

VIKING VOICE EXPRESS



Gifts of Kindness, indeed!

The Peer Leaders would like to thank our very generous William Annin community for your generous efforts in making Gifts of Kindness a success this year. It is because of the overwhelming compassion of our parents, students, and teachers that 250 underprivileged children from our own county will have their holiday wishes granted. We'd like to thank the PTO volunteers who helped distribute tags and collect the completed gifts, especially Jennifer Behrins, Terri Handabaka, and Joy Hultman whose daily efforts and organization made this program possible.

Warmest wishes to all this holiday season and always!

The William Annin Peer Leaders and Advisors

CALENDAR

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DECEMBER

- 19 BOE Meeting/7 pm/WAMS Auditorium
- 22 Character Education Day
- 23 6th Grade Talent Show
- 23 EARLY DISMISSAL-12 pm
- 26 WINTER HOLIDAY RECESS/
SCHOOL CLOSED UNTIL TUESDAY
1/3/12

JANUARY

- 3 School Reopens
- 4 PAC Meeting/9 am/Small Cafeteria Annex
- 4 PTO Board Meeting/10:30/Room 110
- 5 *Ridge Academic Planning Presentation to 8th Graders and Parents/7 pm/ RHS-PAC*
- 5 CML Contest after school until 3 pm
- 9 BOE Meeting/7 pm/WAMS Auditorium
- 11 General PTO Meeting #3/9:15 am Auditorium
- 12 Character Education Day
- 12 WAMS Choral Concert/7:30 pm/ Auditorium

Upcoming January PTO Meeting

Remember that our next PTO meeting will be **Wednesday, January 11th, 2012 at 9:15 AM** in the WAMS auditorium.

The meeting will include:

PTO news and events

An Update from Principal Karen Hudock

and a presentation about

The 8th Grade Washington D.C. Trip

(March 29th-30th)

presented by faculty trip coordinators:

Jennifer Fowler, David Petersen, and Jen Chmura.

See you there in January!

WILLIAM ANNIN MIDDLE SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY TEAM WINS CHAMPIONSHIP RACES

On Friday, November 4th, 2011, William Annin Middle School Cross Country Team won the GMCJSCA Tournament Championship that took place at the Rockaway Valley Fields in Boonton.

Both the girl's and boy's team placed 1st in the overall standings. Leading the teams to victory were Catherine Giuseffi and Jacob Hiller both finishing first for their division with times of 9:04 minutes and 8:20 minutes respectively for the 1 ½ mile course.

The girl's team comprised of Catherine Giuseffi, Claire Jones, Gina Giordano, Alli Lemke, Sophie Spring, Lucy Scaglione and Colleen Wagenfeld. The boy's team consisted of Jacob Hiller, Brad O'Keefe, Dylan Wachenfeld, Dan Cimaglia, Cameron Dignan, Mike Lavy and Justin Dignan.

The team is coached by Kevin Karch, Frank LoCascio and Ann Suter.

Congratulations to all the runners in their victory.



WILLIAM ANNIN VOLLEYBALL TEAM



The William Annin volleyball team lead by Coach Lori Thompson completed another great season with 12 wins and 4 losses.