



# Lake Ontario News

## What's Going On

The students in Lake Ontario have been very busy learning new things in both Reading and Math. In Reading, we are continuing to say the Phonics Dance chant almost every day. The students are also working on identifying beginning sounds, blending sounds to make words and segmenting the sounds in words. They are making amazing progress in all of these areas. In Math, the students have been working on counting by 1's and 10's to 100. We also count how many days we have been in school each morning.

On December 19th, we will be having our Winter Celebration with

Lake Superior. It will take place from 9:30 to 11:30 that morning. The students will be in the gymnasium, rotating to many different centers. They will be making crafts and playing games. Thank you in advance to the parents that have volunteered to help that morning! If you are able to come, but didn't sign up yet, please let me know. We can always use more volunteers. We hope that everyone has a wonderful holiday.



## Reminders

Please remember that if the wind chill is 20 degrees or above the students go outside for afternoon recess. Therefore, have your child dress appropriately for the weather, i.e. hat, mittens, scarf, etc. (Remember to label all of your child's winter clothing so that it is easier to return if it happens to get lost.) Girls who wear skirts to school may bring sweatpants to wear under their skirt when going outside. Also, students who bring boots and snow pants may play in the snow at recess.

I would also like to take this opportunity to remind you to send a healthy snack for your child each day. Even on Fridays or the days your child buys lunch.

One more reminder is that gym class is on Friday mornings. Please send your child's tennis shoes with him/her on that day. If it is easier, you may leave your child's gym shoes in his/her cubby.



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### Don't Forget

**December 16**

Jeans for Cards

**December 18**

Jeans for a \$1

**December 19**

Spirit Day

Winter Celebration 9:30  
-11:30 am

**December 22-**

**January 4**

Winter Break

**January 5**

Return to School

**January 13**

Board Meeting 7:45 am

PTT Meeting 6 pm

**January 15**

Birthday Bash

**January 19**

No School-Martin Luther  
King Day

**January 21**

Jeans for a \$1

**January 23**

No School-Records Day