

Maplewood



December Newsletter 2017

Mr. Larry Foos
Principal

Dear Parents,

Happy Holidays! It seems unbelievable that the Holiday Season is upon us. Thus far, it's been a very smooth school year. I want to thank all of our parents for that. Bingo Nacho Literacy Night was a success do to the participation of all Maplewood Stakeholders. I want to thank Casey Feltz, Haley Grieves, and Amy Hutchins for making this evening academically informative for our parents. A thank you goes out to Mike Keith(Shawnee Police Chief) and Dr. Manu Agarwal for volunteering their time to Read to our students during Bingo Nacho Literacy Night. Make sure you pay attention to Maplewood's Upcoming Events. December 12th Mrs. Harper will present along with our fourth graders A Christmas Carol Program. You will have two opportunities to watch our fourth grade students perform and sing several Holiday Songs. It's a very nice and enjoyable program. The first program will start at 9:30 a.m. and the second session will be begin at 1:30 p.m. Students will be asked to bring a sack lunch for their lunch.

Hopefully, the third grade ELA/Reading Assessment Results will arrive before Christmas Break. This is a very important assessment to both students and parents, so we will try to get the results to you ASAP.

Sincerely,

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

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Principal

Merry
CHRISTMAS

A graphic where the word "CHRISTMAS" is written in a bold, red, serif font. The letter "S" is replaced by a green Christmas tree with a star on top. The word "Merry" is written in a green, cursive font above "CHRISTMAS".

Teacher's Corner

Third Grade Field Trip to the Allen County Museum Schedule:

Alt/Schmackers – December 7th
Wolfe/Mooney – December 12th
Hulihan/Buening – December 13th

- Busses leave Maplewood at 9:15 a.m. and return by 11:30 a.m.
- Parental Status, address changes or new phone numbers
If you move, or custody of your child changes, please let the office know as soon as possible. This information is very important for accuracy of maintaining student files and mailings.
- 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 6	2 Hour Delay
December 8	Send home midterms
December 12	Christmas Program 9:30 a.m./1:30 p.m.
December 21-January 2	NO SCHOOL – Winter Break
January 3	School Resumes