

# CLES DOLPHIN SPLASH

Centennial Lane Elementary School PTA <http://www.clespta.org>  
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## DECEMBER:

- 12/2: Spirit Wear Orders in!
- 12/19: Spirit Day - Ugly Sweater Day
- 12/19: Young Author's Contest - Deadline for submissions
- 12/21: Interims Issued
- 12/26-30: Winter Break - Schools and Offices Closed

## JANUARY:

- 1/6: CLES Pajama Day
- 1/6: CLES PTA Winter Dance (details below)
- 1/16: MLK Day- Schools Closed
- 1/18: Family Fit Night (details to follow)

## FEBRUARY:

- 2/23: World Showcase (details to follow)

\*new dates/info added to the calendar have been shown in blue\*

## UPCOMING PTA EVENT DETAILS and INFO:

**SPIRIT WEAR ORDERS ARE IN!** Spirit Wear has arrived and will be delivered to school by Friday morning December 2nd. If you ordered anything that is a "surprise" please pick it up in the from office at your earliest convenience. If you have any questions please contact Wendy Allen at [wendylallen@verizon.net](mailto:wendylallen@verizon.net).

**YOUNG AUTHORS' CONTEST- DUE DECEMBER 19:**

Who: Students in Grades 2 – 5

What: Write a poem or short story!

- Entries must be **original work**.
- All entries must use no smaller than **12 point** font in **Times New Roman** or **Comic Sans**.
- Be sure to save your file. Winners will be asked to email their entry to the chairperson.
- Short story entry may range from a minimum of 300 words to no more than 800 words.
- Poem entry will consist of a single poem, any style from a minimum of 25 words to no more than 150 words.
- Entries must **not** include graphics.
- Each entry must include a completed cover sheet signed by the student author, parent, and sponsoring teacher

**TINO'S RESTAURANT NIGHT POSTPONED UNTIL JANUARY:** Due to the Band and Orchestra Winter Concert being on Monday, December 5th, the Tino's Italian Bistro fundraising night has been moved to January 23rd. \*Flyers will be sent home a few days prior to each Restaurant Night as a reminder! Thank you for your support! Questions? Contact Jessica Esposito at [jesposito13@gmail.com](mailto:jesposito13@gmail.com)

**PTA DIRECTORY UPDATE:** Thank you all for your patience with the new directory process. We recently received the data from the County and are currently in the process of putting together this year's directory. We hope to send it to the print shop next week. We appreciate your understanding as we navigate the new process. Thank you!

**PAJAMA DAY & PJ PARTY DANCE- FRIDAY, JANUARY 6<sup>TH</sup>:** All students and staff are invited to wear their coziest pajamas to school for a school-wide Pajama Day (no slippers or stuffed animals). Then, keep those PJs on and join us that evening for the CLES PTA's "Pajama Party" Winter Dance!

**WINTER DANCE: SAVE THE DATE:** The CLES PTA Winter Dance will be held on Friday, January 6th from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm in the Burleigh Manor Middle School cafeteria. All CLES students are invited to this event, and each child must be

supervised by an adult chaperone during the entire dance. There is no fee to participate. Mark your calendars so you can join us for this fun event and look for more details closer to the dance!

**YEARBOOK PHOTOS: DO YOU HAVE ANY NEW PHOTOS FROM THIS SCHOOL YEAR?** The yearbook committee will be accepting photo submissions through early spring. Please submit photos/questions to: [yearbook.cles@gmail.com](mailto:yearbook.cles@gmail.com) Please send separate emails for events, and include the event in the title of your email (i.e. "Dolphin Dash" or "First Day of School") Submission of photos does not guarantee placement in the yearbook.

**COMMUNITY NEWS:** Please visit the Community News and Programs page (<http://www.hcpss.org/community-news-and-programs>) on the HCPSS website for announcements of upcoming events and programs sponsored by non-profit organizations.

*\*Next PTA Newsletter will go out on Thursday 12/15. Please email Amy Favinger [clesdolphinsplash@gmail.com](mailto:clesdolphinsplash@gmail.com) by Tuesday 12/13 with any newsletter submissions\**