PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE-MS. LEEANN STEPHAN

Happy New Year!

I hope everyone had a wonderful vacation, it's good to see the halls filled again.

December was a busy month. Our 2nd-4th grade students did a wonderful job in their Christmas Programs. Thank you to Mrs. Reed and everyone else who was involved in making this a success!

We also had our Annual Holiday Shop in December. Thank you to all of the PTC members and volunteers who helped to make this event a success. The kids had a great time doing their own shopping.

Our next PTC Movie Night will be on Friday, January 12. Please note that the Mother and Son Date Night was rescheduled for Monday, January 8.

We will have a half day on Friday, January 19. This is the end of the first semester. It's hard to believe that we are almost half way through the school year. Be on the look out for report cards, they should be coming home with your student on Friday, January 26.

We'd like to welcome Amanda VanPoortfliet to Crystal Lake Elementary. Mrs. VanPoortfliet is our new school secretary. Her e-mail address is vanpoortflieta@benzieschools.net. Mrs. VanPoortfliet has three students who attend Benzie Central Schools, two of which attend Crystal Lake. Please join us in welcoming her to the office.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FEBRUARY 2018

2/9 BOARD GAME DESIGN NIGHT AT MILLS COMMUNITY HOUSE
2/12 SCHOOL BOARD MEETING 7:00 PM
2/16 HALF DAY
2/16 #ONEBENZIE NIGHT BOYS JV/Y BASKETBALL VS MESICK
6:00/7:30 FREE ENTRY TO GAME WHEN WEARING RED.

2/17 LEGO SATURDAY AT BENZONIA PUBLIC LIBRARY

2/19 NO SCHOOL

2/23 MOVIE NIGHT

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WINTER IS UPON US! YOUR CHILD WILL NEED TO BE PREPARED FOR COLD WEATHER WITH A HAT, MITTENS, WARM COAT, BOOTS & SNOW PANTS FOR THE WINTER MONTHS. PLEASE, PLEASE, SEND SHOES!!!



Character Café

Our December 2017

"Respect" Character Café recipients

Caleb Case & Mason Dotson

Olíver Graetz & Syldee Brozofsky

Cece Evans & Aiden Routley

Lílly Converse & Efraín Roman

Adam Wood & Rowan Zickert

Sophie McLaren & Octavias Daniels

Congratulations!

LEGO SATURDAY

February 17, 2018

Noon-2:30PM

At Mills Community House-Lower Level

Home of the Benzonia Public Library

For boys and girls ages 6 to 106.

Create-Build-Imagine

For information call 231-882-4111 or visit the website at

www.benzonialibrary.org



Lunch news: **Full Pay lunch price is \$2.65**. Students who bring cold lunch and plan to use the microwave to warm up food, please bring food in microwave safe plates and bowls.

February Birthdays

2/2 Travon Drake 2/2 Abigail Mitchell 2/3 Carter Hook 2/3 lanto Mathews 2/4 Annabella Ullom 2/7 Dayne Gillison 2/12 Jayden Girvin 2/13 Brynn Taylor 2/14 Johnathan Knapp 2/14 Riley VanBrocklin

2/17 Maxwell Wilhelm 2/20 Gregory Stover 2/20 Rowan Zickert 2/23 Sophie McLaren 2/23 Macey Nelson 2/25 Wyatt Brown 2/25 Dante Taillard 2/25 Gabriel Taillard 2/26 Peyton Knapp

Our Mission: The mission of Crystal Lake Elementary School is to ensure that all students who leave this school have necessary academic and social skills to empower them to be positive, successful, and respectful learners.

PTC MOVIE NIGHT CRYSTAL LAKE ELEMENTARY

MOVIE NIGHT IS A PRIVILEGE. IF ANY STUDENT DISPLAYS INAPPROPRIATE BEHAVIOR DURING MOVIE NIGHT, THEIR PAR-ENTS WILL BE CONTACTED TO COME AND PICK THEM UP. THEY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO RETURN TO ANY FUTURE MOVIE NIGHTS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR. PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOUR STUDENT AND MAKE SURE THEY UNDERSTAND THIS. THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE IN MAKING SURE YOUR STUDENT DISPLAYS SAFE AND

RESPONSIBLE BEHAVIOR.

JANUARY MOVIE NIGHT IS ON FRIDAY FEBRUARY 25TH



PTC NEWS

The next PTC meeting is on February13th at 5:15 in the library.

The current PTC board members are:

Candice Swander-President Lindsay Evans-Vice President Stephanie Groves-Treasurer Caribe McClellan-Secretary Julie Sullivan-Fundraising Representative

We look forward to serving you and Crystal Lake Elementary School. Please join us at our meetings, ask us questions whenever you see us, and please, please, volunteer for any of our events! Parent involvement is crucial to our success in the PTC. Please email us at benzieclptc@gmail.com with any questions. Also check out the PTC board in the hallway, and check us out on FB at Crystal Lake Elementary PTC for the most up to date information on PTC events. Have a great year!

Sincerely, Crystal Lake PTC

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