



# Strodes Mills elementary

185 Chestnut Ridge Road, McVeytown, PA 17051

## December, 2022

### Coming up...

- December 2nd- KG + 1st Grade Field Trip  
Ice Festival
- December 15th- 2nd Grade Field Trip  
Juniata College Ballet
- December 23rd-January 2nd- No School  
(Christmas + New Year's)

### Golden Ticket Winners

SMES is Respectful, Responsible, Ready, and Safe! Each winner received a golden coin to use in our book vending machine and a chance to win a Golden Paw t-shirt!



Way to go, SMES!



<b>9</b> DEC	SCHOOLWIDE PSA CHRISTMAS CRAFT
<b>14</b> DEC	CHRISTMAS CONCERT 9 AM - KG & 2ND GR 10 AM - 1ST & 3RD GR
<b>16</b> DEC	SANTA'S WORKSHOP
<b>20</b> DEC	HIGH SCHOOL CANTARE PERFORMANCE FOR STUDENTS
<b>22</b> DEC	SCHOOL WIDE CHRISTMAS MOVIE & CRAFT DAY

**23 - 2**  
DEC - JAN Christmas Break. Students return Jan. 3rd.

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### Attendance Matters

Huskies are READY! Make it a priority to get your student to school on time.

Give your child plenty time to get ready in the morning.

**TIP:** Try having your child go to bed 10 minutes earlier and wake up 10 minutes earlier.



We are one school,  
one team, one family.  
#oneSMES

## Cold Weather

Winter is here! Please be sure to send your student with appropriate outerwear for outdoor recess—winter coats, hats, and gloves.

Please reach out to Mrs. Ahearn if you need any of these items for your student.

## PSA Post

**Meeting-** There will NOT be a December meeting. The next meeting will be held on January 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Discount Cards-** Orders and money are due by December 7<sup>th</sup>. Checks can be made out to SMES PSA. Cards will be distributed the week of December 12<sup>th</sup>.

## PBIS Celebration



Students earned a PBIS Celebration! On Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, SMES enjoyed "A Day at the ZOO". We were joined by The Academy students and staff, who provided games and a petting zoo!



## Am I too Sick for School??

As quickly as winter settled in, so did illnesses! Please remember to keep your students home if they have any of the following:

- Temperature of 100° or higher (must be fever free without medication for 24 hours before returning)
  - Vomiting
  - Diarrhea
  - Persistent cough
  - Thick nasal drainage
- Earache
- Rash
- Red, itchy eyes or with drainage
- Persistent itching of the scalp