

Greetings Monarch Families,

Please review this weekend's edition of the Weekend Monarch for several important announcements and resources.



Wednesdays Without an Early Release	
<i>August 11th</i>	<i>January 12th</i>
<i>September 8th</i>	<i>January 19th</i>
<i>October 20th</i>	<i>February 16th</i>
<i>November 3rd</i>	<i>February 23rd</i>
<i>December 15th</i>	<i>June 1st</i>

It's Sweater Weather!



Holiday Sweater Dress Up Day Friday, Dec. 10

HOSTED BY ASB LEADERS AND
STUDENT ALLIANCE COUNCIL

Dear Families,

This year we are doing something special to help the students at our school get in the spirit of giving!

Starting on Wednesday, December 1st, 5th Grade will be selling Candy Grams that will be delivered to the classrooms from Friday, December 3rd until Winter Break. Each Candy Gram will include a See's Candy Lollipop and a special note.



Family members can purchase Candy Grams for their children, and students can purchase them for their friends, teachers, and/or staff members on campus. Each Candy Gram is **\$2 (cash/coin only)**. You may purchase as many as you would like.

Come visit the Candy Gram table located in the front after school to make your purchase. Please make sure to know the teacher of the student who will be receiving the special Candy Gram delivery.



Thank you for your support! Happy Holidays!

LJM 5th Grade Team

Purchase dates/times/location

Front of Campus (2:35 - 2:45 p.m.): December 1st, 2nd, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 13th,
14th, 15th, 16th, 17th

LJM Quad before SSA (8:00 - 8:20 a.m.): December 3rd and 10th

Lisa J. Mails PTA
Proudly Presents:

Jingle Mingle

LISA J. MAILS QUAD AREA

SATURDAY DECEMBER 11TH 2021
4 P.M.-5 P.M. CRAFTS, PIZZA, LIVE MUSIC
5:00 P.M. HOT CHOCOLATE BAR AND POPCORN
5:15 POLAR EXPRESS MOVIE SHOWING

SPECIAL APPEARANCE FROM SANTA FROM 4 P.M.-6 P.M.

LIVE MUSIC FROM DMMS BAND, CRAFTS, BOOK FAIR PREVIEW, HOT COCOA
BAR, POPCORN, OUTDOOR MOVIE

FEATURING POLAR EXPRESS

BRING A BLANKET TO SET OUT AND ENJOY THE MOVIE (LOW
SITTING LAWN CHAIRS ARE WELCOMED AS WELL)



BECOME A PTA MEMBER



SCAN TO RSVP



Lisa J. Mails Elementary

Annual Christmas Ornament Contest



*It's time to get out the craft supplies and
make a homemade ornament.*

All Students are welcome to join in the fun!



Here are the rules:

1. All ornaments must be 100% student homemade.
2. Student's name, grade and teacher's name must be on the ornament. Put a sticker on it or hang a tag from it.
3. You may place ornaments on the tree in the front office between Monday, November 29th and Tuesday, December 14th @ 3pm. Winners will be announced Thursday, December 16th.
4. You may pick up your ornament Thursday after school or Friday morning before Noon. All ornaments not picked up will be returned after Winter Break.



Monarch Mall

w/ a special TK/K offer

Monarch Mall for LJM spirit wear will be available on 12/3 & 12/10 during our Soaring Spirit Assembly. Also, we will have a special Monarch Mall available on 12/3 & 12/10 outside the TK/Kinder entrance at TK/K PM drop-off (11:00) and again at TK/K AM pick-up (11:55)



Rita's Italian Ice

on sale every **Thursday** after school nearest the Kinder building.
Price: \$5.00. Please do not delay the loop traffic by waiting for your child to buy an Italian ice. **The loop needs to keep moving.**

1st semester report cards will be available on Friday, December 17th after 3:00 pm via the Aeries Parent Portal.





FALL/WINTER 2021
BOOK FAIR

Sponsored by LJM PTA

Join us in the MPR the week of 12/13/21-
12/17/21 for our in-person Book Fair!

Students will be visiting the Book Fair during their Library time, and we will also be open before and after school with limited spots for parents/families. Parents should enter through the rear MPR doors nearest the bike rack.*Masks required for entry.

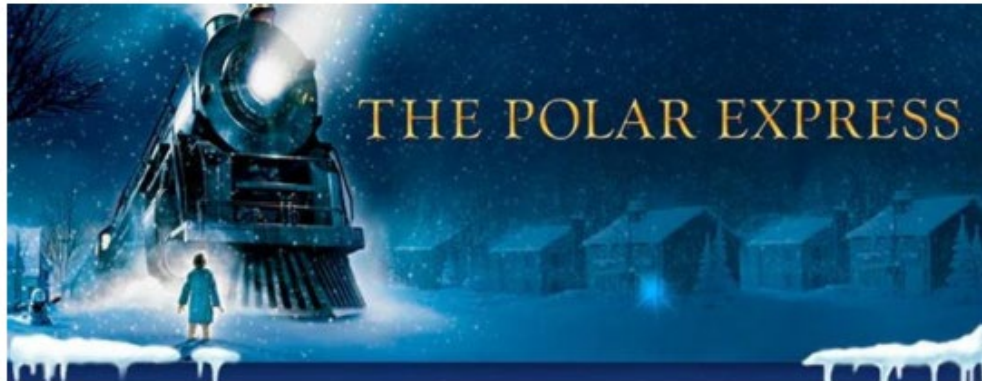
We will also be hosting a Book Fair Preview at the Jingle Minlge!

Visit our School's Book Fair website to learn more!



TK/K Polar Express Parade

Join us to watch our little Monarchs parade around campus after Soaring Spirit on 12/17!



Dear TK/ Kindergarten Parents,

For the month of December, we are asking that you and your child work together to create a train car for the polar express. We will be having a Polar Express Train parade throughout the school on December 17th at 9:00am. To make their train car, you will need an empty box big enough for your child to stand in (see the pictures below). Then you will need to cover the box and decorate your train car. Attach straps for your child to carry their train car in the parade. You can use black paper plates for wheels. Some ideas to cover your box are use wrapping paper, construction paper, Christmas placemats, or even a Christmas tablecloth. You can use whatever you like to decorate your train car. Below are some examples to inspire you. Please send in your child's train car on Wednesday, December 15th. We look forward to seeing everyone's fabulous train cars on Polar Express Day!

Thank you,

TK/Kindergarten Team



Coming up:

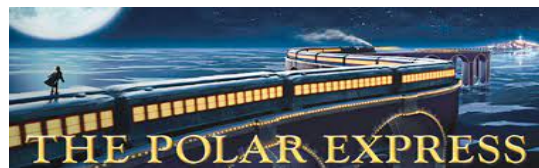
- **PTA Jingle Mingle** – Saturday, December 11th – see flyer above



- **Book Fair** – Monday, December 13th – Friday, December 17th – special entry in the evening at Jingle Mingle.



- **TK/Kinder Polar Express Parade** – Friday, December 17th – AM & PM
TK/K will attend AM session
(8:20 – 11:40)



- **Friday, December 17th is an early out Friday! AM/PM TK/K dismisses at 11:40 & 1st – 5th Grade dismisses at 1:40.**



- **Winter Break (end of 1st semester) – Monday, December 20th – Monday, January 10th (students return on Tuesday, January 11th, 2022)**



- *MLK JR. Day, No School – Monday, January 17th*



- *Great Kindness Challenge – January 24th – 28th*



- *Valentines for Vets – January – beginning of February*



Choose Joy!

Mr. Baldwin & Mrs. Morel

