

Green Elementary- A Leader in Me School

# PARENT UPDATE



December 2017

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**Candyland Donations & Volunteers Needed!**

We are gearing up to host our annual Holiday Workshop and PJ Day on Dec 15th. If you are willing to send in any of the following items they would be greatly appreciated. We are also looking for board certified volunteers to help that day. If you are available, please call the school office.

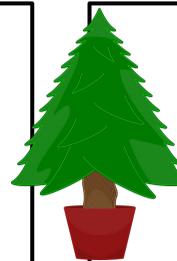
- \*ornament hooks
- \*M&M's
- \*wooden clothespins
- \*gum drops
- \*snack size ziplock bags\*icing (white or green)
- \*mini marshmallows
- \*paper plates
- \*chocolate chips
- \*plastic knives
- \*sprinkles
- \*mini candy canes
- \*holiday candy
- \*small ice cream cones (cone shaped, not flat bottom, to make into trees)



Last month we held our annual Student for a Day event. We had over 100 parents join us for these half day visits to learn about learning at Green first hand. We greatly enjoyed having our families join us to participate in our daily learning and leadership activities. Look for photos on our school website!

**Student Lighthouse is conducting their annual holiday sucker sale and Adopt a Family campaign** in conjunction with our PTO. Suckers can be purchased for 50 cents each at lunches and additional monetary donations can be made in the collection containers in each classroom. This collection allows us to help a school family have a wonderful holiday.

Check the LHSD website, listen to SAM FM or watch the local news channels to check for inclement weather delays and closings.



### HABIT HINT

This time of year we talk a lot about being proactive and how we are each in charge of our response in any situation. Students know the difference between a water kid & a soda pop kid-water might get shaken up, but settles without exploding!

## TRACKING OUR WILDLY IMPORTANT GOALS (WIGS)

Our school is tracking some Wildly Important Goals (WIGS) in order to ensure school-wide success. These areas are being tracked at the individual student level, class level and school level so we can see how our reading strategies, behavior and attendance come together to help us be successful in school.

### BEHAVIOR

We have maintained our behavior percentage in the 80s so far this grading period. We want to be sure that all students behaving across all school settings.

### ATTENDANCE

Our attendance has run between 96-97% each week. It is so important that our students be in attendance each day to do their best in learning and leading!

### READING SKILLS

During the 1st grading period we had 89% of student make growth in reading. We are continually working to help students expand their skills so we can meet our goal of 100%

## Scholastic Pajama Drive

Our school is collecting new PJs in all children's sizes for the Scholastic PJ Drive. The book company will pair each set of PJs with a new bedtime story and donate them to children in need across America. Help us share a love of reading!