

Class Notes

December 12 2008

"Gingerbread House" Craft

This year we are creating mini gingerbread houses with graham crackers. Students have built and designed their houses and are ready to decorate them on Monday, December 15. We need your help. Students need to provide their own decorations for completing their "houses". Usually students decorate with candy. The houses are small. Icing to glue the decorations is being provided. Talk to your kids about their designs and decorating ideas this weekend.

Calendar of Events

December

- 12 Journey to Bethlehem, 6-9 P.M.
- 13-14 Journey to Bethlehem, 5-9 P.M.
- 15 Gingerbread House Decorating
- 15 Hot Lunch: Chili/Cornbread
- 16 Hot Lunch: Haystacks
- 17 Classroom Party with Kindergarten Reading Buddies
- 17 Noon Dismissal for Christmas Vacation

January

- 7 School resumes
- 9 End of Second Grading Period

Winter Sports Proram

Open enrollment for our winter sports program closes next week. There is still time to sign up until next Wednesday. Financial assistance is available for those who need it. Simply check off the bottom of the form and you will be contacted. Mt. Hood paperwork will be sent out in the beginning of January. For those who would like to complete the paperwork now, please stop by the classroom and fill out the forms. All Mount Hood forms and money must be turned in by Wednesday, January 14, 2009.

Classroom Party

Next Wednesday, December 17 we will have our annual joint Christmas Party with our Kindergarten Reading Buddies. We will do a craft together and enjoy each other's company with snacks and refreshments. A list is attached with what your child has volunteered to bring to the party. If you are unable to assist please let me know so that I may supplement it accordingly.

Journey to Bethlehem

Have you ever longed to visit the birthplace of Jesus? To walk through the ancient city of Bethlehem? To visit the shepherds on the hills? For many of us that would be impossible because of the costs of travel.

Come see a recreation of the ancient village of Bethlehem, sponsored by the Kelso-Longview Seventh-day Adventist Community Church, December 11-12 from 6-9 P.M. and December 13-14 from 5-9 P.M. More information can be found at <http://kelsolongview.netadventist.org/> and click on "Journey to Bethlehem".