



December 14, 2017

Greetings, Parents and Guardians!

We are into the last few school days before Christmas. I know there is a lot of excitement about decorations and presents and family – and that’s wonderful! But more to the point, Christmas is really the celebration of Christ’s birth – Jesus’ birthday. I hope you and your family will take a few minutes during the holidays to at least read the account of Jesus birth in the Bible. St. Luke tells it beautifully in the second chapter of his Gospel. Let’s not allow the commercial hype to destroy the whole reason for the season!

The 5-8 graders Christmas program will be presented live at **1:30 PM on Friday, December 15**. All are most cordially invited to attend the 1:30 performance, but it will be available for all, parents, relatives, and students, through our website, [www.stbonifaceschool.net](http://www.stbonifaceschool.net) afterwards. We hope that makes it much more accessible and convenient for everyone!

The **Title 1 lending library** is open for parents and guardians from **12:20-1:20 and 2:15-2:45 on Friday, December 15**. Please stop in to tour the room and borrow materials for use at home.

Grades 2 and 3 will be visiting the Green Acres Art Center on Wednesday, Dec. 20. It will be inside, so cold weather won’t deter us!

And yes, we ARE in session, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, Dec. 18-20. Our Christmas Break begins on Thursday, Dec. 21 and we **RETURN TO CLASSES on WED., Jan. 3**

Homework club will resume on Monday, January 8, 2018.

And again, with the weather becoming more seasonal, **if Cincinnati Public Schools are EITHER closed or on a 2-hour delay, St. Boniface will be CLOSED!**

Coming Events:

Friday, Dec. 15 — 6-8 prayer Service 8:00 in gym;  
Beginners Band to 3:30, Advanced Band to 4:15  
**Christmas Program, 1:30 in gym – open to all!**

Tuesday, Dec. 19– **NO Big Brothers !**

Wednesday, Dec. 20 – Kids in Action to 4:00; Boys basketball to 5:00

Thursday, Dec. 21 – NO SCHOOL – Christmas Break

Wednesday, Jan. 3 – Classes resume



Have a most blessed Christmas and a happy and healthy New Year!  
Sister Miriam and the St. Boniface Staff