

# AQUARIAN NEWSLETTER

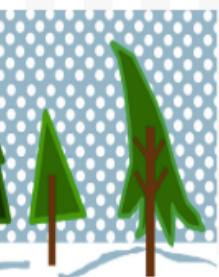
## Winter Spirit Week

December 16th- Friends in Flannel- Wear your favorite flannel

December 17th- Toasty Tuesday- Dress like it's a blizzard outside...either in all white or like you are trying to stay warm.

December 18th- Holiday Cheer- Wear your favorite holiday outfit, ugly christmas sweater, or dress like an elf.

December 19th- Long Winter's Nap- Pajamas All Day



## Giving Opportunity

Ms. Stacy's class has sponsored 3 families in our Anchorage community that are struggling financially. While other organizations are helping with necessities, her class will be supporting the children in the families by buying gifts. If you would like to donate new or gently used gifts you can bring them to her room by Monday, December 16th. The family details are as follows:

1. 5th grade boy, 2nd grade boy, 1st grade boy
2. 3rd grade boy, 2nd grade girl, 1st grade girl
3. 5th grade boy, 7th grade boy, 9th grade girl

## Up Coming Events

- 12/16 APC 5:45
- 12/17 Choir, Dolphin Strings, and Band Concert 6PM
- 12/20 Inservice/ No School
- 12/23-1/3 Winter Break
- 1/6 Third Quarter Begins/ Students Start Back
- 1/6 PTO Meeting 5:30
- 1/18 Family Skate Night 4-6
- 1/20 M.L.K. Day/ No School
- 2/3 PTO Meeting 5:30
- 2/6 Spelling Bee 10am
- 2/7 Jump Rope for heart 6:15-8:00
- 2/11 Explorations
- 2/12 Half Day Release at 12:20/ Conferences
- 2/13 No School/ Conferences
- 2/14 Inservice
- 2/17 Presidents' Day/ No School
- 2/21 PTO Movie Night 6:30PM
- 2/24 JA for a Day

## Band

Kira and Lana made it into the 6th grade honor band! It's a tough audition so this is a huge accomplishment!

The band, choir, and Dolphin Strings concert will be next Tuesday at 6pm! All band students should arrive for the concert by 5:30pm.

# **An Update from the Long-Term Planning Committee**

The School Board voted to include Aquarian's facility repairs on the 2020 school bond for 6.8 million dollars. On Tuesday, December 17th, the Anchorage Assembly will discuss the bond, and will vote on it in January. Keep an eye on your inbox, because once the Assembly has done its thing, we'll be hosting a community forum to plan next steps. Stay tuned!



ATO

The Aquarian Charter School Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) provides support to classroom, office, and school-wide activities. With strong parent participation, the PTO raises funds and organizes regular family events and entertainment. All parents are encouraged to join, attend the regularly scheduled meetings, and participate in the many opportunities to volunteer. Membership fees are \$10 per family, per year, or \$80 for a lifetime membership. For more information please go to the PTO website, [aquarianpto.blogspot.com](http://aquarianpto.blogspot.com) and click "Join PTO", then download the form. The form is also attached to this email.



# Kicks for Kids



Kicks for Kids are picked up 60 pairs of donated shoes/boots from Aquarian last week. This brings our school total to 200 pairs so far this school year. Overall, Aquarian has donated 2,690 pairs of shoes/boots to Kicks for Kids in just under 6.5 years. If you have shoes to donate, please drop them in the bins in the gym!



## Lost and Found

The lost and found is reaching max capacity.

Please stop by this week to look for any lost items. All unclaimed items will be donated on Friday.

# **Vocabulary Word of the Week**



## **delectation**

**The definition of delectation is pleasure  
and delight.**

### **Example:**

I've put a copy of the story in the school newspaper  
for your delectation and amusement.