

Tiger Talk

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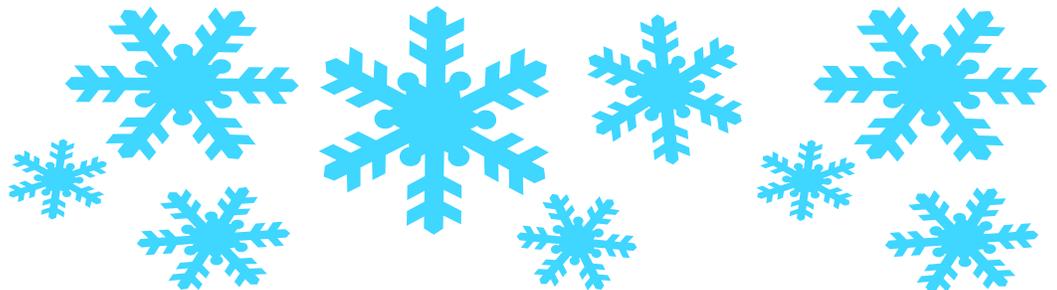
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Beard's Bulletin

Primary Health Care who runs our own Tiger Care is sponsoring "Dancing with the STARS" of North Georgia. Primary Health Care is a non-profit organization, and they focus on providing health care where there is not a lot of access including our own students here at TCE. Yours truly has been asked to dance! All of the money raised will go to Primary Health Care Centers which does such a great job helping our students and community.

Check out how to make a donation at www.dancingstarsnorthgeorgia.com. I need your vote and donations. We are getting down to the wire with donations as the dancing will take place Jan 27th at the Colonnade. It is rare to get to be able to have such a direct impact on our community where 100% of funds go to a local provider that is so close to home. Please invest in our community and vote for me—remember every \$1 is a vote for me, and I desperately need your help!



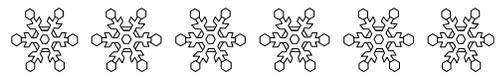
A Peek at the Creek

January 15

No School

January 19

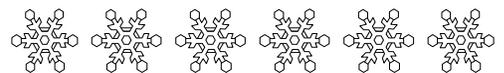
3rd Grade Parent Lunch



Worth quoting

"I know nothing in the world that has as much power as a word. Sometimes I write one, and I look at it until it begins to shine."

—Emily Dickinson



A Peek at February:

- February 1—STEM Night
- February 16 & 19—WINTER BREAK / NO SCHOOL
- February 26—March 2—Book Fair & Dr. Seuss Week



Counselor's Corner

Character Education Trait

It's not hard to get a participation ribbon, but accomplishing something meaningful is almost always difficult. And difficult things take a big dose of this month's Big Idea—

COMMITMENT is making a plan and putting it into practice.

Thank you to everyone for your generosity during this past holiday season. Through your willingness to send in new, unwrapped toys for the Sheriff's Department Stocking Full of Love toy drive, many children in our community were helped on Christmas morning. Thank you so much for reaching out to others and for helping make Christmas brighter for children in our community!

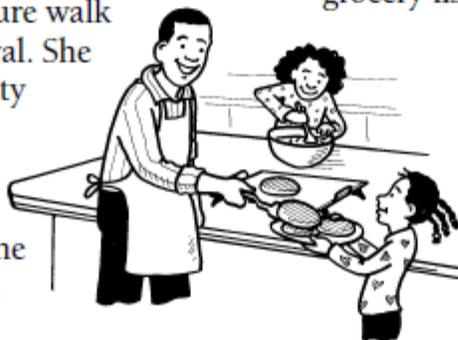
Paws-itive Parenting



Resolve to find family time

Q: *Our New Year's resolution is to spend more time together as a family. Do you have any suggestions for getting our daughters on board?*

A: Try letting each girl pick one special event a month for your family to do, such as a winter nature walk or a kite-flying festival. She could plan the activity and be in charge for the day. For ideas, look at calendars from the library or the parks and recreation department.



Also, look for ways to carve out small amounts of time. If you know you won't be able to eat dinner as a family, pick a different meal to eat together that day. Do errands cooperatively, and try to add an element of fun. For example, divide your grocery list in half, break into teams at the store, and see who can get their items first.

Finally, post family plans ("Pancake breakfast on Sunday," "Craft night at the library") to get your daughters excited about what's ahead.♥



Congratulations

We had 4 students represent TCE at the first ever Catoosa County Tech Fair on December 1st. Fifth graders Patann Roebuck and Sydney Skinner entered a Multi Media Project on Anti-Bullying. Fourth graders Isabella Dedenbach and Sophia O'Shelids entered an Audio Production Project where they wrote and performed a song using Quaver Music. Our 4th graders came in 1st place in their category and will be going on to the Regional Tech Fair on January 26th. Congratulations to all our participants. You did Tiger Creek Elementary proud!

On December 7th, we had our second PBIS House party. The Bengal Tiger House (Red House) earned the most points and received the House Party. The Red House students and teachers were treated to cookies, games, and inflatables in the gym. A grand time was had by all. Which house will win the 3rd House Party in February?

Dismissal Changes

All Dismissal Changes MUST be sent in no later than 12:00 p.m.

Please continue to do all that you can to make arrangements for transportation changes in advance and send a note to your child's teacher. Safety is a priority at TCE and we need time to verify and process any transportation changes.

If there is an emergency after 12:00 noon, an administrator will be available to assist you as needed.

Please remember there are no early dismissals after 2:00 p.m.

Hoops for Heart

Our annual Hoops for Heart event is **Friday, February 2nd.**

We do this event each year to help raise money for The American Heart Association. All money raised will go toward the fight against heart disease and heart related illnesses. Your child does

not have to contribute money in order to participate in the event at school, but they must return the permission slip attached to the packet. We will do the event during your child's connection time on February 2nd. All money contributed will be greatly appreciated. Any parent that would like

to volunteer to help with the event can mark the permission slip saying so or contact Mrs. Moore.



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AFTERNOON CAR RIDER LINE

A friendly reminder

~Dismissal bell rings at 2:30

~Car rider line is finished by 2:45

~Please make every effort to have your child picked up by this time.

If you will be late, please call the school to let us know.

Thank you :)

TITLE I FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

One way Title I helps our school is by having resources available to help students reach their full potential. TCE has one of the best family resource rooms in the county. From flash cards to Leap Frogs, we have something your child will love. These items make learning fun and exciting. Be sure to call or come by and check something out!

We welcome your input. If you have comments or suggestions on purchases with Title I money or about the Tiger Creek Elementary School Title I program, please contact Carrie Webster
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Notes from Nurse Amanda

Asthma at School

Asthma is a common lung disease in children.

Although there is no cure for asthma, with proper care it can be controlled.

At Tiger Creek we have many students with a history of asthma. It is important that we know your child's particular asthma triggers and symptoms and how to

manage his/her asthma at school, including the use of quick relief inhalers and nebulizer treatments.



An *Asthma Action Plan* completed by your child's doctor will provide this needed information.

If your child has asthma but no *Health Plan for School* please contact me to discuss care at school. Let's work together to make sure your child is as healthy as possible and ready to learn.