



Harrison Highlighter.....

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Important Dates

December	14	Young Author Club Publishing Party 2:15PM - 3:15PM (last class)
December	15	After School Band Practice PTO Meeting in the Library 7:00PM
December	18	Before School Orchestra Practice Winter Sing 1:00PM Winter Room Parties 1:15PM - 2:00PM
December 21 - January 1		Winter Break
January	4	School Resumes
January	5	After School Band Practice
January	8	Before School Orchestra Practice

Office Hours during Winter Break

The Harrison office will be closed during winter break. We would like to take this opportunity to wish all our Harrison families the happiest of holidays. Relax and enjoy time spent with family and friends!



The Giving Tree

If you have taken a tag (or two) from the Giving Tree please return the gift(s) to the school office at this time. Please contact the office if you should have any questions regarding The Giving Tree. Thank you for reaching out to our Harrison families in need!

Lost and Found

Please remind your child to check the lost and found. There are many coats, sweatshirts, lunchbags and other misc. items. All items left will be donated to a local charity during the winter break.

As the temperatures drop...

We use the Weather Bug station located on the middle schools' campus to determine our in/out status during the winter months. If the temperature with the wind chill factored in is 0 or above, we typically go outdoors for recess and a.m. lineup. The temperature is monitored throughout the school day. Given that we do go outdoors in the winter months, it is important that our learners have sufficient winter gear for the day's weather: coats, snow pants, boots, hats, gloves, scarfs, etc. Boots and snow pants which are great for the added warmth, are required if your child wishes to leave the blacktop or playground surfaces and play in the actual snow.



Calling all Students!

Does your child have a secret talent or variety act that would make us smile? Can he/she sing, dance, yodel, rap, rock a heavy metal guitar, perform martial arts or magic, juggle or make us laugh? Is your child afraid of being the center of attention? Get a group of friends to perform together. HSS wants to see your talented kids in action!

Make sure your child has a registration form filled out and turned in to HSS no later than December 15th and remember, acts can be no longer than 2 minutes.

Auditions:

January 14th - 2:30 PM

Dress rehearsal: January 21st - 2:30 PM (for the 1/28 show) & January 25th at 2:30 PM (for the 1/29 show)

After School Enrichment Registration

ASE registration forms are coming home today through backpack mail. The class brochure is available on the PTO website, www.harrisonpto.org. Registration runs from Monday, December 14 - Friday, December 18. Classes are filled on a first come, first serve basis so turn in forms promptly. A limited number of paper copies of the ASE class brochure will be available in the main office.

After School Enrichment gives HSS students the chance to participate in fun activities-- sports, arts & crafts, games-- and all classes are free. Contact Sarah Karch if you have any questions, scyt@yahoo.com / 630-208-8028.



Student Lunch Accounts

Negative lunch balance slips are sent home on Mondays. Please check your child's backpack for those notices.



Box Tops

Keep on clipping those Boxtops! Every boxtop that is turned in is 10¢ that comes back to Harrison! Be sure to check the expiration date. Thank you!