



Olympia South Elementary
Mrs. Stacey Rogers, Principal
Parent Update-Week of December 4th, 2023



This Week At South:

- Monday** - Erin's Law Lessons
Tuesday - **12 Days of Spartan Cheer Begins** - Jersey or Team Apparel Day
2:30-3:40pm - After School Interventions
Wednesday - Early Release Day - Dismissal at 12:00pm - AM PreK attends
PK-2 - NED assembly / 3-5 STEM activities
Thursday - 2:30-3:40pm - **LAST DAY** of After School Interventions for 1st Semester
Friday - 7:50am - **November Spartan Spotlight Walk of Fame**
Erin's Law Lessons
Break the Rules Day-Bring a stuffed animal

OLY SOUTH PTO PRESENTS
BREAK THE RULES
Day!
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8TH

For a \$1 donation, students may bring their favorite
"small" stuffed animal to school for the day!
"Small" = fits into the child's backpack.



WANT TO BRING ANY SIZE STUFFED ANIMAL?
FOR A \$25 DONATION, STUDENTS CAN BRING A
STUFFED ANIMAL AS BIG AS THEY WANT!!

Please be mindful of room on buses when deciding which option to participate in.

Early Release Day Plans

NEXT Wednesday, December 6th, we will have our next Early Release Day. AM PreK/ECE will attend. There will be some special activities planned for students on that half day morning. PK, K, 1st and 2nd

grade will enjoy the NED assembly. Information about the assembly and an opportunity to order yo-yo's has been sent home with your students.

Grades 3, 4, and 5 will all participate in a special STEM activity.

Dismissal will still be at noon and lunch will still be served.

NHS-Letters to Santa

Olympia High Schools National Honor is sponsoring letters from Santa project. NHS students will write letters as Santa to your kids for Christmas. There is no cost. If interested, please fill out the required questions below, so we are able to make the letters customized. These letters will be written, and mailed to your house before Christmas! Forms are due Friday, December 8th, 2023. Fill out a new form for each child.

<https://forms.gle/s5wMXZJRvN1Ngvgj7>

Snow Packets are in red folders

Snow packet 1 and 2 are in your children's red folder in the back pocket. They are to remain there until they are needed. If school is to close for weather-related reasons and Dr. O'Donnell calls for an e-learning day, Snow Packet 1 will be used. Hopefully we won't need them, but they are there if we do!

OHS - Phone calls to Santa

This year, the OHS student council is doing "Santa Calls" with children from around the district. Parents can fill out the attached Google Form and have an elf contact their child between 3:45 and 7 PM on December 18th, 19th, or 20th

[Google Form for Santa Calls](#)




K-2 Holiday Music Concert will be NEXT Wednesday, December 13th

For this year's Christmas Program, Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd Grade Students should arrive on December 13 in the Olympia South Gym by 5:45 PM at the latest so we know if anyone is missing. Kindergarten students should report directly to the risers and 1st and 2nd graders should go to their spot on the gym floor for their class, in their order. All students should leave their coats with their families. Students do not need to wear anything specific, just whatever their holiday best means to you. The concert should be done no later than 6:30 pm. We look forward to seeing you!

Olympia Elementary Schools Will Open Gyms for Adults to walk in the mornings!

Friday, December 1st, kicked off our first day of gym walking. All three elementary gyms will be open for adults to have an indoor walking space from 5-7am. Click on the flyer below for information.

 Elementary Gym Walking Flyer.png

Important Upcoming Dates:

December 13th - 6pm - K-2 Christmas Concert-OSE gym

December 20th - 2nd quarter Ends, Last day before Winter Break, Normal Dismissal Time

December 21st-January 3rd - No School - Winter Break

January 4th - Students return to school

January 8th - January 12th - Winter MAP assessment window

January 15th - No School, MLK Jr. Day

February 1st - DIAL preschool screening

February 7th -Early Release Day - PM PreK attends

Link for Flyers: Please check out our recently added flyers:

<http://www.olympia.org/o/district/browse/16336>