

# Country Place Elementary

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## Principal's Newsletter for December 2011

### Important Dates

**Dec 1** - 6:00pm PTA Meeting/Awards Assembly in the cafeteria

**Dec 2** - PTA Casual Friday & Mustang Munchies

**Dec 5 through 8** - PTA Holiday Gift Shop (Monday - preview only; Tues-Thursday - scheduled; Thurs-open 3-3:45)

**Dec 7** - 6:00pm Winter Concert in the cafeteria

**Dec 13** - 6:00pm Governing Board meeting at the Underdown Learning Center

**Dec 22 through Jan 3** - Winter Break—no school (Office will be closed during the holidays)

**Jan 4** - School resumes for 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter

Dear Parents,

We would like to wish you and your family happy holidays. A special thank you for all of our parents that attend our "Family Nights", PTA/Award nights, and or volunteer! We cannot be successful without your assistance in your child's education.

### Country Place Food Drive

Thank you to the whole school for donating to families in need. We were able to donate over 3,000 items of food to the Aqua Fria Food Bank due to all of the donations students and staff brought in. This is definitely going to help families in the area. A special thanks to CPES student council for organizing and collecting cans.

Congratulations to the winning grade level - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

Congratulations to the winning class - Ms. Finn's Class

### Notes & Reminders

**After-school Sports** - Please visit our school calendar, available on the website, for information on upcoming games.

**Uniform information** - Please remind your children to tuck in their shirts and follow all dress code guidelines found in the district student/parent handbook. With temperatures now cooling off, please remember that outer wear is designed to be worn outside. Expensive jackets or professional team related jackets are discouraged, as the school is not liable for damaged, lost or stolen items. All clothing worn in the classroom, including sweaters, should conform to the district dress code colors. Students may also wear Mustangs apparel available for purchase through our front office.

Please feel free to call the office if you have any questions or concerns. Have a wonderful month!

Mr. Chebultz, Principal