



MCPOLIN OFFICE UPDATES
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2019

Dear caregivers and parents,

December has arrived and so has the snow! There are a lot of activities planned for the next three weeks prior the Holiday Break.

Along with the arrival of our snow and the ski season is increased traffic. Please be aware and drive with great care in our parking lot. Pull up as far as possible when dropping off along the curb. **Our students' safety depends on all of us.**

Another arrival this time of year is the cold and flu season. A reminder that the number one activity everyone can do to stay healthy is to wash your hands. We have our custodial staff and teachers wiping down all surfaces daily to help minimize germs. We ask our families to help by doing the following:

- **Students need to stay home if they have a fever. Only after the fever breaks and they have been fever free for 24 hours should students return to school.**
- **Students need to stay home for 24 hours after they have vomited or had diarrhea.**
- **Repeat the school's message to wash hands repeatedly during the day.**

Last but not least, Liis Rametta has moved to our PACE position – P.ogram for A.cademic C.hallenge and E.nrichment. She is making a positive difference for all students. Currently she is assisting Kelly Cronley with the **Spelling Bee**. Another upcoming activity is the **Geography Bee** and Mrs. Rametta will be offering all 4th and 5th grade students opportunities to prepare by offering after school study sessions. You can contact her directly for more information. Another reminder, the **SCIENCE FAIR** will be held on January 24th. This is a required activity for 4th & 5th grade students but all students are encouraged to participate. Mrs. Rametta will help our wonderful parent volunteer, Lauren Strachan, organize this huge undertaking.

Welcome back and appreciations for all you do to make McPolin the “Best Elementary School ‘IN’ Park City!”

Sincerely,
Bob Edmiston

Important Dates:

- **Wednesday, December 4th, 3:15pm – Spelling Bee qualifier grades 2nd-5th**
- **Thursday, December 12th, 8:15am - PTO meeting with special guest, Superintendent Dr. Jill Gildea**
- **Friday, December 20th, 8:30am – Holiday Sing-Along and Motivated Moose Assembly**