

WOODBURY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Weekly Notice –
Friday, December 18, 2009

Greetings Woodbury Parents,

This week has been busy as we began several after school enrichment opportunities for Woodbury students. Our K-3 after school drama club began this week on Tuesday from 3:00-4:15. Both girls and boys basketball practice is underway for our older students.

Additionally, Odyssey of the Mind continued this week. Celebrated author, Willem Lange, visited us on Friday, reading a story and joining us for an old fashioned snack. We appreciate Mr. Lange including Woodbury students in his busy schedule!

The H1N1 clinic held at Hazen Union on Tuesday went smoothly, with more than a dozen Woodbury children traveling to Hardwick to receive this immunization. Thanks to our school staff including Mrs. Bushway, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Cahill for making this all go smoothly. Our students who received immunizations were brave and cooperative!

Next week promises to be a busy week as well. On Monday afternoon students will gather to watch the classic award winning movie "The Red Balloon". This half hour film will be shown about 2:00 followed by cookies and hot chocolate. We are hoping to make a "human chain" of Woodbury students on Monday to pass along the items collected for the food shelf. **Please send canned or packaged items you want to donate.**

Please remember that children who eat breakfast at school should be arriving in time to do so and attend to their morning classroom routine before school begins at 7:40. Children may arrive at 7:15 or anytime thereafter.

The Woodbury PTO has expressed interest in establishing a phone tree to notify parents if school is cancelled due to inclement weather. I intend to give parent names and phone numbers to the PTO and they will develop a phone tree so that families can receive a call if school is cancelled. **Please notify Tess or me at school if you do not want to be included on this phone tree.**

As we approach the upcoming school vacation, please know that I wish you all a fun, safe and relaxing holiday break.

Sharon Fortune, Principal

PLEASE NOTE:

- Donate to the food shelf on Monday, December 21st.
- No All School Morning Meeting next week.
- No K – 3 Drama until Tuesday, January, 5th. Please call Tess to volunteer for a shift.
- Winter recess starts Thursday, December 24th and school begins again on Monday, January 4th.
- Call the school if you **DON'T** want to be on the PTO Phone Tree for school cancellations.
- No Newsletter next week.

PTO NEWS

**Next Meeting is Wednesday, January 13th
@ 7:00 pm.**

Minutes from the last meeting are attached.

New Members are always welcome.