



The Simpson Source for December 5, 2018

Please consider donating the following items for our PBS “Gingerbread House” Celebration: **graham crackers, gum drops, candy canes, candy corn, M & M candies, colorful hard candies, “Snow Caps” candies, licorice sticks, pretzel sticks, Necco Wafers, “Life Savers” candies, Starlight Mints...also paper plates, paper bowls, ziplocks, and popsicle sticks**, etc. Anything that can be used to decorate a gingerbread house would be appreciated. If you are interested in volunteering for the Gingerbread House Celebration, please contact the main office.

Upcoming Events at Simpson

- **Thursday, December 6th** –C Day for Essential Arts. Student Council Meeting at 7:30 AM in Library. Chinese Culture and Dance Club until 4:45 PM. Don’t forget to get your Student Council Candy Grams for just 50 cents!
- **Friday, December 7th**– D Day for Essential Arts. PTO Box Tops Collection Day.
- **Monday, December 10th**– E day for Essential Arts. Math League Meeting.
- **Tuesday, December 11th**- A day for Essential Arts. Gingerbread Houses Winter Tradition Today! Cake Decorating Club until 4:50 PM.
- **Wednesday, December 12th**-B day for Essential Arts. Interim Reports Issued. Photo Club until 4:45 PM. OM until 5:15 PM.

Special Notes of Interest

If you are planning to change transportation for your child for the school day (i.e.- parent pick up instead of riding the bus), please either write a note to the teacher prior to school or call the office prior to 2:30 pm. If you email the teacher throughout the day, they may not receive the email during the school day. This will help to ensure that we do not miss any notes throughout the day.

A Note from the School Nurse

The head lice are insects the size and color of a sesame seed. They do not fly or jump but scamper on the scalp. Lice are spread by head-to-head contact or shared items. Lice may cause itching and scratching of the scalp. Lice eggs (Nits) are tear drop shaped and white or hair color. They are tightly attached to the hair shaft, usually behind the ears and at the back of the neck. Nits cannot be “flicked off”.

If head lice are found on your child, it needs to be treated. All treatments need careful attention to directions to decrease any risk of side effects and to ensure elimination of the infestation. Use only treatments recommended for head lice as products intended for animals or for other purposes will not be effective. Please contact the school nurse or your healthcare provider for recommendations on treatment. The school nurse can also provide more information about head lice and school district policies.

CUT BELOW THIS LINE

Prior to the Winter Holiday, we will be watching a school-wide movie, in small groups, with a treat. We will have a variety of viewing options but want to be sure to offer some more engaging movie options that may be rated PG.

If you would NOT like your child to view any PG movies, please complete the form below and return it to your teacher by Monday, December 10th so that we can move forward in having students make their movie selections.

Student Name _____ Teacher Name _____ Grade _____

_____ I do NOT wish for my child to view a PG movie.