

# Logan - Rogersville Primary School Newsletter

January, 2012

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January 6 – Second Quarter Grade Cards

January 16 – No School – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

January 19 – School Board Meeting, 7:00, Central Office

January 24 – 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School!

February 1 – Wildcat “Read In”, 8:00 – 8:30 AM, Primary School Library

February 6 – PTA General Meeting, 6:30, Upper Elementary

February 14 – Valentine’s Day Parties

February 17 – Dismissal at 1:00 PM

## CHARACTER ED

Our word for January is “Attitude”. We want our students to learn that attitude is... making a conscious choice every day about how you will embrace life. This is a good quote from Albert Einstein, “There are only two ways to live your life. One is as though nothing is a miracle. The other is as though everything is a miracle.”

## School Closing Due to Severe Weather

As soon as the decision is made to cancel school due to severe weather, notification will be made to all parents through the Alert-Now system. School closures will also be announced on television and radio stations. Remember to go to [www.logrog.net](http://www.logrog.net) and click on “inclement weather” to read about our snow route system that may be implemented on certain days this winter. If the decision is made to use snow routes only, you will always be notified through the Alert Now system. If snow routes are used in the morning, they will also be run for the afternoon route...so be aware of your PM pick-up time.

## **FATHER / DAUGHTER DANCE**

PTA will be hosting the Father / Daughter Dance on Saturday, February 4 from 6:00 – 8:00 at the Upper Elementary. The cost is \$15.00 per couple (or \$12.00 if you are a member of PTA.) Registration sheets have been sent home with every girl, so if you did not get one, there are extras on our “parent table” in the school lobby that you can pick up. If you need additional information you may contact Debbie Warren at 880-6295.

## **SCHOOL STARTS AT 8:40**

Please remember that being tardy is not a habit that you should create for your child as they begin their school career. We do begin class as soon as children arrive. The first bus is here at 8:25, and the tardy bell rings at 8:40, so there is a 15 minute window that allows everyone to get settled in. However, if they arrive after 8:40, they are missing instructional time. As students get into the older grades, there are more consequences for being tardy, so we want them to realize the importance of being here BEFORE the bell rings.

## **100<sup>th</sup> Day of School**

We do not celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> day of school just because we are happy to mark this milestone! We celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School because it is part of our daily calendar learning. We start counting straws on the first day of school, and make bundles every ten days, so it is a big celebration when we can group 10 sets of 10 and move all of the straws into the 100's pocket on our chart. Plus, the kindergarten students enjoy a visit from “Zero the Hero”!!!

## **THANK YOU FOR THE GOODIES**

The Primary School staff would like to thank all of the parents and students who brought us special gifts during the holidays. You are all so thoughtful, and we feel blessed to work in such a wonderful community!

## **PENNIES FOR PATIENTS**

Our “Pennies for Patients” coin drive was very successful. The students enjoyed bringing in their spare change and helping to raise money for The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Our final count was **\$1,016.00!!!**