

Morey Weekly Communications

For the Week: December 15– December 19 and beyond

Our Winter Dance is almost here! Morey's Snowball Dance needs Parent Volunteers!

In order for this Dance to run smoothly, we need Parent Help. See below what you could do to help and sign up. We appreciate your time at this very special event!

Dance Details: Thursday, December 18, Morey's Snowball Dance

6th grade's event will be from 3:15 – 4:30 (admission is \$2.00 or \$1.00 with a canned food donation)

7th/8th grade will 5:00 – 7:00 (admission is \$3.00 or \$2.00 with a canned food donation)

Music will be provided by DJ Academy. Parent Volunteer Opportunities: click on the following link to help with this fun event:

CLICK on the below LINK to sign up to volunteer:

- 1) Help STUCO sell tickets at lunch time – Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday – Dec. 16,17 & 18. (1 person each lunch period)
- 2) Buy and deliver (5) 20lb. bags of ice at 1:00 PM on the 18 (1 person) *reimbursement available* **email Patricia Huth if you can help**
- 3) Purchase snacks from Sam's or Costco and deliver on the 17th or 18. (1 person) *reimbursement available* **email Patricia Huth if you can help**
- 4) Help with refreshment sales, coat check and hall monitoring at the dance itself (4 people for 6th grade)(5-7 for 7th/8th grade)

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0d4baca62aa4f58-moreys1>

Feedback Requested from Parents

Ms. Icove, Morey Neighborhood Center and After School Clubs Coordinator, is seeking feedback from parents regarding the After School Clubs at Morey.

Parents – please send an email to meryl_icove@dpsk12.org with any feedback you have regarding the after school clubs program. We want to hear what you think so we know what we are doing right and how we can improve the after school clubs program.

HELP A MOREY FAMILY IN NEED DURING THIS HOLIDAY SEASON

The Holidays are a time of joy and good cheer. However, it's not that way for everyone. There are families that go to Morey Middle School who struggle during this season. Thanks for all the generous donations! We have such a wonderful community at Morey!

All gifts are due to Morey – Jeannette Ekstrand's office no later than Wed. Dec. 17th.

Click on this link to sign up to help: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0d4baca62aa4f58-help>

Help Give back to Morey while you shop! It's that easy!



For Amazon: click on the following link, if you have an account with Amazon already, this link will automatically connect all your purchases to Morey Middle School. <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-1949835>

For Safeway: come into Jeannette Ekstrand's office and pick up a Safeway card, It takes just \$5 to get started. Then, you add the amount to the card that works for you and shop away!

For King Soopers: details are coming soon!

For Box Tops: anytime you purchase a product with Box Tops, make sure to clip it, save it and bring them to Morey when they accumulate. It's that easy



Visit our Facebook page: **LIKE Morey Middle School TODAY**

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Now a Direct Way to Give to Morey: go to morey.dpsk12.org, Parents, Friends of Morey and then Donate! All Funds go back to the school to assist teachers and students.

Important Dates:

Tuesday, Dec. 16, 10:00am to 11:30, Morey ELA Family Holiday and PAC (Parent Advisory Committee) meeting is being held in Morey's Big conference room. Bring a favorite holiday treat to share. Small children are welcome.

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Friday, December 19th: Last day of school before Winter Break

After School News – some clubs cancelled next Thursday

The following After School Clubs will be **cancelled on Thursday, December 18**, due to the school dances: Speech & Debate Club, Running Club and Yearbook Club will be cancelled.

Students are welcome to attend any other Thursday club: Sports Zone, Chill Zone or WizKidz Computer Club.

After School Fees Due for Next Semester

If you have not already paid your After School Fees for Spring semester, you can do so now. Please make checks out to Morey Middle School and put "after school fees" in the subject line. The fee is \$75. No student will be turned away due to inability to pay (please pick up a scholarship form in Room 102 to get a partial or full scholarships. After school fees fund the after school clubs program – we welcome any donation to help cover the costs for those families unable to pay the after school fees.

If you have questions or are not sure if you have paid for the spring semester, contact Meryl Icove, Coordinator, Morey Neighborhood Center, meryl_icove@dpsk12.org, 720-424-0791.

Morey Athletics

Check the Morey Website for Basketball Schedules.

Save the Date:

Thursday, January 8th: Morey Principal Meeting for Montbello/Green Valley Ranch Families: 6:00pm to 7:00 at DCIS Montbello: 5000 Crown Blvd, Denver, CO 80239: expect more details week before Winter Break.

Tuesday, January 13th, 5th Grade Q&A with Principal Noah Tonk, 9:00am- 10:00am, Morey Library

Monday, January 19, 4:30 – 8:00pm, Community Restaurant Night at LIME XS, Capitol Hill/Alamo Placita: 6th and Clarkson, 730 E. 6th Avenue. Come enjoy YUMMY Mexican cuisine and LIME XS will give Morey 20% of what we purchase. Just tell them you go to Morey Middle School!

Morey Weekly Announcements now on the Morey website under the About Us Tab:
www.morey.dpsk12.org

As always, feel free to get in touch with me if you have questions or concerns.
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