

## **Happy Snowy Day Liberty Lake Families,**

As the snow continues to fall this week please make sure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather. Students go outside when the weather is above or “feels like” 20 degrees. Many times the weather improves as the sun comes out during the day. Please make sure your child is equipped with a hat, gloves, snow boots and warm jacket. Below are some reminders and information for the week ahead.

**Snow Day/2-hour delay** - Students safety is our number one priority especially when road conditions are dangerous. When we have a 2-hour delay or snow day the district will send a blackboard connect message to your phone. Many times Liberty Lake Elementary will follow up with a similar message with some further details. If you are not receiving the text messages please contact our front office at 558-4300. We want to make sure our community has the most up to date information.

**Family Fun Night BINGO-** A BIG thank you to our PTO for hosting our annual BINGO fun family night! Thank you to all of our families and local businesses that donated items for this event. WOW & hellip. What great prizes were won!

**Highly Capable Program** - If teachers/parents would like to recommend a student in grades 1-4 for testing/identification as highly capable, we will need a referral form completed by 3:00pm on March 1, 2019. Testing and review of relevant data by the Selection Committee will take place from March 4<sup>th</sup>-April 30<sup>th</sup>. On May 31<sup>st</sup> students and parents will be notified of eligibility for fall 2019-2020 services. Further information about our CVSD Highly Capable Program can be found on our cvsd website.

If you would like to refer your child for testing please click on this link: [Teacher/Parent Referral Form](#)

**Penny Drive** – WOW! Thank you for all of the pennies coming in this past week. Our new total is \$601.48. Current totals by grade level are: 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$171.93, 4<sup>th</sup>- \$187.47, 5<sup>th</sup>- \$242.08. We still have a couple weeks to collect money. Please help us reach our goal of over \$1,000!

**Valet/End of day pick up-** If you are picking your child up early please note that our valet begins to fill up around 2:30pm. You may want to park in our side parking lot so you do not get “boxed” in by other cars.

**Formative 5** - For the month of February our students are focusing on self-control. During the month our students are watching videos, reading stories and participating in self-control challenges. The steps for developing self-control are:

- 1) Developing awareness
- 2) Complying
- 3) Goal Setting
- 4) Transferring
- 5) Monitoring

**Meritorious Service Awards-** CVSD is fortunate to have many dedicated employees who give freely of their time and talents to benefit our students and community. Our School Board annually honors exemplary CVSD employees and community contributors (volunteers) through our Meritorious Service Awards. Please consider filling out the nomination form for any well deserving staff or volunteers at Liberty Lake Elementary. Here is the link for the nomination form <http://survey.constantcontact.com/survey/a07efwrmq1ijpbh594i/a01o0jr0wltcs/greeting>

**Upcoming Events/Calendar Updates-**

**Thursday, 2/14 – Valentine’s Day Parties – 2-3pm (Make sure you are volunteer approved to attend!)**

**Friday, 2/15 – Learning Improvement Day (No School)**

**Monday, 2/18 – Presidents Day (No School)**

Enjoy your week,

Liberty Lake Staff