

December 7, 2017

HAMB DEN HEADLINES

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Dates to Remember

DECEMBER

- 11th KW Day
- 15th Spirit Day
- 15th 5Cs Breakfast 8:30 am
- 18th KT Day
- 18th Holiday Shoppe
- 20th End of 2nd Quarter
- 20th Holiday Parties 2:30 pm
- 21st-Jan 2nd Winter Break

JANUARY

- 3rd School Resumes
- 5th Report Cards Released
- 8th KW Day
- 11th Skate Party 6:30 pm
- 12th Professional Day **NO SCHOOL**
- 15th MLK Day **NO SCHOOL**
- 16th Book Fair
- 17th PTO Meeting 3:45 pm
- 22nd KW Day
- 26th Terrific Kids 8:30 am
- 29th KT Day



The mission of Chardon Local Schools is high achievement for all students where learning is our most important work.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH
3RD, 4TH & 5TH GRADE
6:30 PM @ PARK ELEMENTARY



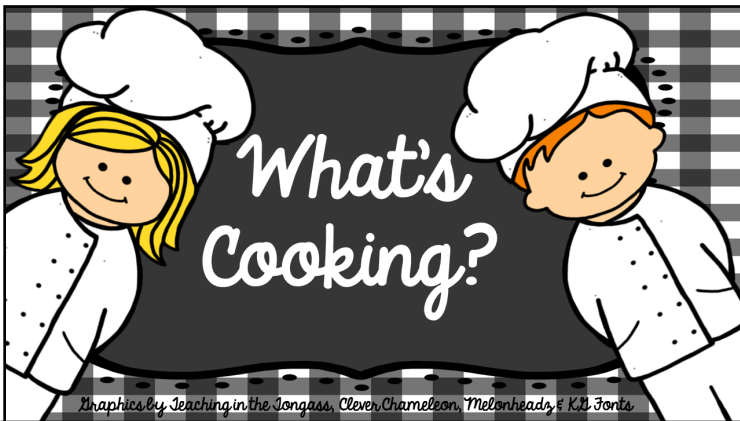
Monday Convocation

This year Hambden will host a different speaker every Monday morning. Our "Monday Convocation" will give our students the opportunity to hear from successful and innovative people from all around the community. These past weeks we heard from Mrs. Dolsen & Free Harmony. If you have a suggestion of a community leader to speak to our students, please contact me .

Thank you,
Mathew Prezioso
Principal



Current grades are always available through the IC Parent Portal



WEEK OF DECEMBER 11TH-15TH
BREAKFAST & LUNCH

- Monday - **WG Muffin**
Cheese Bread Dipper Pizza
- Tuesday - **WG Cinnamon Roll**
Tacos
- Wednesday - **Yogurt Cup**
Chicken Nuggets
- Thursday - **String Cheese & WG Pop Tart**
Cheese Ravioli
- Friday - **WG Mini Donuts**
Big Daddy's Pizza



PARENTS, please remember to send your children to school in the appropriate clothing for the cooler weather. We no longer keep extra in the office so coats, hats and gloves are necessary because students **WILL** be going out to recess **DAILY**. Thanks for your help.



UNEXPECTED FRIENDSHIPS ARE THE BEST ONES

...is our theme for this year. Each day our teachers recognize certain students for displaying this trait. At the beginning of the day, Mr. Prezioso randomly draws one name. This student gets to choose a prize from our "treasure box". Our students drawn were:

- Abby Brinkley - did the right thing**
- Joseph Reese - showed respect**
- Maddy Wagner - did the right thing**
- Mara Rhinehart - being kind**

- Ethan Tvergyak - helped someone**
- Alexander Bilicic - did the right thing**
- Addison Burnett - helped someone**
- Christian Vanek - did the right thing**



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WINNERS! GREAT JOB!



Alpine Valley offers a season-long Club Program for skiers, snowboarders and snowbladers ages 8-18. The Club Program includes 4 hours of slope time per session, equipment rental and up to five lessons. For the first five visits, club members arrive and depart as a group with their club advisor. Afterward, club members are welcome to continue visiting on their designated day (at no additional charge) using your Club Card.

Clubs begin in January, as determined by Alpine Valley, and continue to the end of the season. If Alpine Valley must cancel one of your five guaranteed club visits, we will schedule an additional session for you. Individual make-up lessons are not available.

*Must be 8 years old by January 1, 2018

**Proof of age may be required

Club Name: Hambden Ski Club
Club Login: hambden
Member Password: member
Program Leader: Juliet Peterson
Contact: rjpete@windstream.net

**HAMBDEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
 FUNDRAISER**

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2017:
 Only \$119**

**Mark your calendar to take a break!
 Support your school while having fun!
 Get away without going too far from home to America's largest indoor waterpark and enjoy a special rate for families and friends! Rooms are only \$119 and feature 2 queen beds and INCLUDE waterpark passes! A portion from each room booked will benefit Hambden Elementary School. Book early to avoid being shut out. For reservations call: 1-877-525-2427**

***Limited # available. Ask for Hambden Elementary School Group Rate. Standard Rooms sleep 4-6, admission for 4 to the Waterpark! Up to 2 guests may be added for \$25 each. Rates prior to 13.75% tax.**



Still have some Christmas Shopping to finish? Could you use a quiet evening to...Go on a date? Wrap gifts? Just breathe during the holidays?!! **We may have your solution!**

We've planned a KIDS Christmas fun night (otherwise known as FREE babysitting!)

WHEN: Thursday, December 21

TIME: 5PM - 9:00 PM

WHERE: FREEDOM ALLIANCE CHURCH

WHO: YOUR KIDS !!!!

WHAT?? Christmas movies, games, crafts, food, cookies/treats, Christmas stories and more!

Suggested donation \$5 per child/\$10 family to be donated to AC4P - a high school run community outreach



Terrific Kids for the Month of November

The Terrific Kids program is a joint partnership with the Chardon Kiwanis Club and the Hambden PTO in recognizing students with specific traits that are spotlighted each month. At Hambden our Terrific Kids selection process begins with our shared vision of habits. The Hambden 5 C's (Curiosity, Collaboration, Critical Thinking, Communication, and Character) each month Hambden salutes students who stand out in one of these traits. Our focus this month is CRITICAL THINKING.

Third Grade - Brooke Parrish, John Timko, Max Langdon, Marissa Nocero

Fourth Grade - Natalie Varmette, Robert Zalar, Ryan Brinkley, Kayla Leslie

Fifth Grade - Shena Selent, Cody Fischer, Michael Mineo, Jacob Housholder



HOLIDAY PARTIES * WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20TH * 2:30 PM

Classroom Party Policy

There are 3 classroom parties during the school year; a Harvest Party, a Winter Party and a Valentine Party. The assigned Homeroom Parent will organize the parties and coordinate with teachers and volunteers that have signed up to help. Only 5 volunteers (including the homeroom parent) may attend each classroom party. All parties begin at 2:30pm and end at 3:15pm. If you are taking your child home for the day, please be sure to sign them out in the office, when you arrive and sign in as a volunteer. Please do not send in extra treats with your child.

Each Party will consist of:

Game/Activity – Plan a game or activity for the class

Craft – Provide a craft/supplies for each student

Snack – Provide 1 pre-packaged snack for each student (Nut Free)

Drink – Provide 1 drink box/bottle per student



HAMB DEN 5TH GRADE BAND DECEMBER PERFORMANCE

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12TH

8:15 AM HAMB DEN GYM

Small reception to follow

Students arrive 8:00 am to cafeteria, Parents go to the gym

PLEASE BRING FOR OUR BREAKFAST RECEPTION:

Last names A-K bring 1 dozen breakfast food

Last names L-Z bring quart or gallon breakfast drink



PTO NEWS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

December:



15th Spirit day & The Hambden 5C's Breakfast

18th Holiday Shoppe

20th Holiday Parties

20th Skate Night at City Skate 6:30p-8:30p

20th-2nd Winter Break

21st Kalahari fun

Your 2017-2018 PTO Officers

Christina Buynak ~ President Joleigh Burnett~ Vice President

Tracy Scheid~ Secretary Megan Ghobrial~ Treasurer

Email:hambdenpto@live.com

HAMB DEN ELEMENTARY FUNDRAISER

**THURSDAY, DEC 14TH
7 PM - 9 PM**

**STOP BY DQ IN CHARDON
DURING THIS TIME AND
MENTION THE FUNDRAISER.
20% OF SALES SUPPORT
HAMB DEN ELEMENTARY PTO.**



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