



### **A NOTE FROM MS. NANCY AND MS. DEBI**

**November** was an exciting month for the children. Thank you for all of the delicious food brought to our Thanksgiving Feasts. We had a great turn-out and enjoyed seeing you.

**December** is a very busy and short month for us. There will be opportunities for parent volunteers to help with crafts etc. If you are available, please let your child's teacher know.

### **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

We will be drawing names on December 5<sup>th</sup> for our gift exchange at our December 19<sup>th</sup> party. If you do not want your child to participate, please let your teacher know by Wednesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. The gift should be between \$12.00 - \$15.00 – wrapped and brought in by December 15<sup>th</sup>. It should have the recipient's name and the child's name giving the gift. If you have a sibling you want to participate in Santa giving him/her a present, please send the present in also by the 15<sup>th</sup> labeled with the child's name and from Santa. The children will be singing a couple of songs and we hope you can attend.

## **RISING STAR MONTESSORI ACADEMY**

440 East Lanier Ave.

Fayetteville, GA. 30214

(770)461-1595

[www.RisingStarMontessoriSchool.com](http://www.RisingStarMontessoriSchool.com)

## **NEWSLETTER – DECEMBER 2014**

### **CALENDAR**

**December 1<sup>st</sup>** – Tuition Due

**December 5<sup>th</sup>** – Drawing of names

**December 15<sup>th</sup>** – Primary Class – Movie to be announced – Wear Pajamas and bring a pillow.

**December 17<sup>th</sup>** – Jr. and Sr. Elementary – Movie to be announced – Wear Pajamas and bring a pillow.

**December 19<sup>th</sup>** – Christmas Party – 10:30. All are invited. 11:45 early release day.

### **CONFERENCES**

Parent/Teacher Conferences will start on January 5<sup>th</sup>. A sign-up sheet will be available at the sign-in table on December 8<sup>th</sup>. We will have 30 minutes allotted times and to stay on schedule, please have any questions or concerns ready to discuss. Call the office for Jr. and Sr. Elementary sign ups.

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!**

T. J. Davis – 12/03

Markson Fraser – 12/10

Jonas Parsell – 12/11

Sydney Stewart – 12/18

Cayna Riley – 12/20

Aarish Popatiya – 12/24

**MS. LEE** – 12/26

Eitenne Guishard – 12/30

## **GUINEA PIGS**

A special thanks to Jada & Michael Mathis for taking care of the guinea pigs during the Thanksgiving break! We are in need of help again for the guinea pigs during the Christmas break. If you are able to help, please call the office. Thank you.

## **PRIMARY CLASS**

We will discuss Christmas Traditions around the world including Germany, Netherlands, Mexico and the United States. If you have anything to share, please let us know. Each child is to bring in a ½ pint container to make a gingerbread house by December 10<sup>th</sup>.

## **SOUND OF THE WEEK**

December 01 – 05 – “Rr”

December 08 – 12 – “Ww”

December 14 – 19 – “Jj”

## **JR. AND SR. ELEMENTARY CLASSES**

We will be discussing Christmas in Egypt. All students will be doing a diorama. More information and due dates will follow later.

We will draw names for our gift exchange on December 5<sup>th</sup>. Gifts must be brought in by December 15<sup>th</sup>. The gift amount is \$15.00.

We will have a pajama day on December 17<sup>th</sup>. More info will be sent out later.

We will have our party on December 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:15. All parents are invited. School closes at 11:45 for the Christmas break.

## **IN CLOSING**

**During this busy time of activities, let us not forget the real meaning of Christmas and our most important gift, Jesus Christ. May you all have a wonderful and safe Christmas Holiday.**

***MERRY CHRISTMAS!***