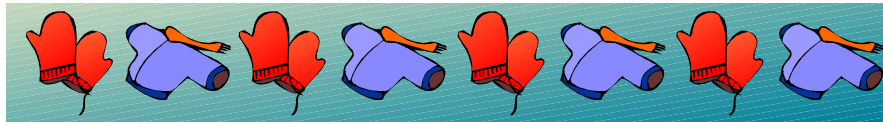


TFS BULLETIN

January 8th, 2010

Kathy Suprin
Director



Dawn Davis
Assistant Director

Dear Parents,

This is the time of year when The Friendship School recruits new students for next year. You may remember attending a tour on the day you received your child's application to attend TFS. So far we have about 100 names in the lottery for next year from our tours but before we finish we should have about 400. With two months left to go that shouldn't be a problem. Notices about our recruitment efforts have gone home with every Waterford and New London elementary school student and we've advertised in The Day so that everyone who wants to has a chance in the lottery for 2010. If you have a younger child who will be three before September 1st, this is the time to ask us for an application. You don't have to come for a tour because you already know about the school and all it has to offer. You may have neighbors whose first child will be eligible to attend TFS next year. Let them know to call the school to make an appointment to have a tour and complete an application for the lottery. This year the lottery will be held in the beginning of March and acceptance letters will follow by the end of the month. It's an exciting time for prospective families and a good time for us to share all of the good things that happen at The Friendship School. Happy New Year! Enjoy the weekend with your children.

Kathy

Parents,

If your child is going to be absent, please call the school to report the absence and the reason for it. You can call the nurse's ext. 1215 or the office to leave a message.

If your child is going to be tardy please call the office, no later than 10:00 a.m., to report the reason for the tardiness and if your child will need lunch.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation.



Dates to Remember:

*Friday, January 15th, 2010- **NO SCHOOL**- Professional Development Day

*Monday, January 18th, 2010- **NO SCHOOL** – Martin Luther King Day

*Thursday, January 21st, 2010- FFO Meeting
To include a discussion on children's eating issues by Erica Benvenuti.

*Kindergarten Literacy Fair will be on January 19th from 5:15 – 6:30 pm.



Cold Weather Season

Parents, please remember to dress your child according to the weather. If the temperature is less than 32° including the wind chill, the children won't go out for recess but they might go out with their teacher for a short time, to get some fresh air. Appropriate clothing includes, gloves/mittens, coats, closed shoes, hats. It's a good idea to dress your child in layers.

