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## Thanksgiving Feast Gratitude

We had a wonderful time sharing a meal with the patrons of the Olequa Senior Center and all of our grandparents that could attend. We would like to thank the Senior Center for hosting the event and our wonderful cook Ms. Annie for all her hard work on the beautiful meal. Our staff members and the senior center volunteers were top notch and we are so thankful for all their help with meal preparations, service and clean up! It was heartwarming to see a community come together and enjoy each other's company! Evaline staff and students are so grateful to have had this experience!



## Winter Food Drive Delivery

Students in grades 3rd-6th will deliver donations to the Winlock Food Bank tomorrow Morning, December 1st! Thank you to everyone that helped support our community by donating!!



## Inclement Weather

School changes are posted to [flashalert.net](http://flashalert.net) by 6:30 am. An email will also be sent to everyone that is on the newsletter list. If you are not receiving the email weekly, please call the office or email [cbradshaw@evalinesd.k12.wa.us](mailto:cbradshaw@evalinesd.k12.wa.us). It is extremely important that we have up to date contact information for you on file.



## Important Dates!!



### DEC.

**Fri. 1st: Lion Pride Day 11:30 Dismissal**

**Fri. 1st: 3rd - 6th grade deliver donations to the food bank, 8:45am**

**Wed. 13th: Play Matinee 1 pm**

**Thurs. 14th: All school caroling, starting at 11:30am at the Senior Center followed by Cardinal Glass**

**Thurs. 14th: PM Play 7:00 pm**

**Fri. 15th: Late Start at 9:30 am**

**Fri. 15th: 11:30 Early Dismissal**

**Winter Break - No School December 18th - January 1st**

**Tues. 19th: School Board Meeting, 6:30pm**

### JAN.

**Tues. 2nd: Welcome Back to School!**



### Matinee

Please encourage family members that are able to join us during the afternoon to come to the matinee. Seating at the pm performance is limited.

## School Holiday Play!

Rehearsals for our holiday show are in full swing and going well! Our TTK/Kindergarten class will be singing classic songs, our 1st and 2nd graders will be presenting a festive skit, and our 3rd-6th graders will be acting the entirety of "A Christmas Carol." **The show will also feature musical performances by the students, led by Mr. Burlingame.** The shows will take place **Wednesday, December 13th at 1pm, and on Thursday, December 14th at 7pm.**

During conference week, slips were sent home asking for certain items to be brought in for student costumes. If your student hasn't already please have them bring these items to school by tomorrow, Friday, December 1st. If you need clarification on anything please email Ms. Leanne. These items will be kept at school until after the performances.

Thank you to those adults who have already volunteered to help with the shows! **We still need a few volunteers to help with parking, dressing rooms, and hair/makeup.** If you are interested, please stop by the office to sign up for one or both dates. All supplies are provided by the school. Thank you, and we can't wait to show you what we've been working on! ~Ms. Leanne [lgravette@evalinesd.k12.wa.us](mailto:lgravette@evalinesd.k12.wa.us)

### Cookies Donations Please

In the years prior to Covid, families would donate cookies for the evening play reception. Now that things have gotten back to normal we'd like to ask for cookie donations again this year. If you are able, we would sure appreciate the donation of an unopened box or bag of store bought cookies for the cause. In the last newsletter we attached a donation RSVP so that we can estimate the number of cookies we receive. Please drop off the cookies at the school office by December 11th.

**Thank you in advance!!!**



## TK and Kindergarten

Mrs. Tinnin

Kindergarten students learned the letters b, e, l, and r. They are learning how to put a finger space in between words when they write and draw a picture that matches the phrase.

Kindergarten is working on adding two numbers. Students are using manipulatives to help identify two numbers that equal the whole number. They are learning how to read number sentences and find the missing number in an addition sentence. The test for this chapter is next week and then we will move on to subtraction.

TK students are learning about animals and their habitats. They are learning about the different characteristics of animals and what they need to survive. TK is learning the letters in their names and practicing how to write their names. They are also working on counting syllables in words.

TK students are learning about shapes. They will learn how to identify, sort, describe, and create 2D shapes.

## First and Second Grade Explorers

Mrs. Mittge

We will kick off the first day of December by putting up our class Christmas tree and creating some festive artwork! Students will be making their own ornaments for our little conifer throughout December as an early finisher task.

In math, first graders began Chapter 5 on addition and subtraction relationships. Second graders are working through Chapter 4 on 2-digit addition. As you read aloud for 20 minutes each night, try completing a couple addition and subtraction problems too.



Students worked hard on paragraphs using sensory details about their favorite holidays and are doing a fabulous job reading! Please keep working on those weekly story problems, spelling words, and reading fluencies at home.

Last, our class gratefully accepted grant funds from the WSSRA. We will use this money to purchase items to build our Explorer Time centers!

## Third and Fourth Grade Classroom

Mrs. Mars

Students are enjoying getting prepared for all the upcoming holiday activities. In music they have been preparing for their caroling. In the afternoon students have been working hard to learn their lines and roles in this year's play. Our class will be taking part in A Christmas Carol. In class we are starting to work on Christmas presents for our families. While we do have lots of upcoming fun, please remember we are also having core curriculum every day and it is important that your child is in class ready to learn each and every day.



## Fifth and Sixth Grade Classroom

Mr. Burlingame

I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving and a fantastic four day weekend!

This week has been a very busy week as we have started new chapters in Math and are continuing to read and work through Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream.

5th grade is now working on dividing decimals and 6th grade is working through percentages and how to find them of a whole number.

In Social Studies, we have been learning about colonial America and what drove them to break from England in the American Revolution. In science, we are continuing to work through our studies through space and the final frontier.

Coming up we will be performing our annual play on December 13 and December 14 as well as caroling during the day on December 14.