

Maplewood



December Newsletter 2016

Mr. Larry Foos
Principal

Dear Parents,

The Holiday Season is quickly approaching! The Maplewood Teachers and students along with many parents have worked very hard and focused on our student's academic success. From December 21 until January 2, everyone will have an opportunity to rest and enjoy the Holiday Season with their families. January 3, 2017 will be the reset button for everyone to get back into the school routine and focus on finishing the second part of the 2016/2017 School Year on a positive note.

Also, I wanted to thank the students and their families for making the Shawnee Elementary PTC Fundraiser a big success! Without the participation of our PTC, our students would not get an opportunity to experience the many educational activities supported by our PTC.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mr. Foos".

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IMPORTANT FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR CHILDREN: When dropping off students in the morning please stay in line, do not get out of the line to go around the cars in front of you.

Teacher's Corner

- Ms. Harper has been preparing our 4th grade students for Maplewood's Holiday Carol Sing on Tuesday, December 13th. This has always been an enjoyable program.
9:30 a.m. performing classes: Ostendorf, Russ, Smith, and Wood.
1:30 a.m. performing classes: Buening, Hark, Hutchins, and Kaskocsak
- Ms. Cornell and her Phys. Ed. Students have been participating in the Jump Rope for Heart Campaign. Ms. Cornell stresses to our students the importance of exercise and eating healthy in order to keep our hearts healthy as well as the rest of our body and its organs. A healthy heart is a step in the right direction for a healthy life. Ms. Cornell thanks everyone for participating and contributing in the Jump Rope for Heart Campaign.
- Parents, make sure you send a note or call the office if your child is being picked up afterschool or if there's a bus change.
- "All parents whose child attends a Title I building may request information regarding the professional qualifications of their child's classroom teacher, including: whether the teacher has met state qualifications and licensing criteria for the grade level and subject area taught. *Maplewood is proud to report that 100% of our teaching staff is highly qualified!*"
- All Field trips are possible due to the support of the Shawnee Elementary PTC. These members graciously volunteer their time to make great activities for our students, even better.

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 7	2 Hour Delay
December 8 & 9	Holiday Shop
December 13	4 th Grade Holiday Sing
December 21-January 2	NO SCHOOL- Winter Break
January 3	School Resumes