

Hi All,

Thanks for being patient while I have been working on getting the notes together from the PTL meeting held on November 21.

Here is what was discussed:

- Dine to Donate from October BW3's raised \$218.38. There was some good feedback from those that came and hopefully we can use them again in the future. This brings the total for the Dine to Donate nights to \$567.81. This money is being used to go back into the school to help with additional costs.
- The next Dine to Donate will be December 13<sup>th</sup> with all day to spend money at Jack's Donuts! Feel free to pick up donuts for your office, your friends, your neighbors. You can even buy a donut for Pete Bolden for his birthday! Just mention St John at the register.
- Lunch Monitors, we are still in need of a few classes (Currently grades 3, 7, & 8) for December 21<sup>st</sup>. Keep in mind that your child does not need to be in the class for you to be the monitor, as well as trusted friends and family are welcome to monitor too. The instructions of when to take the kids down, return their trays, suggestions on how to keep them busy will be provided to you by the teacher when you get there.
- Noel House is coming!! For those that do not know, the Noel House is a Christmas shop where students can purchase low priced gifts for their loved ones. Volunteers are needed to assist children with their shopping and wrapping. This is a super exciting time for the kids, as they love to pick the "perfect gift" for their families. I highly encourage you to spend some time helping out, but if you cannot, please feel free to send a friend or family member. You can use this link to sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/index.cfm?go=s.signup&urlid=8050f4fa9af2e5-noel1&useFullSite=true>
- The Christmas Luncheon and Cookie Exchange will be held on December 21 & 22. These events are to provide lunch and Christmas baked goods for our teachers. Look for links to be posted soon to sign up to help bake, cook or provide needs to make sure these days are successful.
- If you are room parent, you should have received a fast direct message about the last day of school before Christmas break. If you have not or have any questions, please reach out to Billie Barger.
- Also coming in December are Christmas Candy Grams. This will allow you or your student to purchase to send a candy gram to someone at St John and have them delivered on December 22. Look forward to more information and order form coming home soon.
- Box Top for Education- If you haven't started collecting these, please do. You can look forward to a classroom contest to be held in January.
- The next PTL meeting will be held on Tuesday December 19<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. We will be working on planning out the rest of the year activities and your ideas/suggestions are most welcome!