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The BEST of Northwood Elementary



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BEST = Building Excellence Successfully Together

December 15, 2017

Calendar Dates:

- December 18** **Holiday Party Kindergarten – 9:15-10:15 am**
 Holiday Party 1st grade – 11:15 am-12:15 pm
- December 19** **Holiday Party 3rd grade – 8:30-9:30 am**
 Holiday Party 5th grade – 10:15-11:15 am
- December 20** **Holiday Party 2nd grade – 8:30-9:30 am**
 Holiday Party 4th grade – 10:00-11:00 am
- December 21** **Red Team/Blue Team meeting 8:00 am**
 Last day of the Semester
- Dec 22-Jan 5** **NO SCHOOL – WINTER-BREAK – (Students return January 8, 2018)**
- January 12** **All Pro Dad's Breakfast 7:10 am**
 Report Cards Go Home
- January 15** **NO SCHOOL - MLK Holiday**
- January 16** **Julia Bernath Meeting with Katha Stuart - Holcomb Bridge MS - 9:30 am**
- January 18** **Chick Fil A Night – Benefits Relay for Life – 5:00 – 8:00 pm**

NEWS AROUND NORTHWOOD



In connection with our Light and Sound unit, *4th grade* students enjoyed an in-house field trip with Georgia Power. They learned about the efficiency of different types of light bulbs and the amount of energy each one uses. Students enjoyed participating by measuring the wattage of each bulb. They also practiced their math skills in determining which bulb would be the most cost effective. Ask your child to share what they learned!



First grade has been very busy learning about Lewis, Clark, and Sacajawea! We have also be exploring character traits! In addition to this, we had a real life science lesson and had a chance to play, and learn, in the snow!

5th grade- Calling all business professionals! 5th grade is seeking business owners, entrepreneurs, and marketers to speak with our students about: start up risks, marketing, supply and demand, investors, opportunity costs, budgeting, etc. Your insight will help us prepare for a 'Market Day' and 'Shark Tank Day'. Please contact robertsh@fultonschools.org if you are interested or have any questions.



Message from our Eco Team

The following Northwood students have proudly accepted the **Waste Free Wednesday** challenge by packing their lunch in reusable containers. They are a great example of how we can “go green” during lunch.

Kindergarten - Ella Hardison, Shaarav Parikh, Sophia Cunningham, Jovanny Perez-Cruz, Sam Schmissrauter, Sahasra Annabathula, Carolina Fernandez and Evan Bergeron

First Grade - Ananya Krishnan, Elizabeth Sotola, Aubrie Anderson, Nicki Dobbs,

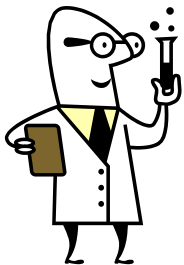
Second Grade – Megan Hong, Janvi Bokka, Ben Earman, Mackenzie Lowry, Kelsey Akins, Ishaan Rajdeo, Benjamin Leibowitz, Stella Laffaye

Third Grade - Mason Kapella, Trenton Dahl, Kelsey Barker and PingPong Rentz,

Fourth Grade – Cooper Fernandez, Linoy Dvorkin and Om Jagtap

Fifth Grade – Lauren Trute, Colton Farmer, Hunter Josephson, Will Saunders, Lily Hoffman and Mr. Chaffer

Red and Blue Team Meetings - Twice a year the school has a school-wide pep rally. We call these the Red and Blue Team Meetings. The school is divided into two teams. Half of the students are on the Red Team and the other half of the students are on the Blue Team. The **Red Team meets in the gym** and the **Blue Team meets in the cafeteria**. At these team meetings different grade levels have performances based on things they are learning in the classroom, a few special awards are handed out, and everyone joins in with special chants and cheers. Our first Red Team/Blue Team meeting will be **December 21st at 8:00 am. Kindergarten, Grade 2, and Grade 5** will be performing and we would love for our parents and families to come watch the performance. The team meeting will last about 30 minutes.



Northwood's STEM Day

is right around the corner...

*and we need your help! Please consider collecting and donating the following items for the exciting STEM experiments that will take place at Northwood - **all day!** – on January 19th.*

**Please start collecting today!
Bins are located in the front foyer of the school.
Items are needed by January 15th!**

- Paper towel tubes, wrapping paper tubes and toilet paper tubes
- Newspaper – please just the newspaper, NO ads or flyers
- Ziploc baggies – ALL SIZES
- Balloons, any color, any size
- Plates – paper and plastic (all sizes)
- Straws
- Cups – (all sizes/paper or plastic)

Please place items carefully in the STEM DAY COLLECTION BOXES in College Avenue, near Ms. Evangelista's office. (Students can bring items to their homeroom teachers or place the items in the collection box themselves.)

THANK YOU so much in advance!

We are happy to provide information about the following programs, but please note that they are not sponsored by Northwood Elementary School**



Girls wanted! All skill levels welcome! Sign up now for the 2018 Spring Season Roswell Recreation Girls Youth Fastpitch Softball. Ages 6 and up are welcome. To register, please visit www.roswellgov.com. For more information on the program, contact Dan Stephens at stepdh00@yahoo.com.



Cafeteria News

Adult lunches are \$3.45. Please have only your child join you at the designated visitor tables. Please remember that outside fast food is not allowed.

This can be a special "Parent and Me" treat.

Lunch Menu

Please be prepared to present your driver's license, identification card containing a photograph issued by a governmental entity of the United States, or a valid passport

[Lunch Menu – December 18-21](#)

<http://www.fultonschools.org/en/divisions/ops/Nutrition/Pages/MenuCalendars.aspx>

12/18 – Tomato Basil Soup w/ Grilled Cheese – Mini Hotdogs – Turkey & Cheese Wrap

12/19 – Mango Chicken – Popcorn Chicken – Jamwich Pack

12/20 – Spaghetti Casserole – Tex Mex Nachos – Cheese Nachos – Yogurt and Cheese Pack

12/21 – Chicken of the Day – Mini Burgers – Black Bean Taco Salad

12/22 – NO SCHOOL (Winter Break)

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