

December 19th Grinch Day

December 22nd

Polar Express Day (rescheduled)

December 22nd Holiday Party

### December 2014

# Kindergarten **NEWS**

## WHAT'S NEW IN KINDERGARTEN

Only 13 more days until Christmas... I know you are counting!

#### In Reading:

- Stretching and sounding out words
- Using a pointer finger while reading
- Character/ Setting/ Sequencing

#### In Writing:

- Stretching and sounding out words
- Finger spaces between words
- Adding detail to picture and writing
- Taking time to make quality work

#### In Science:

- Continue working with wood and paper
- Learning about Christmas around the world. We have "traveled" to South Africa, Mexico, and Germany so far!

Our Focus Letter next week: Oo

Our Focus Word this week: you

#### In Math:

- Making and taking apart numbers 3-10
- Addition (will be starting next week)
- -Continue to practice number recognition and identification

## **Announcements**

- Polar Express Day was scheduled for December 12th but has been moved to December 23rd. Children are encouraged to wear their PJs to school that day
- Grinch Day is December 19th. Dress like your favorite character from the Grinch. We will be doing all sorts of fun Grinch activities and watching the movie.
- Our holiday party is on December 23rd. We will be doing a gift exchange. If you would like your child to participate, please have them bring a wrapped gift (<\$5). Boys buy for boys and girls buy for girls. If you would like to bring a treat that day, we would love that too. If financial reasons keep your child from participating, please let me know and I will do what I can to help out!</p>

