



# PORTLAND VILLAGES SCHOOL

A Public Charter School

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## PVS NEWSLETTER • mini •

### Help Our Light to Shine Brighter!

Annual Appeal Extended  
through Friday,  
December 11th

We need **YOUR** donation to reach **our goal**  
of **\$25,000 and 100% participation!**

All donations \$25 and higher **MATCHED**  
between Monday and Friday, December  
7-11 (with a limit of \$3,250 to be matched by  
anonymous donors)

**Get yours in today!**



Remember to bring home all clothing  
and gear to clean, mend and replenish  
over the Winter Break. Also be sure  
to check the Lost and Found for your  
students' items!

We hope your Winter Break is filled with  
warmth, celebration and reverence.

We will see you in the New Year!

### December Calendar

#### **Monday - Friday Dec. 7th - 11th**

Annual Appeal Extends with Matching Campaign

#### **Monday - Saturday, Dec. 7th - 12th**

Scholastic Book Fair

Monday through Friday mornings 8:30 - 9:30 am

Wednesday 11:45 - 5:45 pm

And all afternoons from 1:30 - 4 pm

Friday 11:45 - 6 pm

Saturday 10 - 2 pm during Craft Fair

#### **Wednesday, Dec. 9th**

8:30 - 9:30 am, CCC (Community Clothing Closet)

8:45 - 10:00 am, Kaffe Klatch & Wee Villagers

#### **Thursday, Dec. 10th**

Kindergarten Spiral Walk (see class for times)

#### **Friday, Dec. 11th**

7:45 am Chess Club

Grades Spiral Walk (see class for times)

4:00 pm Set up for Craft Fair

#### **Saturday, Dec. 12th, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm**

Craft Fair, Scholastic book fair, CCC

#### **Wednesday, Dec. 16th**

January Lunch Orders Due

8:30 - 9:30 am Community Clothes Closet

8:45 - 10:00 am Wee Villagers

1:20 - 2:00 pm Dance Assembly

6:30 pm Board Meeting

#### **Thursday, Dec. 17th**

5:00 pm Ms. Mohn-Johnsen's Family Night

5:15 pm Ms. Lowman's Parent Meeting

5:30 pm 3rd Grade Class Meeting

5:30 pm Ms. Baldwin's Class Meeting

6:30 - 8:30 pm PVPA - Parent Ed Topic "Math in the Lower Grades"

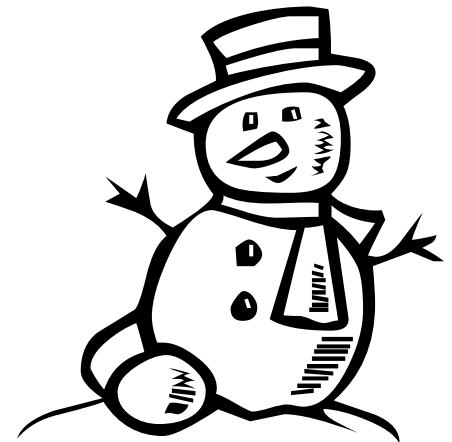
#### **December 21 - January 1, WINTER BREAK**

Monday, January 4, Back to School

For further details, locations, updates and more, visit our live  
calendar at [www.portlandvillageschool.org/calendar](http://www.portlandvillageschool.org/calendar)

### **Volunteer Opportunity - PVS Newsletter Content Editor**

Do you have your finger on the pulse of our dynamic school? Do you  
enjoy using your editorial skills? PVS is looking for a volunteer to take  
over this great monthly publication. The template is set and training  
will be provided. This is a great opportunity to add to your portfolio  
while being in the center of the PVS "buzz". Must have 8-10 hours to  
devote over the last two weeks of each month. If interested, contact  
Amy Lyden at [lydenmama@gmail.com](mailto:lydenmama@gmail.com). Thank you!



### *Snow Days!*

The temperatures  
are quickly drop-  
ping and snow is  
bound to flurry our  
way! To find out if  
we are closed for a  
"snow day," check  
the PPS website for  
announcements af-  
ter 6:30am ([http://  
www.pps.k12.or.us/](http://www.pps.k12.or.us/)  
- click on Inclement  
Weather), or check  
your local tv and  
radio news stations.  
We will also post  
weather-related clo-  
sures on our website  
by 7:30am.