

JANUARY

NEWS

Even there your hand will guide me.

Psalm 139:10

January 4, 2010

May 2010 bring you all of God's blessings. May you all have a wonderful New Year filled with Christ's peace, good health and much happiness.

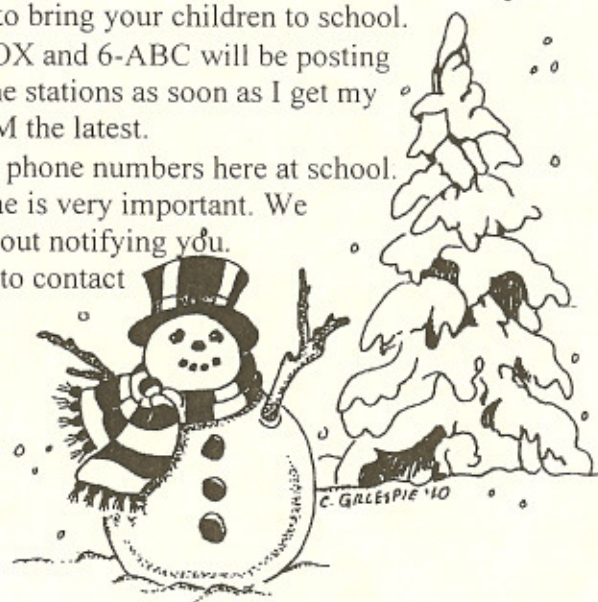
Thank you so much for thinking of me at this very special time of the year. Your prayers, good wishes and many gifts were heartwarming and very much appreciated. I received several gifts that did not have a card or tag identifying the giver—a red lantern tea light holder and a box of chocolates. Thank you for these gifts and I am sorry I was unable to send you a personal note.

This is the time of year when the weather may effect the arrival, departure and cancellation of school. I thought it might be a good idea that we go over the policies that are in place.

- The bus companies and school districts dictate the changes.
- Upper Perkiomen School District is the main "dictator." St. Philip Neri School will close, have an early dismissal or have a two hour delay according to their decision.
- Boyertown, Brandywine Heights, North Penn, and Quakertown will follow the UP schedule. However, if Boyertown, Brandywine Heights, North Penn, and/or Quakertown are off they will not bus us or if Boyertown, Brandywine Heights, North Penn and/or Quakertown have a two hour delay or an early dismissal they will bus according to their schedule.
- Souderton will only follow their schedule. Therefore, if Souderton does not have a two hour delay you will have to bring your children to school.
- Channels 69-WFMZ, 10-NBC, 29-FOX and 6-ABC will be posting our weather related schedule. I call the stations as soon as I get my call so it should be posted by 6:00 AM the latest.
- Please be sure that you have accurate phone numbers here at school. In the event of an early dismissal, time is very important. We cannot put your child on the bus without notifying you. The phone chain moms must be able to contact you.



Is there anyone else that was missed during the November trial run of the phone chain?



→ DON'T
FORGET!

January 12, 2010—Home & School General Meeting—7:00 PM in the Neri Center
Nancy Stevenson, occupational therapist from the Montgomery County Intermediate Unit, will be our guest speaker. Mrs. Stevenson will discuss and explore environmental and social conditions that impede fine motor skill development. Please bring pencils and paper as our program will be interactive.

Mark your calendars:

January

- 12th—Technology Club—after school
- 12th—Art & Literature Club—after school
- 18th—No School—Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- 22nd—March for Life

Catholic Schools Week:

January

- 31st—Mass at 9:30 AM

February

- 1st—Bowling for grades K through 8—LUNCH can only be purchased through Limerick Bowl. Hot dogs that were ordered for Monday will be served on Tuesday. **IF YOU HAVE NOT SENT IN YOUR CHILD'S PERMISSION SLIP FOR BOWLING, PLEASE SEND IT IN TOMORROW!**
- 7th—School Open House—8:00 AM to 1:00 PM (only on Sunday not Saturday evening)
Science Fair Open House will be at the Neri Center. Projects may be taken home at 1:00 PM.

Enclosed in today's communication envelope:

- Scrip order form
- Church Bulletin
- 2010 Offertory envelope box for each student
- Order form for the 2009-2010 SPN Yearbook—all order forms and money are due February 25th.
- Scrapbook Club Change of Schedule
- Archdiocesan Boy Choir flyer

God bless you and your families.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Schleeweiss