

January 11, 2019

Wednesday, January 16th is a full day Wednesday. Students will be dismissed at 3:20. Full day Wednesdays will continue until March 20th which will be an early dismissal for parent/teacher conferences.

Please join us tomorrow for the PRS Groundbreaking Ceremony at 2:00. We will begin in the gym for brief remarks (light refreshments) and then head out to the ground breaking site. All students in attendance will receive a plastic hard hat!! We should have plenty of onsite parking and there will be staff directing parking. Bundle up because it will be cold!! We hope you can make it to this historical event for our community.

We had a wonderful program brought to PRS this week thanks to the PTO and the Cultural Arts Committee. Carol Lin provided two 45 minute programs entertaining students with her 5 string electric guitar and modern technology to integrate many forms of music. The program was very interactive and she was impressed with what a wonderful audience our students were.

This year's SBAC testing window is from April 22-May 13 for grades 3-5. Grade 5 will take the NGSS field test on May 16th.

The Bricks are still available for the memorial garden that will be created at the new building. Here is the form to complete if you would like to purchase a brick.

PTO App-Our new app is up and running! While it's still a work in progress, I've already updated it with our upcoming events. I'm going to introduce it tonight at our PTO meeting and will be posting about it in our PTO group on facebook. Would you like to take a look at it first? If you're ok with it, and we're good to move forward, I was hoping you could send an email out to families, also. I'll have a link to download the app, a brief description of the app, and a short youtube video from the company showing the most important features of the app. Here's the link to download the app so you can take a look: <https://good.app.link/PRSPTO>

We are looking forward to the upcoming Bingo Night on January 25th! Doors open at 5:30 at TE! Hope to see everyone there!

The Student Leadership Team Update...Our January project is dedicated to our beloved pets. If you would like to donate any items for pets (leashes, toys, small beds, food, treats, etc.), please drop those items in the lobby between January 7 and January 31. All items will be donated to the Connecticut Humane Society. We will be having a stuffed animal spirit day on January 18 as well. Information about both of these projects is in Friday Folders today.

Reminder...we do go out for recess when the "feels like" temperature is above 20 degrees. In addition, once snow falls students are allowed to go in the snow if they have snow pants and boots!

Fondly, Michelle

Upcoming Dates...

January 21st-No School-MLK

5th grade Invention Convention on Saturday, January 26

Tiger Time Dates/Times

January 14th 9:00

January 15th Wooster Street Pizza from 5-8 p.m. 10% of proceeds goes to PRS!

February 25th 9:00

March 11th 2:30

April 15th 2:30

May 20th 9:00

June 14th 2:30