



CHRISTMAS CONCERT ~ NEXT THURSDAY, DEC 13

Middle and high school chorus students need to be here at 6:15 to warm up. Band students and elementary chorus classes should be here by 6:30. Students should wear their Christmas $\underline{\text{best}}$ – no jeans, t-shirts or tennis shoes. Participation is required of all students and will be $\frac{1}{2}$ half of their grade for this quarter.

EARLY DISMISSAL ~ WEDNESDAY, DEC 19

School will dismiss at noon on Wednesday, December 19 for Christmas Break. If your child will need after school care on that day, **please let the office know by Wednesday, December 5**. Care is included for those who are enrolled full-time in after school care. If you are not enrolled in after school care and need care on that day, the cost will be \$10 and only offered if enough full-time students sign up. Students must bring a bag lunch.

INCLEMENT WEATHER PLAN

When it becomes necessary to close or delay school due to inclement weather, announcements will be sent out via EZTexting, as well as FOX 8 and WFMY News 2 by 6:00 AM. Should school not be delayed or cancelled, but the roads in your area are not safe, tardies will not be counted and absences will be excused. If school has begun and the weather necessitates closing, an announcement will be made on the same stations. Please pick up your child as soon as possible. **NO after school care will be provided on those days.

GET CANCELLATION AND DELAY ANNOUNCEMENTS BY TEXT

There is no need to wait for the TV scroll to come around or worry about a power outage or internet connection. Sign up with EZ Texting and you will receive a text as soon as a school decision is made. If you would like to receive our texts, please text the keyword EZFOT22485 to 313-131. This will allow our texts to be delivered to your phone. When you receive a text, it will show as being sent from 313-131. EZTexting has an anti-spam policy so you will not receive unwanted spam, nor will your information be shared with anyone.

SAFETY AND SECURITY

Please do not leave your vehicle running and unattended during pick up and/or drop off. If you need to walk your child to the door, please park and turn your vehicle off. We also ask that you do not leave other children unattended in the vehicle. There is a lot of foot traffic through our parking lot and we do not want any issues.

MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL ~ YANKEE CANDLE FUNDRIASERS

The catalog orders for the Yankee Candle fundraiser are closed. Orders may be placed online through January 10, 2019. Just go to vankeecandlefundraising.com. The group number is 990104327.

DROP-OFF REMINDERS

Please remember to ALWAYS come in the entrance near the mail box and <u>loop through</u> under the covered awning near the end door. Please do NOT cut through the parking lot. Also, students will come in the end door on mornings when it is or has been raining. If we plan to let students in that door the light will be on. Thank you!

EXTENDED CARE

There will be no daily extended care offered over Christmas break.