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# LUCERNE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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## 2017 WINTER PROGRAM



You are invited to attend our Winter Program on Thursday, December 14th. The kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grade classes will sing holiday songs for your entertainment. The program will begin at 5:30 p.m. in the cafeteria.

## WINTER BREAK

Just a reminder to parents and students that Friday, December 15th will be the last day before our Winter Break. **Friday, December 15th is a MINIMUM DAY for students.** Release time is as follows:

Early Start Kindergarten 12:30 p.m.

Late Start Kindergarten 1:30 p.m.

Primary (1-3) - 1:00 p.m.

Upper Grades - 1:30 p.m.



Winter Break December 18, 2017 - January 2, 2018

## SECOND QUARTER AWARDS' ASSEMBLY

On Friday, December 15th, we will hold our second quarter Awards Assembly. Principal's Honor Roll, Honor Roll, Perfect Attendance, and Penmanship certificates will be presented to eligible students. All parents, friends and community members are welcome to attend. The awards schedule is as follows:

Kindergarten – 3<sup>rd</sup> 10:00 a.m.

4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup>: 9:15 a.m.



## SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

The next meeting of the Lucerne Elementary School District Board of Trustees will be held on Wednesday, December 13, 2017. Closed session will begin at 5:30 p.m. in room C-8.

## MAKE-UP PICTURE DAY

Make-up picture day for students is **Friday, December 1st.** Prices will depend upon which picture package you select. On picture day, exact payment is required. Lifetouch or the school office cannot make change.



## "TURKEY SHOOT"



Lucerne Booster Club held a basketball free-throw contest on Thursday, November 16th. The students had the opportunity to shoot a basketball for a chance to win Thanksgiving turkeys donated by the Booster Club and Sysco Foods.

Following is a list of turkey shoot winners:

K Grade - Mary Goodrich, Gage Nevarez

1<sup>st</sup> Grade – Olive Phillips-Blair, Jaxon Spencer

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – Veronica Overholt, Barry Henning

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – Olive Hopkins, Sean McCulloch

4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Hailey Woolsey, Kyle Schaffter

5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Desiree McCarty, Jonathan Franklin

6<sup>th</sup> Grade – Brandy Mitchell, Brandon Pulido

7<sup>th</sup> Grade – Crystal Mitchell, Eddie Knight

8<sup>th</sup> Grade – Ashley Leonard, Kyle Grandi

## CHARACTER COUNTS

The month of November and December, students and teachers are focusing on the character pillar of CARING. - Be kind • Be compassionate and show you care • Express gratitude • Forgive others • Help people in need • Be charitable and altruistic.

Families can help reinforce honesty, loyalty, integrity and trust by encouraging students to exhibit this behavior. We look forward to seeing good student citizens at our school and in our community. The next Character Counts assembly will be held:

**Monday, December 11, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.**

## WINTER DANCE

Lucerne Elementary School will be having a winter dance this year for students in the 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades. It will be December 1st from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Students will need to have above a 2.0 with an "S" in citizenship to attend the dance.

## PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Due to winter weather and road conditions, please remember to drive slow and to put you and your child's safety first. Bus routes may run a little late due to wet and icy road conditions.

**DICKENS' FAIRE**

**November 25 @ 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM**

Main Street, Lakeport

Enjoy the sights and sounds of an old fashion holiday. Main Street merchants and vendors will offer holiday gifts and food. Lots of free activities for the kids. Come in costume and enter the Dickens' theme costume contest for prizes. Take a photo with Santa and stay for caroling and the tree lighting at 5:30.

**ANNUAL HOLIDAY CRAFT BAZAAR**

**December 2 – December 3 @ 10:00 pm – 5:00 pm**

Christmas Arts and Crafts Fair presented by Cobb Mountain Artists. Holiday by the Lake, is Saturday, Dec. 2, and Sunday, Dec. 3, in Lewis Hall at the Lake County Fairgrounds in Lakeport, also from 10 am. to 5 p.m.

**UPPER LAKE HOLIDAY LIGHT PARADE**

**December 2 @ 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm**

Main Street Upper Lake

Festivities include a light parade; Lighting of the Christmas Tree, Holiday Music & Caroling and Santa arrives to visit with the children. Enjoy delicious hot drinks & sweet treats. Fun for the whole family! The Upper Lake Lighted Holiday Parade is a community favorite.

**CLEARLAKE CHRISTMAS PARADE**

**December 2 @ 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm**

Please join us for our Annual Christmas Parade featuring Pete and Denise Loustalot as Mr. and Mrs. Claus. The Parade begins at Redbud Park, travels along Lakeshore Blvd. culminating at Austin Park

**CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY**

**December 1 @ 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM**

Main Street, Kelseyville

Kelseyville Christmas in the Country Merchant Open House & Parade of Lights. The Merchant Open House begins at 5:30pm followed by the Parade of Lights at 6:30pm and town tree lighting at the Firehouse. Santa will be at Westamerica Bank for photos with the kids and The Bridge Band playing for your musical enjoyment. Free horse drawn wagon rides throughout the evening. Merchants will be offering free cocoa and snacks as well as dinner fare at St. Peter's Catholic Church and Kelseyville Presbyterian Church. Holiday singing and snacks and drinks at the Methodist Church and Miniature Quilt display at Saw Shop Gallery Bistro. Many other food options to choose from. Event & Food schedule can be found on the Kelseyville Business Association.

