

# Premier Academy Press

December Parent Newsletter

## Dates to Remember

6<sup>th</sup> – PreK C and Kindergarten Casa Manana Field Trip

8<sup>th</sup> - Polar Express Day; Wear your PJs!

11<sup>th</sup> – PreK and Kinder Christmas Program; 7:00 p.m.

14<sup>th</sup> – 3s and 4s Christmas Program; 7:00 p.m.

15<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Parties and Book Exchange; 11:00 a.m.

22<sup>nd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> - PATC closed in observance of Christmas Eve and Christmas Day

26<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> - Christmas break; no Curriculum

Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> - PATC closed in observance of New Year's Day

Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jan 8<sup>th</sup> – New Year Curriculum Break

School Calendar Correction: PATC will be open our regular business hours (6:30a.m. to 6:30p.m.) on Fri., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup>; **NO** early closing on this day.

## Christmas Parties and Book Exchange

Class parties will start at 11a.m. on Friday, Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>. During the parties, children in Young Ones through Kindergarten will be participating in a book exchange. Please bring in a wrapped book to present to a classmate for the book exchange. We understand that finding gender neutral books may be difficult for preschool age, so boys may bring in a book for a boy, and girls may bring a book for a girl. Please bring your wrapped book by Wednesday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>.

## Christmas Programs

3s, 4s, Pre -K, and Kindergarten classes have been working very hard rehearsing for their Christmas programs. Please note that we have **TWO** Christmas programs this year (one for 3s and 4s and a separate one for Pre -K and Kinder).

For rehearsals: Please drop off no later than 8a.m. in order to allow your child to rehearse with their class. Rehearsal starts immediately after chapel. Please see your teacher if you have any questions.

## Holiday Toy Drive

This year, Premier Academy will be collecting donations for One Safe Place, and the toys will go to North Texas children impacted by domestic violence. If you would like to participate, please bring in a new, unwrapped toy and place it under the Christmas tree in our lobby. Thank you for your help in making every child's Christmas special.



## Winter Attire

It's winter, which means cold weather (even in Texas!). Please make sure that your child is dressed appropriately as each class will be going outside twice per day, even on cold days. Each child should have at least one seasonally appropriate change of clothes in his or her cubby.

## Pre-K and Kindergarten Field Trips

The following field trips are to Casa Manana. Buses will be leaving promptly at 8:45a.m.

Nov. 29<sup>th</sup> – Pre-K A and B

Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> – Pre-K C and Kindergarten