4th Grade Monday Letter

Weeks #12 and 13: November 24th – December 5th

- 1. **Thanksgiving Vacation:** This Wednesday, November 26th students will be dismissed from their classrooms at 12:00 for the Thanksgiving Vacation. Please note that lunch will NOT be served on this day, but students will still have snack during the morning. There will be no school on Thursday, November 27th or Friday, November 28th. If you are planning on leaving early or returning late after Thanksgiving Vacation, please let your student's classroom teacher know as soon as possible.
- 2. **Wednesday, December 3rd is an Early Release Day:** Students will be dismissed from the classroom at 12:40 for our third day of parent-teacher conferences. (Lunch will be served on early dismissal days, so students should plan on bringing or buying their lunch and snack as usual.)
- 3. **UDP:** Our last session of the Understanding Our Differences Program will be Friday, December 5th from 8:10-10:10am. During this session the students will learn about and discuss various intellectual disabilities.
- 4. **Book Fair Monday, December 1**st- **Friday December 5**th: As a reminder, each class will get a chance to visit the Book Fair during the school day and fourth graders are welcome to bring money to buy books. Families are also welcome to visit during the school day, or after school hours to purchase books. All money earned from book sales benefits the Driscoll Library.

Book Fair Hours:

Monday: 10:30am - 3:00pm Tuesday: 7:30am - 5:00pm Wednesday: 7:30am - 3:00pm Thursday: 7:30am - 3:00pm Friday: 7:30am - 2:15pm

- 5. **Change of Date Parent Share:** Due to Science Solstice, we changed the date of our *First Quarter Parent Share* to **Monday, December 15**th from 8:00-8:30am. We hope you can all still make it! This is an opportunity for your child to show you what he/she has been working on across the subject areas and for you to mingle with other parents in the class.
- 6. **Change of Date Picture Re-takes:** The date of school picture re-takes was changed to **Wednesday, December 10**th. Please mark this on your calendar so your student is prepared if you would like a new school picture.

IMPORTANT DATES: (changes/additions have been underlined)

Wednesday, November 26th: Noon 12:00 Dismissal (lunch will NOT be served)

Thursday, November 27th: NO SCHOOL (Thanksgiving)

Friday, November 28th: NO SCHOOL (Thanksgiving)

Monday, December 1st – Friday, December 5th: Book Fair

Wednesday, December 3rd: K-12 Early 12:40 Dismissal (lunch will be served)

Friday, December 5th: UDP Intellectual Disabilities (8:10-10:10am)

Tuesday, December 9th: K-8 Early 12:40 Dismissal (lunch will be served)

Wednesday, December 10th: Picture Re-takes

Friday, December 12th: Science Solstice

Monday, December 15th: 4th Grade First Quarter Parent Share (8:00-8:30am)

Thursday, December 18th: Field Trip

Friday, December 19th: Grades 3-4 Winter Concert 8:30am (theater)

Wednesday, December 24th – Friday, January 2nd: NO SCHOOL (Winter Vacation)

Friday, January 9th: 5K Hosts 3-5 Community Meeting (8:15am in theater)

Monday, January 19th: NO SCHOOL (MLK Jr. Day)

Friday, February 6th: 4W Hosts 3-5 Community Meeting (8:15am in theater)

Monday, February 16th- Friday, February 20th: NO SCHOOL (February Vacation)

Friday, March 6th: 5S Hosts 3-5 Community Meeting (8:15am in theater)

Friday, May 1st: 3S Hosts 3-5 Community Meeting (8:15am in theater)

Friday, May 15th: 4M Hosts 3-5 Community Meeting (8:15am in theater)

Friday, May 29th: 5H Hosts 3-5 Community Meeting (8:15am in theater)