

January 2019

Happy New Year Everyone! May 2019 bring you much joy, happiness and excellent health! Thank you so much to all the agencies and people who helped to make Christmas a joyous one for so many of our children. Parents – you are amazing! Your determination, caring and desire to help one another is to be admired and shared!

A few gentle reminders for the New Year – PLEASE send your children to school every day! The State of NJ requires us to have a 90% attendance rate daily. Children who are absent more than 18 days are considered “Chronically absent”. I am asking that you think twice before allowing your child to stay home – unless of course they are sick.

Let’s hope we do not have to call off school for snow! We will follow whatever Millville Public Schools decide to do. PLEASE update your phone number with the office so that YOU receive the “all call” that school is closed or delayed. If delayed, it will be **TWO** hours.

Please remember that the District has a dress code. It calls for a collared shirt – any color and khaki bottoms. If you are in need of uniforms, please call me at school or send in a note with the sizes you need.

Lastly, please make every attempt to get your child to school on time – PNS is 8:15 and HMS is 8:45 a.m. Children coming to school late or leaving early lose precious instructional time.

We have NO SCHOOL on January 18 – It is a full day staff in-service. We have NO SCHOOL on January 21 – It is a holiday to honor Rev. Martin Luther King.

Thank you for your cooperation! Please feel free to call me here at school or on my cell – 609-247-2943. I will do my best to help you and address your concerns.

Happy New Year!