



School Notes

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NISD School Notes, December 5 – January 22

NISD Employee Assists Red Cross in New York

Northwest ISD Partners in Education Specialist Phil Beckman spent the week of Thanksgiving in New York volunteering with the American Red Cross relief response to Hurricane Sandy. As a public affairs volunteer, Beckman assisted in communicating the story of how the Red Cross is helping families in the New York and New Jersey area. He shot video, wrote stories and took photographs. The Red Cross served more than three million meals and snacks through November 28.

NISD Hosts IMPACT Parent Meeting

Northwest ISD will host an IMPACT parent meeting on Thursday, December 6 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the Board Room at the Administration Building Board Room (2001 Texan Drive, Fort Worth, 76247). This informative meeting offers helpful homework tips for parents and how to access information through the Northwest ISD website.

NISD Hosts 5th Annual Reindeer Romp

Northwest ISD is hosting the 5th Annual Reindeer Romp benefiting the Northwest ISD physical education departments. The 5K race will be held Saturday, December 8 at 8:30 a.m. at Byron Nelson High School (2775 Bobcat Blvd. Trophy Club, 76262). To sign up for the race, go to <http://www.nisdreindeerromp.com/>.

Board of Trustee Meeting

The December School Board meeting will be held Monday, December 10 at 7 p.m. in the Board Room at the NISD Administration Building (2001 Texan Drive, Fort Worth, 76247).

BNHS Theatre Presents *It's a Wonderful Life*

The Byron Nelson High School theatre department presents *It's a Wonderful Life* on December 14-15 at 7 p.m. and December 16 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. at the Byron Nelson High School Performing Arts Center (2775 Bobcat Boulevard, Trophy Club, 76262). Tickets are \$7 for adults and \$5 for students. For reservations, please call 817-695-5796.

NISD Closed for Winter Break

Northwest ISD offices and campuses will be closed December 19 – January 1 for Winter Break. Wednesday, January 2 is a student holiday. Classes will resume Thursday, January 3.

NISD to Host First Annual Health Fair

In partnership with Texas Health Resources Alliance, Northwest ISD will hold the first annual Health Fair at the new Texas Health Resources Alliance Hospital (10864 Texas Health Trail, Fort Worth, 76244) on Saturday, January 12 from 2 – 5 p.m. The hospital will offer free screenings ranging from BMI, blood pressure, bone density and car seat safety. Students from the district's Academy of Medical Professions will provide tours of the new facility. Student performances include the NISD Elementary School Honor Choir, Medlin Middle School Orchestra Quartet, Square Dancing Club, O.A. Peterson Elementary School Choir, Northwest High School cheerleaders and the Northwest High School dance ensemble.

NISD Early Release Days

Northwest ISD campuses will dismiss early on Thursday, January 17 and Friday, January 18 at the following times:

Elementary Schools: 12:15 p.m.

Steele AHS and Special Programs Center: 1:05 p.m.

BNHS and NHS: 1:15 p.m.

Middle Schools: 2 p.m.

NISD Closed January 21

Northwest ISD offices and campuses will be closed Monday, January 21 in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. Classes will resume Tuesday, January 22.

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