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Re: December Family Fun Night and Christmas Dinner

Dear Parents and Guardians,

I.F Cox School is pleased to once again to host a variety of December events for our students and families. These events are successful every year as a result of the generosity of parents and school community members. This year we are once again asking for any help you may be able to provide the school specifically for Family Fun Night and our annual Christmas Dinner. Any item donations will be collected until December 7th for Family Fun Night and December 14th for our Christmas Dinner after which the school will purchase the remaining items needed. Any items remaining from the events will be donated to the food bank and the homeless shelter. Please contact your child's homeroom teacher if you would like to volunteer in the classroom or contact the office if you would like to help in the kitchen or to help serve. Please pass on the opportunity to help out to extended family as well. Thank you in advance for any help you can provide and Merry Christmas!

December 8th, Family Fun Night (6:00-7:30)

Various activities take place throughout the school for all ages. The gym will be set-up with tables of prizes and you may enter draws for these prizes with the tickets your family earns at each event. Hot chocolate and cookies will be served during the evening. In order for this event to be successful the following donations are needed:

- New small toys, games, or children's books

December 16th, Christmas Dinner (12:00 -1:00)

This event is a chance for students and staff to work together to prepare and enjoy a traditional Christmas meal. The result is a free turkey dinner for everyone in the school to share for lunch. On this day everyone dresses in their best clothes for a sit down meal in the gymnasium and practices their best manners and polite table conversation. The turkey, gravy and stuffing will be catered, but everything else is prepared by the staff, students and parent volunteers. Any help for this event is greatly appreciated.



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December 16th, Christmas Dinner (12:00 -1:00) cont'd

Volunteer support needed:

- Kitchen help in the morning
- Classroom preparation help
- Volunteer servers

Meal items needed for donation:

- Butter (1 lb blocks)
- Ranch dressing
- Potatoes
- Cranberries
- Pickles
- Pure apple juice
- Instant vanilla pudding
- Whipped cream
- Frozen corn
- Frozen peas
- Small plastic cups
- Plastic forks, knives and spoons

Please feel free to contact me, should you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Justin Nicoll

Principal