



Mid Month News from Lyon and Pleasant Ridge

IMPORTANT DATES

Thursday, December 22	Lyon School Winter Program 10:00AM & 1:30PM *Two tickets per family were mailed home
Friday, December 23-Friday, January 6	Winter Break
Monday, January 9	School Resumes
Friday, January 13	Lyon School Spirit Day
Monday, January 16	NO SCHOOL - Martin Luther King Day
Tuesday, January 17	LY/PR PTA Meeting 9:15AM @ Pleasant Ridge
Monday, January 23	Board of Education Meeting 7:30 PM @ Admin Bldg
Wednesday, January 25	Pleasant Ridge Orchestra Concert 7:00PM

AFTER SCHOOL @ PR

Monday, January 9	Art 2:30-3:30PM
Tuesday, January 10	3rd Grade Chorus 2:30- 3:15PM
Wednesday, January 11	4/5th Grades Chorus 2:30- 3:15PM
Tuesday, January 17	Art 2:30-3:30PM

* Please check the PR website for confirmation on any dates you might need.

WINTER WEATHER

As the weather is starting to get colder please remember to dress your kids appropriately. Children will go out for recess as much as possible (if the wind chill is above zero degrees). Please send your children in snow pants and boots if there is snow on the ground.

LOST AND FOUND

* Is your child missing his/her gloves, backpack, lunchbox, water bottle, hat, scarf, coat, boots etc.? Lyon school's lost and found is overflowing. If your child is missing an article of clothing please, stop by Lyon to look through the lost and found.

* We will be reminding your children, but please help us by asking your children to bring home all their belongings before Winter Break....musical instruments, boots, snow pants, jackets, lunch bags. Our custodians will be washing the floors during break and anything left outside the classroom will be put into "lost and found".

Happy Holidays



From The Staff at Lyon &
Pleasant Ridge

Calling All Seniors- Grandparents, neighbors and friends!

We are looking for volunteers for our Memory Project at Lyon School. We hosts senior visitors in January to share a memory of his/her childhood. The students ask follow up questions to better understand details of the story that might help them later recreate the story through images. They apply what they have learned in art class to help them create illustrations of the story. They re-tell the beginning, middle and end of the story in drama class through the creation of tableaux.



The senior guests are invited back for a reception just before Spring Break. During this time, the students perform tableaux that they have created for each section of the senior's memory. They share their original works of art with their guest too. Each senior is given a storybook of the memory they have shared with photos of the original artworks and drama tableaux.

It is a wonderful intergenerational experience which only involves one hour of the volunteer's time. To learn more and to sign up please go to the art room website at

<http://visualartlook.weebly.com/memory-project.html>

