

ROBERTSDALE ELEMENTARY'S DECEMBER CUB REPORT

DATES TO REMEMBER

Dec. 1- Honeybee Race
and Festival

Dec. 3-14 - Reindeer
Lane Gift Shop

Dec. 5 - Santa and Fall
Make-Up Pictures

Dec. 6 - Cookies and
Hot Chocolate with the
PTO 5:15-5:45;
Christmas Program at 6
(Kindergarten, Choir,
and Band)

Dec. 7 - Special Snack
for sale during PE

Dec. 11 - PTO Meeting
at 8:15

Dec. 18 - Grading
Period Ends

Dec. 19-Jan. 2 -
Christmas Break for
Students



Habit 3-Put First Things First (Work First, Then Play)

The month of November the school focused on Habit 3-Put First Things First (Work First, Then Play). Below are reminders that you can review with your child to help them continue to build on the third Leader in Me habit.

- I do the things that I have to do before I do the things I want to do.
- I stay focused on what I'm doing. I try to minimize distractions and regroup if I get off task.
- I spend my time on the things that are important.





Christmas Information

- ◆ On Thursday, December 6th at 6 PM, kindergarten, the choir and band, will be participating in our Christmas program in the MPR. Prior to that event, PTO will be serving cookies and hot chocolate from 5:15-5:45 in the cafeteria. We hope you can join us !
- ◆ The Reindeer Lane Gift Shop will be December 3-14 in the library and students can shop during their library time.
- ◆ Santa pictures and fall make-up pictures will be Wednesday, December 5th. Students may dress out of uniform in Christmas attire for pictures. These pictures are pre-purchase only.
- ◆ Students last day of school this semester is December 18th. School is closed from December 19-January 2 for students. They will return to school to start the second semester January 3rd.



This year, there will be a window of time where yearbooks can be purchased. You can start purchasing them Thursday, January 3rd and the deadline to order is Monday, February 11th. No books will be able to be purchased after the deadline. The cost of the yearbook is \$25 and can be purchased at the school or online. The cost of the yearbook will go up to \$30 in February so get yours early. Flyers will go home when students return from Christmas vacation.

Our Gift to Parents

As a school, we have purchased Leader in Me Parent Guides to assist you in learning about the habits and being able to practice these with your students at home. This will go home with your child prior to Christmas break so please be on the lookout. According to the Leader in Me site, "The *Leader in Me* Parent's Guide is based on the timeless principles found in *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People* and *Leader in Me*. This introductory guide shares easy-to-understand ideas and activities, and a reading list to help you teach and model powerful 7 Habits principles to your children and/or teens at home." We look forward to having you take on this learning partnership with us!

