

WILLARD PK-2 NEWSLETTER



Happy New Year! I hope you were able to spend some quality time with your child/children over the winter break.

We are beginning to experience more student absences from school. While the flu this time of year increases, it is still important to send your child to school if they are not experiencing any flu like symptoms. It is important that your student is at school and on time every day. When a student attends school regularly it improves their report card and test scores. Your help in getting your child to school and prepared to learn everyday is greatly appreciated!

Parent/Teacher conferences will be held on January 28 and January 30. Please make sure you fill out the form attached to this newsletter and send it back to the school so that we can schedule a time for you to visit with your child's teacher. This is a great way to connect with your child's teacher and to see the progress that your child is making. We look forward to seeing you.

We look forward to seeing you at conferences!

Michelle Chiaro
PK-2 Principal



Flu Season Tips



Here are some helpful tips for you and your child as we approach the cold and flu season:

- Wash their hands often
- Cough/sneeze into a tissue or into a sleeve at the elbow
- Refrain from touching their eyes, nose and mouth to reduce germ exposure
- Avoid sharing personal items

Your involvement affects your child's achievement!

Research shows that family support is key to student achievement. To promote academic success:

Tell your child you think education is important.

Support your child's teacher and school rules.

Ask to see homework. Know what your child is learning.



K I N D E R G A R T E N K O R N E R



Happy 2020! We are looking forward to a wonderful year! We will begin our year with a unit called "The Place You Call Home." We will be reading many books about Home. We will be studying the Wetlands: Marsh, Fen, Swamp, Pond and Bog. Please remember to work on all kindergarten skills at home daily, focusing on ending sounds of words and letter sounds. Read to your child every day for 15 minutes. Thank you, The Kindergarten Team

January

January 20—NO SCHOOL, Martin Luther King Day

January 28 -& 29— Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:00 pm– 7:00 pm

Jan 29—Family Day, Grade 1

Feb 3—Academic Awards K-2



Parent/Teacher Conferences

Attached to this newsletter is a parent/teacher conference form for you to fill out and return to the school office. Conferences for all grades will be held on:

Tuesday, January 28

Thursday, January 30

4:00 pm—7:00 pm each evening

BOOK FAIR

- K-2 Pod's shopping day is Monday, January 27
- 3-5 Pod's shopping day is Tuesday, January 28
- 6-8 Shopping day is Wednesday, January 29 and
- Cross Cat's Shopping day is Thursday, January 30.
- The Book Fair will close on Friday at noon.



Book Fair will be open during conferences until 6:30 both nights.

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