

Happy New Year



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P.T.A News.

Thanks to all those who volunteer in the school. You make our school a better place.

Christmas Program

We had a great time preparing and presenting for this year's How the Grinch Stole Christmas presented by the 4th Grade Students at Goshen Elementary. We appreciate all of the students and teachers who shared their talents and thank the many parents who came to support them. A special thanks to our student council for the stage design!

Cartridge Recycling

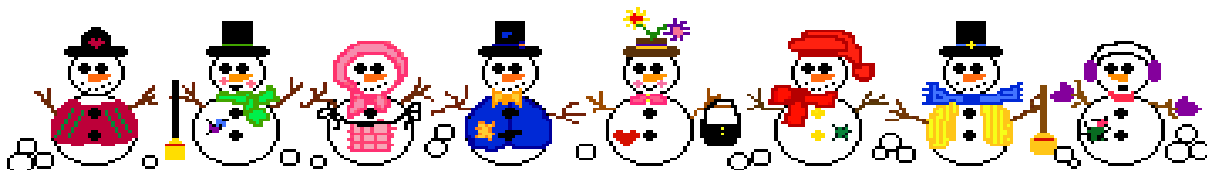
We are collecting inkjet cartridges, laser cartridges, cell phones, PDAs, digital cameras, iPods, laptop computers, GPS devices, video games and video game consoles for recycling. The students may bring them into the office at the school and we will send them in from here. The school will receive payment for helping to keep our world green.

Box Tops

We will continue to send home Box Top collection sheets each month (only place the Box Top in the space indicated. No **STAPLES**, only tape.). You can complete these and turn them in or send them in a baggie with your student(s). We will be redeeming them in March.

Electronic Device Reminder

Please remind students to **leave all electronic devices at home**. As we come back to school from the Christmas Break, it is lots of fun to show new items to friends here at school. This can be a distraction to other students during class, as well as a temptation to play with the items when other learning should be going on. We also want to insure that expensive items are not broken or stolen. **The school is not responsible for any lost or stolen electronic device.**



Winter Reading Carnival

Our Winter Reading Carnival was a great success! We will have a Spring Reading Carnival so students need to keep reading to earn their tickets. Thank you to all the technicians that helped with the carnival.

Education Fair

The 31th **Annual Education Fair will be held on April 1, 2015**. We encourage students to begin thinking about and preparing for the fair. Rules and other expectations will be coming in the next few weeks. This is a great opportunity for our students to learn in detail, about topics that interest them in the four category areas (Math, Language Arts, Science, and Social Studies). Students may enter in one, two, three, or all four categories. Students should plan to sign up to speak with judges about their projects. Awards are given to all students that enter. We are looking forward to another great year.

Math Excellence

Third term means Math Excellence! Each grade has math goals that students will meet by the end of the term! More information will be coming home.

MATH FAMILY NIGHT

Math Family night will be held on Thursday, January 15, 2015 from 6-7:30pm. We will meet in the gym and learn about the online student programs we are using, Then parents and students will have the opportunity to go online and learn how to use the programs. We have Math Baskets to give away! Refreshments will be provided! More information will come next week.

Dates to Remember

School resumes after Christmas Break	January 5
Ballet West Performance (1:30 pm) K-6	January 9
DIBELS TESTING (K-3)	January 12-15
MATH FAMILY NIGHT (6- 7:30)	January 15
End of Term 2/ Report Card	January 15
District Development Day - No School	January 16
Martin Luther King Day - No School	January 19
Book mobile	January 20
HOW THE WEST WAS WON ASSEMBLY (2:00 PM)	January 27
School Community Council (3:30 pm)	January 27

Citizens of the Month

For December

(Theme Doing Good Work)

Natalia Rodriguez, Shelby Ewell, Ashlyn Jaspersen, Reva Whalen, Boey Black, Evan Laker, Kaleb Dymock, Garrett Hofer, Rylee Baxter, Victor Vazquez, Lindy Hampton, Timothy Phillips, Alexis Vazquez, Doborah Laker, Tate Strasburg

