



December, 2010

We are enjoying the holiday season. The cold air tells us that it is almost winter. Please remember to bring warm coats, hats and gloves for outdoor recess. Recess can sometimes be the highlight of our day!

Tomorrow, December 2, is Grant's holiday music program at Central Middle School. It begins at 7:00. Mrs. Sand and the children have been working hard to make sure this is an excellent show.

Next week we will finish our study of earth materials. Our next science topic is "Animals with Backbones". This is another favorite unit for fourth graders. We will use our science text, along with doing special projects.

Mrs. Ford will finish her student-teaching next week. She will graduate in a few weeks and become a certified teacher! She has done a great job! We wish her the best!

Please review the multiplication math facts with your child. We are beginning the next chapter, "Multiplying by One-Digit Numbers". Memorizing the facts will help.

Our Christmas party will be at 2:30 on Wednesday, December 22. We will have a \$2.00 gift exchange, where girls buy for another girl. Boys buy for another boy. Some children also wanted to collect canned food for the local food pantry. If you would like to send cans of soup, fruit or vegetables, boxes of dry cereal or bars of soap, it would be appreciated.

Mrs. Pusateri

