

# SEASONS GREETING

Welcome to the final newsletter of the year.

## Principal's Corner

Dear Families: What a great time of year! It is exciting to see the joy on the faces of our students during the holiday season. As we begin the month of December, it is easy to depart from regular schedules with all the hustle and bustle of the season. Please make every effort to keep regular bedtimes, send healthy snacks and lunches, and be to school on time. During the winter break, try to have your child read for a minimum of 20 minutes daily. Reading is a powerful tool for building your child's mind. Happy Holidays!

## Construction

The front of the school is almost finished, with just a few minor details left to complete. The work has started to demolish the old playground and get the field ready for new sod. Hopefully we will be playing on new equipment by the end of January. A huge thank you to the community for passing the bond to make this all possible.

## Importance of Attendance

**Routine and Responsibility:** Regularly attending school helps students establish routine and responsibility. This prepares them for future commitments, such as higher education and employment, where consistency and reliability are valued traits.

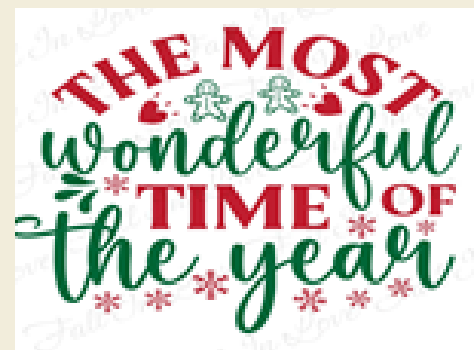
### Title 1:

Nautilus provides targeted assistance through our Reading Intervention and Title One Tutoring after-school programs. Both these programs are funded through Title 1. They provide additional services to identified at-risk students. These programs improve the overall educational experience for all students in the school.

## Holiday Assistance

### Toys for Tots

Please see Nurse Paula for applications and any other assistance needed.



**For your child's safety, remember there is no playground supervision before 7:30 am**

# DECEMBER TO REMEMBER

## IMPORTANT DATES

Dec. 8..... Christmas Shop  
Preview  
Dec. 11-15... Holiday Shop  
Dec. 19..... Spelling Bee @9:00  
Dec. 19..... K-Holiday Program @ 1:30  
Dec. 20..... Elf Engineering Day  
Dec. 21..... Awards Assembly  
Gr. 2-4@8:10  
Gr. 5&6@9:00  
Dec. 22..... Parent Conferences  
Jan 9..... School Resumes (Tues)

## CLUB DATES

Homework - Mon. & Tues.  
Tutoring - Mon. & Tues.  
Gardening - Tues. (12/12)  
Stem - Wed. (12/6 & 20)  
Kindness - Wed. (12/6)  
Stu. Co. - Wed. (12/6)



## SPIRIT DAYS



## EXCITING NEWS

### NAUTILUS PRESCHOOL

It brings us immense joy to share some exciting news that will further contribute to the growth and development of our neighborhood. After careful consideration, we are thrilled to announce the launch of a 4-year-old Preschool at Nautilus for the 24-25 school year. We believe that investing in early childhood education is crucial for the overall well-being of our community. A preschool is the foundation for a child's educational journey, providing essential skills and values extending beyond the classroom. If interested, we will be advertising soon for a lead teacher and teacher helper. Enrollment will open in the Spring.