

# DECEMBER 2022

## NEWSLETTER

**T**he child gives us  
a beautiful lesson  
– that in order to  
form and  
maintain our intelligence,  
we must use our hands.  
-Maria Montessori, The  
1946 London Lectures

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec 8: Fall Performance

Dec 15: Christmas party/ book exchange

Dec 22: Early release, 12 pm

Dec 23-26: School closed for Christmas

Dec 30: Early release, 12pm

Jan 2-3: School closed for New Year's and  
Teacher in-service

Jan 4: Spring semester begins

## DECEMBER: SEASON WINTER

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
			1 NORTH POLE & POLAR BEAR	2 PERFORMANCE CRAFT
5 SANTA AND ELVES	6 REINDEER	7 PENGUINS	8 FALL PERFORMANCE	9 WALRUS
12 CHRISTMAS TREE	13 ANGEL	14 HOLLY & MISTLETOE	15 CHRISTMAS PAR- TY/ BOOK EX- CHANGE/ FREE DRESS DAY!	16 HOLIDAY CRAFT
19 WREATH	20 ORNAMENTS & STOCKING	21 HOLIDAY CRAFT	22 EARLY RELEASE 12PM	23 NO SCHOOL
26 NO SCHOOL	27 WINTER CLOTHES: ZIP- PERS, BUTTONS, MITTENS, SWEATERS, SCARFS	28 WINTER ACTIVI- TIES WITH THE WORD "ICE": ICE HOCKEY, SKATING	29 WINTER FOOD/ DRINK THAT MAKES YOU FEEL WARM & FUZZY: CHICKEN SOUP, HOT CHOCOLATE	30 EARLY RELEASE 12PM

## HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Please mark the following early release and holiday closures in your calendar.

Dec 22: Early release 12pm

Dec 23-26: School closed for Christmas

Dec 30: Early release 12pm

Jan 2: School closed for New Year's

Jan. 3: School closed for Teacher in-service

Jan. 4: First day of Spring semester



## Extracurricular Classes

If you are looking for an "experience" gift for Christmas, consider extracurricular classes! Classes are \$18 per week, billed every four weeks. (Private music lessons are \$35 per week.)

Contact the office to enroll!

- Tuesdays: Dance and Chess
- Wednesday: Art
- Thursdays: Lego and Piano
- Friday: Guitar

### After School Program:

We will be open for drop-in care on :

12/19-12/22, with early closing at 12 pm on 12/22.

12/27-12/30, with early closing at 12 pm on 12/30. The daily drop-in care rate is \$55 + \$5 for lunch. If you will need to drop-in, please email us to reserve.



**Reminder: If your child has a fever, before they can return to school, they need to:**

1. **Be off of fever-reducing medication such as Tylenol (Acetaminophen) or Motrin/ Advil (Ibuprofen) for 24 hours.**
2. **Be without fever for 24 hours**

### **Winter Performance**

We will have our end of semester performance will be on Dec. 8th from 4:30 - ~5:30 pm.

Boys: White or holiday-colored button down shirt and jeans

Girls: holiday-colored dress

Black shoes for everyone

(No dress code for afterschool students.)

Parents are welcome to attend, please RSVP [online](#).



### **Christmas Party/ Book Exchange:**

We will have a Christmas party and book exchange on Thursday, Dec. 15. Please bring a new, wrapped book by Tuesday, Dec. 13. We will also have free dress day so your child can wear their Christmas-themed clothes!