

# **RIVERSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

## ***NOVEMBER 2010 NEWSLETTER – (2)***

**KINDERGARTEN POTLATCH** – The kindergarten students will celebrate Thanksgiving similar to the very first Thanksgiving on Wednesday, November 24, from 8:30-10:00, by sharing traditional foods, making bead necklaces, singing, and playing games.

**THANKSGIVING BREAK** – School will be dismissed at 11:40 on Wednesday, November 24 for Thanksgiving Break. There will be no school on Thursday, November 25 and Friday, November 26.

**TREE OF SHARING** – We will begin collecting non-perishable food items, new and gently used toys, and clothes for those in need during this holiday season. These items will be collected in the foyer outside of the office (under the tree) and distributed by the North County Food Bank.

**PICTURE RETAKES** – Leo's Photography will be here on Tuesday, November 30 for picture retakes. If you would like your child's picture retaken, please return the original photos with a note explaining what changes you would like made (background color, etc). There is no charge for retakes, but the original photos must be returned.

**There is a two hour late start on Wednesday, December 1. School will begin at 10:15. Students may not be dropped off before 9:30.**

**REPORT CARDS** – Report cards will be coming home with your child on Friday, December 3. Please sign the report card envelope and return it to your child's teacher.

**WINTER HOLIDAY CONCERTS** – Mark your calendar now for the Winter Holiday Concerts on Tuesday, December 7. The kindergarten through 2nd grade students will perform at 8:30 a.m. and the 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade choir students will perform at 1:30 p.m. The Select Choir students will perform at 7:00 p.m. in the Riverside Elementary cafeteria.

**BAND CONCERT** - The first 5<sup>th</sup> grade band concert will be on Wednesday, December 15 at 6:00 p.m. in the middle school gym.

**BRRRRR!** – Students should be appropriately dressed to go outside for recess. Students will go outside unless it is raining or the temperature is extremely cold. Please remember to send hats and gloves as those little ears and fingers get really cold! If your child needs any of these items, please call the school at 464-8350.

### **CALENDAR ITEMS**

**November 24** – Kindergarten Potlatch – 8:30-10:00

**November 24** – Early Release – Students dismissed at 11:40

**November 25-26** – Happy Thanksgiving - No School

**December 1** – Two hour late start

**December 7** – Winter Holiday Concerts

**December 15** – 5<sup>th</sup> grade Band Concert – 6:00 p.m. – RMS

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**\*\*Riverside Elementary is a Schoolwide Title 1 School.**