Principal Message 12/10/21

Stevenson Families.

The final preparations for Evening with the Arts: A Symphony of Sight and Sound and for Winter Solstice: An Enchanted Holiday Bookshop are underway. Both events are sure to knock your holiday socks off! The Winter Solstice seating assignments have been emailed to all families. Tickets are still available at https://tinyurl.com/WinterSolstice2021. If you have any questions, please email help@rlsfundraising.org. Also, this is the last call for the Autumn Lights DVD/Blue Ray preorders. After this weekend, only the digital download will be available for purchase.

Our Sauces and Jams Fundraiser is proving to be a great holiday gift idea. The BBQ sauce, Apple Butter, and Mango Salsa will be sold at Evening with the Arts, **before** all 3 Winter Solstice Programs, and at Kelly Park after school on Friday the 17th. Remember they are only \$10 each or 3 for \$25. Cash & check only please.

Fourth through sixth grade families, please remember that science boards must be purchased as all students are required to complete a project. Purchasing the board through the school ensures uniformity and compliance with the required dimensions. The last day to order the science boards will be Wednesday, December 15th. They are only \$5.00 cash or check. The boards will be sent home with the students on Friday the 17th so that students can have plenty of time to complete that part of the project prior to the January due date. Please submit your payment in an envelope with your child's name and the teacher's name.

There are multiple opportunities to volunteer next week. Click the links to browse the opportunities available.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B054FABAC2CA1FF2-volunteer https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B054FABAC2CA1FF2-winter2 https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B054FABAC2CA1FF2-carloop

We have had several students arriving prior to 8:30 am. Please remember that there is NO supervision prior to 8:30 am. For student safety, students are NOT to be dropped off prior to that time please. If a child is dropped off prior to 8:30 am, they will be escorted to the Before Care Program where a \$25.00 registration fee and a \$27.50 daily drop-in fee will be incurred. Remember, children may not be on campus unattended. Since before care is an option, we will be utilizing this to ensure student safety is met.

Our newsletter has a new, phone friendly look. Please click the link to view the latest edition. If you have any feedback, we would love to hear from you regarding the new format. <u>The Impressionist R.L. Stevenson | Smore Newsletters for Education</u>

Winter break is fast approaching. There is no school from December 22nd through January 5th. Students and teachers return on January 6th. Upon our return, we will have our annual Donuts with Deputies on Friday, January 7th from 8:00 am to 8:50 am. Join us for this community building experience with the Brevard County Sheriff's Office first responders.

As always, I wish you a wonderful weekend! See you Monday in the car loop.

Sincerely, Mrs. Fleeger