

## Ripley Central School

## "Home of the Eagles"

Learn today. Lead tomorrow!

12/15/2023

Dear RCS Families,

The entire family is invited to join us this evening for a special screening of "How the Grinch Stole Christmas" in the large gymnasium. Doors will open at 5:45 pm, with the movie set to begin at 6:00 pm. Families are encouraged to bring along sleeping bags, chairs, or blankets to ensure a cozy and enjoyable experience. Complimentary popcorn will be available upon request. Additionally, a variety of snacks and beverages will be available for purchase at a nominal fee. We look forward to sharing this festive evening with you and your family!

"The best way to spread Christmas cheer is to sing loud for all to hear." ~Buddy the Elf

RCS Staff kicked off Christmas in Ripley last Friday evening with a wagon of carolers. A big thank you goes out to Knight Farms for providing the wagon, tractor, and driver to make this happen. Over 30 adults and children traveled the streets of Ripley singing for our community. Students followed suit today by visiting the Ripley First Baptist Church to sing at the Ripley Seniors Luncheon. A big thank you goes out to Miss Goetz for continuing this tradition for our students.

Speaking of Miss Goetz, we are delighted to announce that our Winter Concert is just around the corner. It is scheduled for this coming Wednesday, December 20, in the large gymnasium. To ensure you have ample time to settle in, doors will open at 5:30 pm, and the concert will kick off promptly at 6:00pm. Students in grades 1 to 6 are eager to showcase the musical skills they've been working on since September. Join us for an evening filled with joy, melody, and the wonderful accomplishments of our talented musicians. Bring the whole family!

Students from CLCS will be visiting this coming Thursday to deliver letters from Santa, candy-grams, as well as stories. This is a wonderful tradition that has been taking place for many years. It's always exciting to see former students and siblings when they visit. A big thank you goes out to the CLCS National Honor Society for keeping this tradition going.

The last day before break will be Thursday, December 21 with the school being closed beginning December 22.

Yours in education,

Mr. Micah Oldham RCS Principal 716-736-2631 moldham@ripleycsd.org

Upcoming Events

Friday, December 15
PTO Family Movie Night
How the Grinch Stole
Christmas

Large Gym @ 6:00 pm

Wednesday, December 20 Holiday Crafts 3:15-4:30 pm

Holiday Concert Large Gym @ 6:00 pm

Thursday, December 21 Holiday Crafts is Cancelled

Friday, December 22 School Closed

Tuesday, January 2
Classes Resume

<sup>&</sup>quot;Personal responsibility means that we own our thoughts, words and actions."