



DECEMBER NEWS

Parent to Parent

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Merry Christmas to all our families! This month prompts the opportunity to talk about traditions and family. At our home we bake Christmas cookies once made by my great grandmother very year even though we don't eat them. Sound funny -it is but it is the memories that come from the time spent together making the cookies that makes the tradition. This holiday season enjoy the moments and the memories. Don't stress the holidays away. Our children grow up way to fast and before you know it they are grown. I know! Every year we have another tradition -I buy

my children a Christmas ornament -one that symbolizes an accomplishment they have made during the year. When they leave home they take there ornaments with them to start there own tree. This year when we take our Christmas tree down it will be time to pack my son's ornaments separately. He will be going to college next year and may possibly have a tree all his own and all I can say to that is Thank God for the memories that we have.

Start a tradition with your child--remember their smiles. Enjoy the holiday season. From My Family to yours MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Health Corner

The FLU is still running its course. We have not had any recently reported cases here at Ivey. Yeah!!!!!!

Please remember to keep your child at home if they are running a fever. If your child does become ill please notify the center as soon as possible and no later than 24 hours from the time of diagnosis so that we can try to contain illnesses.

2009

December Birthdays

- ☺ 12/1 Danielle Carter
- ☺ 12/1 Alicia Winnie
- ☺ 12/4 Hailey Parker
- ☺ 12/4 Matthew Roenfroe
- ☺ 12/25 Daion Matthews
- ☺ 12/28 Blake Miller
- ☺ 12/30 Gabriel Sandoval

EVENTS at our School

December Birthday Party Celebration

Tuesday December 15th

Christmas Play

Thursday December 17th

Pre-School and Jr. Kindergarten

Trip to swift creek mill playhouse

Friday December 18th

Classroom Christmas Parties

Wednesday December 23rd

Day Care will be closed

Thursday December 24th

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Friday Jan 1st

Day care will reopen on

Monday January 4th

NO TUITION IS DUE THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 28-JANUARY 1

Reminder

Last Day to donate new or gently used toys for the children living at the Petersburg women's shelter is Wed December 2nd!

Items to send over to deployed soldiers are also due by Wed.

Cookies, Candies, Toiletries

Etc....

Thanks for helping!

Community News

Colonial Heights Christmas Parade

Tuesday December 1st beginning at 7pm

The Colonial Height Rec Dept. will be holding a Elks Hoop Shoot contest for children 8-13. Free . Call the recs dept for more information.

Ivey UMC Church teaches children the way life was back in Bethlehem Saturday December 12th at 6pm

Jazz concert at Thomas Dale

\$6 adult, \$4 child, under 5 free

Refer a friend in December and receive a \$50.00 tuition credit!

See office for details!

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PreSchool

December 4th is RED and GREEN day

Wear RED and GREEN!

December 11th Holiday Hats Day!

Our Christmas Play is on Thursday the 17th at 6:15 p.m.

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School Kids

The wonders of the holiday season fill children with fascination. We will experience the true meaning of giving when we make Christmas cards for patients at the veteran's hospital.

We will celebrate traditions of family, religion, and world as we explore how others live and celebrate. Please feel free to share traditions of your family or your culture with your child's teacher. Games, Art activities, and cooking fun are sure to make for an exciting month.

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Possible field trip on the 22nd Details to come!

No Public School beginning December 21st--Day care is available for School Age children December 21, 22, and 23

Please sign up with your child's teacher to reserve full day care.

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Letter l and number matching are on the calander in December. Along with Green and Red color recognition. We will celebrate traditions of family, religion, and world as we explore how others live and celebrate.

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