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UPCOMING DATES

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| Dec 5 | Bourbonnais Tree |
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| | Lighting, 6:00 |
| Dec 6 | Bradley Lighted |
| | Christmas Parade, 6:30 |
| | (sign-up link coming soon!) |
| Dec 9 | Last day to order TRIP/ |
| | RaiseRight gift cards! |
| Dec 10 | Preschool Christmas |
| | Program, 6:30 |
| Dec 19 | K-8th Christmas |
| | Program, 6:30 |
| Dec 20 | Early Dismissal ** |
| | 11:15 preK / 11:30 K-8 |
| | **No afternoon ext. care!** |
| Dec 23-Jan 3 | NO SCHOOL |

CHRIStMas =Break=

Jan 6 Jan 7 School resumes First day to enroll for 2025-2026 school year! (*Mailing coming soon*)

BASKETBALL GAME HELP: Please contact Julie Dummer if you can help in the concession stand or at the ticket desk for basketball games this month and next. This is a fun and easy way to get some partnership hours! (Parents of athletes, remember you are required to work *five* shifts during the year!)

TRIP / RAISERIGHT: There is still time to order gift cards for Christmas presents! Please see Julie Dummer in the cafeteria after school. The last order for physical gift cards will go in on Monday, December 9th. (But remember you can still place eGift card orders anytime!) SCHOOL CHRISTMAS EVENTS:

- <u>Thursday, December 5th</u>: Annual Bourbonnais tree lighting. A signup genius will be sent out for K-8th students. (5th-8th students who sign up need to attend Mrs. Dyche's choir leading up to it!)
- <u>Friday, December 6th</u>: Bradley Lighted Christmas Parade. Be watching for a sign-up link from the PTL! Great *partnership hour* opportunity.
- <u>Tuesday, December 10th</u>: Preschool Christmas program at 6:30.
- <u>Thursday</u>, <u>December 19th</u>: Our Christmas program will begin at 6:30. This is for all K-4th students and 5th-8th choir students.

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Emma Amezquita, and Tim Slach for putting together the PTL Mother-Son Olympics last Sunday. It was such a fun event and you did a fantastic job!

CHRISTMAS WORSHIP BAND: All 6th-12th grade band and orchestra students, along with any adult musicians, are invited to join the Worship Ensemble on Sunday, December 15th, during the 8:30 worship service. We will hold a morning rehearsal (and breakfast!) on Saturday, December 14th at 9:00 in the school gym. Contact Bill Dyche at 815-592-0870 or bill.dyche66@gmail.com if you are interested in participating!

ABSENCES: remember that you *must* either call the office or send Mrs. Olney a Fast Direct if your child will be missing school for any reason! Please and thank you.