



## Happenings at Edwards

**NO SCHOOL** – Winter Break: **December 23<sup>rd</sup> – Jan 3<sup>rd</sup>** – School resumes – **January 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Lost & Found** – Be sure to check the lost & found for your student’s missing items. We have 3 racks full of coats & sweatshirts that need to find their way home!

**Friday Food Bags** – We received a generous donation from Pacific Foods & Northwest Christian Church. If you are signed up to receive a Friday Food Bag you may stop by the office any time after Dec 18<sup>th</sup> to pick up your boxes. If you are in need, please stop by or call the office to sign up.

**Messages for your student** – We understand plans can change throughout the day, if it is necessary to send a message to your student please contact the office **prior to 2:30pm** so we can make sure your student receives the message.

**Pick up & Drop off** - If you are picking up your student please park in the parking lot. **DO NOT** park in the lane in front of the school. This is unsafe and blocks the flow of cars. If you pick up or drop your student off on 6<sup>th</sup> street near the District office you need to **park in the designated area’s only**. There is **NO** designated area to drop off or pick up your child. Please **DO NOT** stop in the street and let your child out of the car. This is very dangerous and your student’s safety is our priority.

**Local Resources for the Holiday’s** – Does your family need help with toys for Christmas? Toy & Joy applications are available at Newberg FISH and LOVE, Inc.

### **Free Community Meals**

Mondays	Zion Lutheran – 301 S River – 503-538-1344 - 5:30-6:30pm
Tuesday	Dundee Community Center – 1026 Hwy 99W – 5:30-6:30pm (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday)
Wednesday	River Street Church – 715 S River – 503-538-4117 - 6-7pm
Thursdays	Newberg Christian Church – 2315 Villa Rd – 503-538-3104 – 5-6:30pm
Fridays	St Peter Catholic Church – 2315 N Main – 503-538-4312 - 5:30–6:30pm

**Attendance** – If your student is going to be absent please contact the office at 503-554-5050 before 9am. You can always leave a message on this main number. Remember if you need to bring your student in late you can always do so, just bring them in to the office.

**Playground** –There are major things happening at the Edwards Playground. We are getting ready for the installation of phase one of Edwards's new playground. CPRD will be assisting with the installation and there have been many generous donations from the community.

**Visiting the School** – If you are visiting the school you **MUST** check in with the office. If you are having lunch with your student, you need to come to the office first and then to the cafeteria. Thanks for your understanding.

**Holiday Message from Mr. Murphy**

I want to wish you all the best for the upcoming Holiday Season. This Holiday Season please think about maintaining your regular bedtime schedules and routines as much as possible and don't forget to read, read and read some more as you are having fun with family and friends. Have a safe and enjoyable holiday. Mr. Murphy

**Edwards Upcoming Events**

Dec 16-20	No Zone after school
Dec 20	Pajama Day
Dec 23-Jan 3	No School – Winter Break
Jan 6	School Resumes
Jan 13	EVO Meeting – Edwards Library 6pm
Jan 20	No School – Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Jan 31	No School – Staff Prep Day
Feb 5	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Outdoor School Parent Meeting – 6pm
Feb 10	EVO Meeting – Edwards Library 6pm
Feb 17	No School – President's Day
Feb 27-28	No School – Parent Teacher Conferences
March 9	EVO Meeting – Edwards Library 6pm
March 23-27	No School – Spring Break