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## January Newsletter

**Happy New Year!** We hope that you and your family have enjoyed our break! We are looking forward to sharing the rest of the school year with your child and with your family!

**Thank You:** We want to thank our families for the generosity they have shown in December. Families have donated canned goods for the Christmas Cheer program and donated items to help make our winter classroom parties a success. We are truly grateful for your generosity!

**School Supplies:** As we move into the second half of the school year, your child may need to have their school supplies replenished. Please check to see if your child has pencils, crayons, erasers, scissors and glue sticks. You may contact your child's teacher to see if there are any additional items that your child needs.

**Redskin Ready:** On days that we have inclement weather, our students enjoy indoor recess. Our students are practicing the following Redskin Ready Expectations:

- Use kind words and actions to others.
- Use inside voices.
- Take care of classroom items.
- Put everything away when recess is over.

By following these expectations, our students are able to enjoy indoor recess.

**No School:** Students will not be in school on Friday, January 15th, due to teacher inservice. We will also not have school on Monday, January 18th, in observance of MLK, Jr. Day.

**Student Information:** It is extremely important that our families update their child's information in One View when changes occur. If you have moved or changed your phone number, please update this information for our records. Likewise, if any individuals who may be called for an illness or emergency has changed, we will need to have this information updated, as well. If you have any questions on how to update this information in One View, please contact one of our school secretaries.

**School Fees:** If you need to pay for your child's school fees, you can either send in a check (made payable to Wapakoneta Elementary School) or stop in the office to pay for your child's school fees. The fees are as follows:

- Kindergarten: \$20
- 1st Grade: \$35
- 2nd Grade: \$55
- 3rd Grade: \$75
- 4th Grade: \$75

**PTO Meeting:** There will be a PTO meeting on Monday, January 4, 2021, at 3:00 PM, via Google Meet. Please email Renae Echert at [renaeleckert@gmail.com](mailto:renaeleckert@gmail.com) for the invitation.

**Yearbook Sales:** Orders for the Wapakoneta Elementary School yearbooks can be placed online between January 4th through January 22nd. We will share the link for online ordering on January 4th. (There will be no paper order forms this year.) The cost of the yearbook will be \$15. The cost of the yearbook with personalization will be \$25. DVDs will not be available for purchase.

Please visit our school website at [www.wapak.org](http://www.wapak.org) for our school and district calendars.