



Prairie Central CUSD #8  
 Westview Elementary School  
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## December 2012

Dear Westview Families,

We have had nothing but great things happening at Westview Elementary. Our students had a great week during Red Ribbon Week where they were able to learn the benefits of making good choices and being drug free. We also had a Veteran's Day Assembly where students sang patriotic songs along with learning the meaning of Veteran's Day. You should be proud of all of the effort your child has put forth this school year.

There has also been a change to our operating schedule on early dismissal days. We had been operating on an early lunch schedule during early dismissal days but that will no longer be in effect. Lunches will be on regular schedule everyday for the remainder of the school year.

1<sup>ST</sup> Grade Lunch      11:15 a.m.  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Lunch      11:30 a.m.  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Lunch      11:45 a.m.  
 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Lunch      12:00 p.m.  
 Kindergarten Lunch 12:15 p.m.

Thank you for your cooperation,

Mr. Quam, Principal

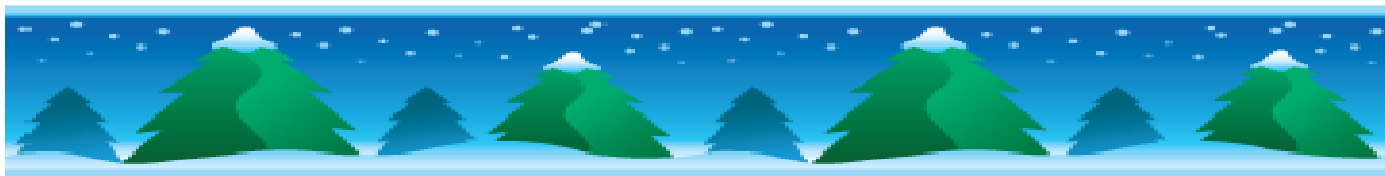
DATE	ACTIVITY
Nov.30	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip to Nutcracker 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Dec 1	PTO Cookie Jar at the Walton Center
Dec 6	PTO Meeting at Westview to discuss the Fun Run in the Spring
Dec 11	Kindergarten Make and Take Event. 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.
Dec 20	Board of Education Meeting at the Unit Office at 7 p.m.
Dec 21	Early Dismissal 2:06 p.m.
Dec 24- Jan 7th	Winter Break. School will not be session.
Jan 7	Teacher's Institute NO SCHOOL
Jan 8	School Resumes



### The annual Westview PTO Cookie Jar is coming up this Saturday!

If you would like to donate a few dozen cookies or a fruit pie, we will accept donations in the school office through Friday (Nov. 30) afternoon. Cookies and pies will be delivered to the Walton Center after school on Friday. The most popular cookies for the sale are those with a Christmas flare!

Thanks so much for your help!



## Reminder

Just a reminder to parents that school begins at 8:06. We would like all students to be in the building by 8:00 so that they are ready to begin learning at 8:06. There are a number of tasks that need to be completed each morning and we would appreciate your diligence in getting your child here on time. Thank you for your cooperation.

(As of Nov. 26, 2012)

## Congratulations to the following students who have met 50% Of their Accelerated Reader goal this month!

### 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

Ellorie Drach  
Victoria Zhao



### 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

Dylan Bazzell  
Ella Compton  
Grant Fogarty  
Evan Hartman  
Isabel Macias  
Haley O'Brien  
Morgan Small  
Caden Travis  
Jackson Wiechman

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

Kara Fehr  
Koryn Fehr  
Zachary Hardesty  
Whitney Hethrington  
Autumn Pehlke  
Owen Rafferty  
Lincoln Steidinger

### 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

Devin Martin  
Cloe Mueller  
Trenton Nicholas  
Kate Stadel  
Sarah Waldbeser



### ISAT Testing is March 5 -1 6, 2012

If you have a child in 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> grade, they will be taking the ISAT during this time. In order to help your child do his or her best on the ISAT, please do not schedule any appointments, vacations or time off during this time. We appreciate your cooperation!

## Illness Reminder

Please adhere to the 24 hour rule for students who have a fever or vomit. We would like students to return to school 24 hours after a fever has broken or if they have vomited. Some of the illnesses are lingering and we would like to make sure that they have overcome illness before returning to school. Thank you for your cooperation.



**Super Hawk  
Newsletter  
Ticket**

Thank you for reading our newsletter! Please cut out this Super Hawk Ticket and have your student write his/her name on it along with the class and return it to school. If you have more than one student, write both/all of their names and classes on the ticket and each student will be entered into our weekly Super Hawk drawing!