



Parkview Elementary School

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Parkview staff and students enjoyed being back during the last half of November. We are so grateful for the support of our amazing community during our temporary disruption.

Report Card Conferences

Thank you to all the parents/guardians that attended the goal setting conferences. If you were unable to attend your conference, please contact your teacher to reschedule. Students will work on these goals and their next report will reflect their progress.

Remembrance Day

Courtney Abromovich represented Parkview Elementary on November 11, 2019. She placed a wreath at the Sicamous Centotaph. Thank you Courtney.

Moustache Day

On Friday, November 22nd students displayed their best moustaches. This is our annual show of support for “Movember.”





Bey Blades

Since September Beyblades have been a very popular game here at Parkview. Unfortunately there have been many arguments and hurt feelings due to the borrowing or keeping of other childrens' bey blades. They younger children are unsure of the consequences of "lending" their toys to others and then get upset. We have tried many different ways to solve the problems but they are still occurring. Please remind your child that at Parkview we do not play bey blades or marbles for "keepsies". Also, trading and borrowing bey blades at school is not allowed. We thank you in advance for your support

Winter Concert

Plan to attend our Winter Concert on Tuesday, December 10th at 5:30 p.m. Students have been working very hard to entertain you. If you are unable to attend the evening concert you are welcome to come attend our rehearsal. Our rehearsal will be held 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday. Parkview students will watch the performance during the rehearsal.

Evening Performance begins at 5:30 p.m. Doors will open at 5:00. Students need to arrive in their classrooms no later than 5:15 p.m. The children stay with their teachers until the end of the concert, usually about an hour and a half. They will only be in the gym to perform and will meet their parents in their class after the show's school wide grand finale. If your child cannot attend either performance, please let the school know in advance. Please call if you have any questions. Our leadership students will be gratefully accepting donations to the Foodbank.

Winter Activities

The month of December is packed full of activities.

Our monthly assembly will be held on Monday, December 2nd beginning at 8:25 a.m. Recognition will be given to students who had near perfect attendance during September through November, as well as student Bucketfillers.

December 10th and 11th is our annual Scholastic Book Fair! We hope you can visit our Book Fair. Proceeds from the fair are used to purchase new books for our school library.



On December 11th we will have pajama/movie day! We encourage all students and staff to wear their jammies – feel free to bring a pillow, blanket or stuffy to school that day!

On December 9 -13th students will be decorating their classroom doors. The doors will be judged on Friday, December 13th and prizes will be awarded.

On Thursday December 19th we will be holding a Winter Craft day. Students will make many interesting crafts in multi-grade groupings.

Our monthly lunch will feature Subway for December. Watch for the order forms to be sent home soon. Our lunch will take place on Thursday, December 19.

On Friday, December 20 students will participate in a sing-along in the gym at 12:30. Friday is also a Parkview Pride Day so be sure to wear your school shirts and hoodies. If you don't have a Parkview shirt be sure to wear red.

Parkview Shirts

Look for order forms the first week of January for Parkview shirts.

Winter Break

Winter break begins on Monday, December 23 and students return to school on **Monday January 6th**. Have a wonderful holiday everyone – we look forward to seeing you in the New Year!