



Hurld Herald

Monday, November 30, 2009 (Week 1)

Did You Know?

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- Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on Thursday, December 3rd, from 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- The PTO has graciously helped to fund an all school field trip to the Woburn Showcase Cinemas to see Disney's 3-D rendition of Dickens's *A Christmas Carol*. We will be attending on Tuesday, December 8th. Please return the permission slip to your child's teacher, along with \$3.25 by Wednesday.

Holiday & Special Persons' Day

The Hurld School's Holiday & Special Persons' Day program will be held on Wednesday, December 16th. Families whose children's last names begin with L-Z should attend the 9:00 a.m. program, and those whose last names begin with A-K should attend the 10:30 a.m. show.



Journey Through Books

Congratulations to Lauren Harkins, who is the first student to complete a Journey Through Books!

Lauren will receive a book as a reward, and will receive a gold medal in June at our Journey Celebration!

Goals:

K-1 200 minutes

2-3 300 minutes

4-5 400 minutes

All children who complete the entire journey will receive a gold medal at an assembly in June!



"The willingness to accept responsibility for one's own life is the source from which self-respect springs."

Joan Didion

A free pre-school screening for 3 & 4 year olds will take place on Wednesday, December 2, 2009.

The purpose of the screening is 2-fold:

- 1) Children who may have special needs are identified early and provided with appropriate services.
- 2) Children who are found to be typically developing will be eligible for a drawing for placement in the 2009-2010 Integrated Preschool Program at the Shamrock School.

Appointments are necessary. Please call Lynda Riley at the Special Ed office at 781 937-8236 X 253.

Visit the Hurld School's website at:

<http://woburnps.com/home/>
Click on schools, then Hurld Elementary School, then Hurld School Homepage.

Or go to:

<http://home.comcast.net/~hurldscool/>

Woburn Public Schools' character trait for November is Responsibility:

- Doing what needs to be done
- Being reliable and dependable
- Not making excuses
- Using good judgment; thinking through the consequences for your actions

Hurd Happenings

A Christmas Carol

Thank you also to the PTO for donating money to the students to help fund an all school field trip to see Disney's *A Christmas Carol*.



Parking Lot Issues

Once again I would like to remind you about our drop off and pick up procedures. Very often I see these procedures being ignored, and it puts our students' safety at risk. I appreciate your cooperation in this matter. When dropping off your child, please either pull up to the curb and have your children get out the passenger side door, or park your car and walk your child across the lot. When picking up your child, please park your car and wait for him or her by the awning, and then return to your car and exit the parking lot. If the students have been released, pull up

to the curb and your child should get in the car's passenger side door.

At no time should you be stopping in the middle of the driveway to let children in & out of the car, and at no time should children be crossing the parking lot without an adult.

Please also keep in mind that you should never pass a school bus when the lights are flashing or the stop sign is out, and you should not be leaving a parked car that is blocking in someone else.

LUNCH MENU

Monday: French toast with sausage and syrup

Tuesday: Mini ravioli

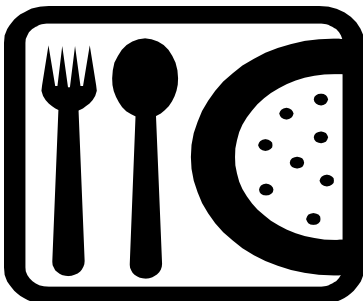
Wednesday: Cheesy breadsticks w/ marinara

Thursday: Breaded chicken dinner

Friday: Cheese or pepperoni pizza

Daily Alternates:

Chicken Nuggets, Spicy nuggets, Chicken Parmesan Sub, Meatball Sub, Italian Sub with all the toppings, Grilled Cheese, Hot Dog, Nachos w/ cheese and salsa, Cheese, crackers, pepperoni plate, and Tossed salad



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

11/30 Cody Hudson

12/03 Kelsey Long

12/05 Rhea Desai

12/06 Kellie Collins

12/06 Alec Cruz

12/06 Bridget Guiendon

12/06 Jared Simpson



DATES TO REMEMBER

- 12/3 Parent/Teacher Conferences 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- 12/8 All school field trip "A Christmas Carol"
- 12/8 Primary election—U.S. Senator
- 12/9 Early Release Day—12:30 p.m.
- 12/10 Staff cookie table
- 12/16 Holiday/Special Persons' Day

