

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday, Dec. 22

Math Support, Grade 3, 7:15-8:15am, Mrs. Caldwell's Classroom

Keyboarding Class, 7:40-8:10am, Computer Lab, 3:00-3:30pm, Computer Lab

Wednesday, Dec. 23

Fourth Grade Orchestra, 7:15am Instrumental Music Room

Third Grade Chorus Rehearsal, 7:40-8:15am, Mrs. Caldwell's Classroom

JANUARY, 2010

Monday, Jan. 4

Fourth Grade Chorus Rehearsal, 7:40-8:15am, Mrs. Caldwell's Classroom

Parenting Class with Leslie Cohen-Rubury, 9:00-10:30am, Cafeteria

Tuesday, Jan. 5

Math Support, Grade 3, 7:15-8:15am, Mrs. Caldwell's Classroom

Keyboarding Class, 7:40-8:10am, Computer Lab, 3:00-3:30pm, Computer Lab

Wednesday, Jan. 6

Fourth Grade Orchestra, 7:15am Instrumental Music Room

Third Grade Chorus Rehearsal, 7:40-8:15am, Mrs. Caldwell's Classroom

Thursday, Jan. 7

RES Reading Club for 4th Graders, 2:45-3:30pm, Mrs. Welker-Smith's Classroom

Friday, Jan. 8

RES Reading Club for 4th Graders, 7:25-8:10am, Mrs. Welker-Smith's Classroom

Coffee with the Principals, 8:30am, Cafeteria

PTA Meeting, 9:15am, Cafeteria

Monday, Jan. 11

Fourth Grade Chorus Rehearsal, 7:40-8:15am, Mrs. Caldwell's Classroom

Parenting Class with Leslie Cohen-Rubury, 9:00-10:30am, Cafeteria

Tuesday, Jan. 12

Math Support, Grade 3, 7:15-8:15am, Mrs. Caldwell's Classroom

Keyboarding Class, 7:40-8:10am, Computer Lab, 3:00-

PARENTING SKILLS GROUP BY LESLIE-COHEN RUBURY

Monday, January 4, 2010

Cafeteria, 9:00-10:30am

Topic:

Helping your child cope with their frustrations.
Teaching frustration tolerance skills.

Park and Recreation

938-2551

Please note that the Park and Recreation Office is closed on Fridays.

**THE WINTER BROCHURE IS OUT AND
REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN!**



DECEMBER TENNIS CAMP

December 28-December 30

Three Days for \$60.00

Grades K-4 will meet from 9:00-11:00am, Grades 5-8 will meet from 12:00-2:00pm

NEW – BOYS WINTER LACROSSE LEAGUE

Starts January 17, 2010

Grades 3-8

Some experience is necessary.

\$60.00



DECEMBER VACATION CAMP

December 28-December 31`

Sign up for one day or all four!!!

\$32.00 per day or \$44.00 on December 31 for Bowling Field Trip

Forms are available at the office or on the website.

Fun, Fun, Fun

HOLIDAY FREE FAMILY OPEN GYM TIMES

December 28-31, 2:00-4:30pm

DON'T FORGET...

Holiday Recess Schedule

Wednesday, December 23,

Full Day of School

Thursday, December 24-January 1, 2010

School is Closed

Return to school on Monday, January 4, 2010

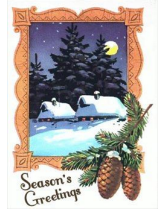
Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Monday, January 18

School is Closed



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2009-2010 Reflections Deadline: January 5 Theme: "Beauty Is..!"



If your child is interested in submitting an entry for the Reflections Program, there's still some time remaining. Encourage him or her to pick up a pen or paintbrush, grab a camera, or put on some dancing shoes, and share with friends and classmates what *Beauty Is!*

Children may submit entries under one (or more) of six categories: visual art, photography, literature, dance choreography, musical composition, and film/video production. See what other kids did last year: <http://pta.browsermedia.com/>.

To obtain the Reflections Program Form, and student entry and consent forms, please go to <http://www.ctpta.org/programs/reflections/index.htm#forms>.

If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Leibowitz at 938-2572 or Susan Bard at 938-3839. Thank you!

Thanks for the Holiday Staff Luncheon!

A big thank-you goes to all RES parents who so generously gave treats, donations, and their time to say *Happy Holidays* to our RES staff, with special thanks to Reed Collyer for her delicious catering. A wonderful luncheon was enjoyed by all! On behalf of the rest of the PTA Executive Board, we would like to thank Staff Appreciation Chairperson Sara Sobel for coordinating this event, to show RES teachers and staff how much we appreciate all they do for our children. As always, Sara: great job!

Toy and Winter Clothing Drive: Thank You So Much!



To all those families who so generously contributed gifts and warm clothing, please accept our most heartfelt thanks. Every gift wish was answered, and you have brought holiday cheer to families in need. It means a lot both to them and to us. The RES PTA Executive Board expresses great appreciation to Tamar Dessner, for all of her efforts in organizing this drive and in collecting and distributing gifts. Thanks above all, Tamar, for helping us all remember what this holiday season is about!

Bakers Needed for January Winter Carnival!

If you'd like to help, please contact Gwen Denny at 938-3334 or dennyfamily@optonline.net. Thank you!

Mark Your Calendar!

- **Coffee with the Principals**, Friday, January 8, 8:30am, RES Cafeteria.
- **PTA Meeting**, Friday, January 8, 9:30am, RES Cafeteria.

Coming in 2010: RES Cookbook!! See your recipes published!



The RES PTA is putting together a cookbook with home recipes submitted by RES families, to be published and sold this spring. Send in your family favorites! We have about 150 recipes, and need that many more.

We'll continue to take recipes until **January 17**; after that it will be difficult to ask for any more time. So please enter them soon!

You can enter up to 10 recipes. To enter them, either

- ❖ Go to www.typensave.com and follow online instructions (our group login is rescookbook, and our contributor login is gmgee);
- ❖ Email it to rescookbook@netbusiness.com;
- ❖ Print and fill out the recipe form (click on or enter <http://www.classroomwebsites.com/Files/520/Resources/5925.pdf> and send via backpack to RES Cookbook, Attn: Joan Nogueira). Forms are also available at the front desk.

Would you like to recognize a special person on the RES Staff? You can take out some space in the cookbook; for more info, go to <http://www.classroomwebsites.com/Files/520/Resources/6011.pdf>



Holiday Shopping Bulletin – Shop online and help the RES PTA

Giftcards (through Boxtops): <http://tiny.cc/boxtopsgiftcards>

Holiday Picture Cards (through Shutterfly): go to www.boxtops4education.com and click Earn – Shop Marketplace – Shutterfly.

Shop Online at Boxtops for Education:
<http://tiny.cc/boxtopsholiday>

One Cause – www.onecause.com. Choose Redding Elementary School – our school number is 39086.

Target Red Card – Take Charge of Education
<http://tiny.cc/targettakecharge>

New! Free money for buying groceries at Big Y and Stop & Shop:

- ❖ http://www.bigy.com/education/edexp_sign_up.php
- ❖ <http://tiny.cc/stopandshopurl>