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The staff of St. Monica School participated in a professional development paint night on Sunday evening. Mrs. Henderson hosted the event as a way for the staff to prepare for Advent. Our paint night was a success! See example of what everyone painted above right.

SANTA'S SECRET SHOPPE

Students will be shopping with their classroom on the following days. Please send your child's money with them only on their shopping day (not before thank you). This is not mandatory.

Shopping Days:

Tuesday, December 4, PreK4A & B, Grade K, 1, 3 & 4

Wednesday, December 5, Grades PK3, Grades, 6, 7 & 8 (and MWF PK4 kids)

Friday, December 7, Grades 2 & 5

REMINDER

Just a reminder that anyone not returning to St. Monica School for the next school year (2019/2020) must inform the school office in writing before January 1, 2019 so that their re-registration fee will not be charged. All returning students will be assessed a \$150 re-registration fee though their FACTS Tuition account in February for the 2019/2020 school year.

NEW SIBLING APPLICATIONS

Any families who have new siblings that will be attending St. Monica School next year should fill out an application before the end of January. We will start looking at applications after February vacation. The application can be found on our website. Please make sure all required documents are included along with the \$50 application fee. Requirements may be found on the Admission Policy.



Upcoming Events

December 4, 5 and 7th – Santa's Secret Shoppe

December 4 – Knights of Columbus Light up for Christ event, 7PM in school parking lot. Refreshments after in the cafeteria.

Jr. High Snow Ball (Grades 6-8) will be held on Saturday, December 8th. More info to follow.

Friday December 14th our sixth graders will be attending the North Shore Music Theatre production of "A Christmas Carol".

Important Announcement

NO Homework Club on Monday, December 10th.

NO afternoon buses on Thursday and Friday, December 13th & 14th.

Don't forget our Holiday Calendar Raffle!! These make great stocking stuffers or small gifts!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MANGER LIGHTING

The K of C will be holding the Lighting of the Manger in front of St. Monica School tomorrow night (Dec. 4th) at 7:00 PM. Refreshments will be served after the event. If any student attends, please see Mrs. Henderson at the event and she will give you a dress down pass for Monday, December 10th. Looking forward to seeing everyone there!

ADVENT PROJECT

We will be collecting mittens, hats and gloves for Lazarus House. Students may hang them on the tree outside of Mrs. Henderson's office. Thank you for all you do for others!

HOLIDAY RAFFLE CALENDAR

We would love to have everyone participate in this great fundraiser! Your ticket is good for all 31 days! Cost is \$10.00 and you have 31 chances to win, and they make great stocking stuffers! We will be picking the winners for January 1 and 2 when we return from Christmas vacation. If you still want to sell them over Christmas vacation that is fine! Just send them in on January 2!

DON'T FORGET!!

Our two Christmas Shows are on the following dates:

Preschool and Kindergarten – Friday, December 14th at 6:30 PM, doors open at 6:00 PM.

Grades 1 – 8 – Monday, December 17th at 6:30 PM, doors open at 6:00 PM.

We hope you can join us for these two wonderful shows. They are sure to get you in the Christmas spirit!!

MORE UPCOMING DATES – Please also check the school calendar at www.methuencatholic.org/school

December 12 – Progress Reports

December 13 & 14 – No afternoon buses

December 14 – Gr. 6 to see “A Christmas Carol”

December 15 – Polar Express Night (More info will be coming home)

December 19 – Spirit Day

December 20 – 11:00 AM Dismissal, NO BUSES AT DISMISSAL AND NO EXTENDED DAY

December 21- January 1 – Christmas Break

January 2 – Return to School