Friday morning to help us create a delicious spread for our classroom. Please email or text Ms. Shemi to let her know what you plan to send.**

Parents are welcome to join us beginning at 10:15am on Friday to kick off our classroom celebration. Friday is a half-day so dismissal for Upper Elementary will take place at 11:45am.

We appreciate all of our MSOR family and wish everyone a restful Winter Break with holiday celebrations intertwined. We look forward to welcoming everyone back in January!