

December 2023



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Sloan's

This whole school trip will take place on December 5th. We are looking forward to learning about trees, participating in a variety of activities, and cooking lunch around a campfire. The school is providing one hot dog per student and all the condiments needed. Classroom teachers will be reaching out for assistance collecting buns and s'more supplies. If you choose to buy tickets at the gate it will be \$19 plus tax; otherwise, you can purchase tickets for the school price of \$12 using School Cash online. We are looking forward to this fun learning opportunity.

Jingle and Mingle

December 7th is our family Holiday event here at Dawn. We will have many opportunities for holiday fun including making a craft, holiday trivia, movies, and a hot chocolate bar. There will be opportunities to support the Playground Pursuit through popcorn sales and a Cookie exchange organized by School Council. Donations for the cookie exchange on the morning of the event would be greatly appreciated.

Concert at LCCVI

Permission forms will be coming home shortly regarding a whole school trip to LCCVI for a holiday concert. This concert is scheduled for December 14th.

Playground Pursuit

We would like to express our gratitude to the Bothwell Firefighters for their donation of \$600 and Cairo United Church Women for their donation of \$200 towards the playground pursuit. We are getting closer to reaching our goal with every donation.

Battery Fundraiser

We are still waiting for the final results from the battery contest; however, students, families, staff and the community collected so many batteries they awarded our school with a school wide Pizza Party. Mrs. Faber is organizing this party for December 8th. More information to come closer to the date.

Holiday Meal

On December 20th, School Council is generously providing our staff and students with a holiday meal from Burns Restaurant this year. This is a cherished tradition that we are all looking forward to participating in once again.

Healthy Snack Program

Cairo United Church Women also donated \$200 towards our Healthy Snack program. These donations help to provide healthy snacks for 132 students daily.

Pepperette Sales

Just a friendly reminder that pepperette sales are due December 7th.

Winter Wear

The weather is already changing, having experienced our first bout of cold weather and snow. Please ensure all students are equipped with warm clothing for outside play in the cold and snow. We are eager to build snowmen and use our outdoor learning space, when appropriate, even in the winter.

Winter Break

Winter Break occurs from December 25-January 5th. We wish everyone a happy, healthy holiday and look forward to welcoming students back on January 8th.

Inclement Weather

We are fast approaching the time of year when winter weather may be hazardous when travelling on the roads. Buses that have been cancelled in the morning, due to inclement weather, will not return for students in the afternoon. If parents drive students to school in the morning, they are responsible for picking their children up by afternoon dismissal at 3:10. In the event of dangerous fog conditions, morning buses will be cancelled immediately. However, when morning buses are cancelled due to fog, students will be bussed home after school. The decision whether to cancel the morning buses will be made by the bus operators. Parents should listen to their local radio station, or check the transportation website at:

www.schoolbusinfo.com

December Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				1 Responsibility Assembly
4	5 Sloan's – Whole School	6	7 Pepperette Orders Due Pizza Day Jingle and Mingle Event	8 Whole School Pizza Party (Not Godfather's)
11	12 Pita Day	13	14 Pizza Day LCCVI Concert (Back in time for Pizza)	15
18 Onesie Day	19 Snowman Day	20 Holiday Meal Red and Green Day	21 Pizza Day Elf Day	22 PJ Day
25 Holidays Begin	26	27	28	29