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Good Afternoon,

Today was an indoor recess kind of day! We were lucky enough to have four days of outdoor recess Monday through Thursday. Just a reminder to send your child(ren) with appropriate outerwear. If the "feels like" temperature is 20 degrees or above, students will have outdoor recess.

Today, **Progress Reports** were made available electronically on our student information system, PowerSchool. Earlier this week, the district sent a ParentSquare message with directions for creating a PowerSchool account. In order to receive directions for accessing PowerSchool, you must be registered for ParentSquare, our district's communication portal. If you have any questions about accessing the progress report, please let us know. Moving forward, all progress reports and report cards will be shared electronically through PowerSchool.

PTA's Hollywood Night is TONIGHT from 6:00-8:00PM. This will be a fun night of dancing, pizza and sweet treats! **This is a family event, not a drop-off event.** See <u>HERE</u> for more information.

We also have PTA's monthly school store on Tuesday, February 7.

Please see below for some important information.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten registration will open on Monday, January 30. PLEASE SEE <u>THIS LINK FOR IMPORTANT INFORMATION!</u>

PTA Meeting Monday, February 6

PTA Meeting on Monday, February 6 @ 6:30 (Library). Asst. Superintendent Joe Crawford and Director of Curriculum Kim Conant will be there to discuss the new report format. We will also discuss all of the exciting upcoming events and activities at EDMES!

Ski Club News

We finished up our last ski club on Wednesday, February 1st. Everyone seemed to have a great time! Don't forget that your child's McIntyre tag has one day of skiing left on it. Read the back of the tag to see which mountains you can go to for a free day of skiing. I do have a pair of gloves and some goggles if your child didn't come home with them. Your child can come to room 103 to check them out. Thanks to our parent chaperone Michele Kelleher for your help!

Ski you next year! Mrs. Cogan and Mrs. Hall

Chromebooks

Just a reminder to everyone that Chromebooks should not be left in cars overnight as freezing temperatures or extremely hot temperatures will damage batteries and make the device unusable. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Bill Fox Principal

Kelly Carey

Assistant Principal

Hot lunch menu for Feb. 6-Feb.10 (menus subject to change)

Monday: Hot: Crispy Chicken & Waffle; Cold Sandwich: Turkey & Cheese, Ham & Cheese or

Sunbutter & Jelly

Tuesday: Entree Salad or Cold Sandwich option: Turkey & Cheese, Ham & Cheese or

Sunbutter & Jelly

Wednesday: Hot: Shepherd's Pie; Cold Sandwich: Turkey & Cheese, Ham & Cheese or

Sunbutter & Jelly

Thursday: Hot: Hot Dog; Cold Sandwich: Turkey & Cheese, Ham & Cheese or Sunbutter &

Jelly

Friday: Hot: Pizza; Cold Sandwich: Turkey & Cheese, Ham & Cheese or Sunbutter & Jelly

Other Important Dates:

Mar. 3	No School ~ Winter Break
Feb. 27-	
Feb. 23	Bedtime Story Hour
Feb. 22	PALs 3:00 - 4:00
Feb. 22	Popcorn sale
Feb. 21	Art Club (Gr. 5) (3:00-4:00)
Feb. 20-24	Read Across America
Feb. 16	Book Club (3:00-4:00)
Feb. 14	Art Club (Gr. 5) (3:00-4:00)
Feb. 9	Book Club (3:00-4:00)
Feb. 7	Art Club (Gr. 5) (3:00-4:00)
Feb. 7	School Store
Feb. 6	PTA Meeting 6:30 Library
Feb. 4	Deliberative Session @ WRB (10:00 - 12:00)
Feb. 3	PTA Hollywood Nights Dance (6:00-8:00)
Feb. 3	Progress Reports go home