

Hagan Hawk

"We Believe Everyone at Hagan School Should Be Safe, Responsible, Respectful, and Have Fun"

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HOLIDAY SPIRIT

Hagan Elementary will celebrate the giving spirit of Christmas by collecting non-perishable food for the Salvation Army. **The items will be collected from Monday, December 1 through Friday, December 12.** Please place your donated items in the boxes provided. **Thank you for sharing with others!**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Holiday birthday greetings this month to:



Andrew M.	December 1
Brian V.	December 3
Mason K.	December 4
Paige O.	December 5
Justin S.	December 8
Jared C.	December 9
Alea B.	December 10
Sebastian F.	December 10.
Kevin A.	December 13
Dalton P.	December 13
Seth B.	December 15
Aaliyah V.	December 15
Kyla M.	December 16
Dana H.	December 17
Skye M.	December 19
Michael N.	December 21
Hannah O.	December 21
Kylee R.	December 21
Austin C.	December 22
Rachel A.	December 23
Whisper R.	December 23
Zoe S.	December 23
Katia K.	December 27
Riley K.	December 27
Jared B.	December 29
Nicholas M.	December 30
Caitlyn A.	December 30

First Graders will be decorating Gingerbread Houses on Thursday, December 11 at 2:00 P.M. in their classrooms.



HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Hagan Elementary grades 1-3 will present their Christmas program entitled "A Penguin's Christmas" on Thursday, December 18, at 1:30 P.M. and 7:00 P.M. in the Hagan Gym. Come and enjoy the music with the kids.

BOWLING FIELD TRIP

As a gift from the Hagan staff, the students will be bowling at Million Dollar Lanes on , December 15. The classes will be divided as follows:

K, 4-6 9:30 A.M. - 11:40 A.M.
K, 1-3 11:45 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.



Students who do not have a field trip form on file will not be allowed to go bowling. A signed form needs to be on file in the office. Thank you!



CLASS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The classroom parties will be Friday, December 19. The dollar amount to be spent on the gift exchange will be left up to the individual classroom teachers.

Classroom Party Times:

Grades K - 3 in the morning
Grades 4 - 6 in the afternoon

CHRISTMAS MOVIE



Students will be treated to a movie on Friday, December 19. A snack will be provided, but students may bring a bottled drink to have during the movie. They may also bring a pillow to relax with. We will also be having Pajama Day that day, so students make sure you wear your most "comfy" PJ's!

Movie times:

Grades 4 - 6 in the morning
Grades K - 3 in the afternoon

WINTER WEATHER CLOTHING



Attention All Parents! It is time for students to wear warmer clothing. Please make sure they are adequately dressed for the weather. **This includes a warm coat, hat, gloves, boots, and snow pants. Please remember to label your child's clothing – most of the clothing is the same color and style.** During the winter season, weather permitting, students will go outside for recess to get a little exercise and fresh air. Thanks for your help in this issue.



LOST and FOUND

There is a container located in the main entryway of the school for all lost and found items. Please make time to check the container for any of your child's items. It is full at this time!

**PLEASE TURN IN ECONOMART RECEIPTS
BY DECEMBER 15. THE S.O.S. PROGRAM
ENDS ON DECEMBER 31.**

PTO MEETING

Tuesday, December 2 Hagan Library @ 7:00
P.M.

PTO fundraiser order forms.....
must be turned in to the classroom teachers
**NO Later than December 1. Thank you for
all your support!**

Dropping off students. . .



Students eating breakfast at school can be dropped off no earlier than 7:40 A.M. There is NO supervision for the students until 7:45 A.M. Non-breakfast students should arrive no earlier than 8:00 A.M. Please do not drop off your students before this time. Breakfast served from 7:45 until 8:00 A.M.

CONGRATULATIONS RYLAND S.

North Dakota Fire Prevention Association Poster Contest Winner for 2008 is Ryland S. He is a 3rd grader at Hagan Elementary. Ryland is also the City-Wide Contest Winner!

WAY TO GO RYLAND!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Mrs. Greutman is looking for volunteers to help with a project in the library. If you are able to help, please call her at Hagan School-572-4960.

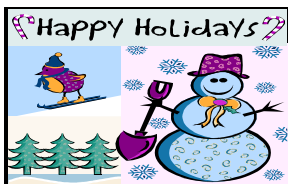
EXTRA SHOES OR BOOTS



Parents please make sure your child/children have an extra pair of shoes or boots with them at school. We have a lot of sand and rocks being brought in from the playground on the floor, especially in the gym.



*MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR
FROM ALL THE STAFF AT HAGAN
ELEMENTARY*



Christmas Break

No School

Monday, Dec. 22 – Friday, Jan. 2

See you on Monday, January 5, 2009

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

* School begins at 8:15 a.m. each day, and dismisses at 3:00. Students who are eating breakfast are encouraged to come to school no earlier than 7:40 a.m. Non-breakfast students should arrive no earlier than 8:00 a.m. Students at Hagan Elementary are supervised from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. If your child arrives at school before 8:00, they will be supervised in the gym. The playground **IS NOT** supervised after school. Please be prompt when picking your children up from school.

* Please call the office by 9:00 a.m. if your child is not going to be attending school for the day. If your child is not in school and we have not received a call, we will be calling you either at home or work to confirm your child's absence. If a call is not received, your child will be counted as an unexcused absence.

* When your child needs to leave early from school for any reason, please come to the office and fill out a "Student Check-Out" form. Your student will not be released from their classroom until this form is completed. The intent is for our children's safety and no exceptions will be allowed.

* The Williston Public School District has implemented a policy for hot lunch accounts that are not kept current. Students will receive notice when they have less than \$3.00 left in their lunch account. They will receive a notice every day. When their account is -\$3.00, you will receive a letter reminding you to send money. **The District has the right to withhold hot lunch after a certain number of days and require a student to bring cold lunch until their account is paid. To save this inconvenience, please try to stay current on your child's hot lunch account.**

Please save Box Tops for Education from General Mills products, Economart receipts, Campbell Soup labels, and pop can tops for the Ronald McDonald House.