

Christmas Vacation

The last day of school before Christmas vacation will be Tuesday, December 22. This will be a full day. School will resume after the holidays on Tuesday, January 5, 2010. Have a wonderful and joyous holiday season!

Toy Drive

Once again we will have a toy drive for the children of Reynosa, Mexico. Ernie and Donna Luna and their daughter, Jessica will be delivering toys to children in Mexico. Last year they, along with members of their church, were able to provide toys and some blankets to 300 children in the town of Reynosa, Mexico.

This year Mrs. Luna is requesting that we only donate new toys. She would like dolls, trucks, and cars. Dollar General has many appropriate toys for \$2- 3.

From now until Tuesday, Dec. 15th your child may bring in any of the above mentioned toys to their teacher. The Lunas will be collecting them that day and will transport them Mexico.

1000 Club

The following 1st graders have successfully written to 1000!



Kyla Isaac



Tuesday Weisbeck



Austin Rempel



Mackenzie Fleming



Noah Bartel

Upcoming Chess Tournament

The Hillsboro Chess Tournament will take place on Saturday, December 12th. Registrations are due Thursday, December 10th to either Mr. Moran or Mrs. Whisenhunt.

Moon Rocks

Dr. Bruce Heyen visited Julie Linnen's classroom recently with some moon rocks from NASA. He explained how the large rock in the left picture (below), while not a moon rock, contained materials similar to those found on the moon. The disk in the right picture actually held the fragments of moon rock.



Americanism T-shirt Winner

Sarah Jost is the winner of this year's Americanism t-shirt design contest. Pictured with Sarah are Americanism instructors Pat Bartel and Sue Wadkins.

