



# Forest Avenue Bulletin

Volume 13

November 30 –December 6, 2016

## DATES TO REMEMBER:

### **Wednesday, November 30**

- Pomptonian Lunch – Pizza

### **Thursday, December 1**

- Pomptonian Lunch – Chicken Sliders
- Lunchtime Craft forms due
- SCRIP Delivery

### **Friday, December 2**

- Pomptonian Lunch – Chicken Nuggets
- Sportswear Sale Ends

### **Monday, December 5**

- SCA Lunch – Chicken Tenders

### **Tuesday, December 6**

- 12:30pm – Early Dismissal (Conferences)
- No Lunch

### **Wednesday, December 7**

- 12:30pm – Early Dismissal (Conferences)
- No Lunch
- Happiness is Sharing

### **Thursday, December 8**

- 12:30pm – Early Dismissal (Conferences)
- No Lunch
- Happiness is Sharing

### **Friday, December 9**

- Pomptonian Lunch – Pizza
- Happiness is Sharing



## ‘Tis the Season for Giving

Please consider giving a gift, gift card or monetary donation to help Verona families in need this holiday season. Find out more about donation suggestions and “wish list” items in the **Happiness is Sharing** flyer. Tables will be set up for donations near the nurse’s office **December 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>**. Contact **Laura Morowitz** at [laura.morowitz@gmail.com](mailto:laura.morowitz@gmail.com) with questions. Thank you for supporting this great cause!

## Grocery Cards for “The Holidays”

Christmas, Hanukkah, and New Year’s Day are times for great family gatherings and great food! We all spend a lot more money on grocery shopping this month! Help us raise more money for Forest Avenue School by purchasing extra supermarket gift cards for “The Holidays”. Attached is an order form. Please fill out the form and return in the backpack by **December 1<sup>st</sup>**. The cards will be delivered to you on **December 15<sup>th</sup>**. Orders can also be emailed directly to [forestavenuescrip@gmail.com](mailto:forestavenuescrip@gmail.com).



## Give the Gift Everyone REALLY Wants!!

SCA gift cards...the gift that always fits! Complete the form and return via backpack mail. Place checks, payable to Forest Ave SCA, in an envelope marked "Gift Card Program" by **December 9<sup>th</sup>**. Find the order form and card list on the school website. For questions, please contact: **Vanessa Vargas** 646-879-3814. Thank you in advance for supporting the SCA!



## Reminder Corner

- ✓ **SAVE THE DATE:** The highly anticipated Holiday Concert will be on **December 16<sup>th</sup>**; 9:15am. More information will be in next week’s bulletin.
- ✓ Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held on **December 6 – 8<sup>th</sup>**. Please remember that there will be early dismissal on these days and no lunch will be served.

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## SCRIP Gift Card Contest Update!

Congratulations to the following classes who have earned a “double recess day” in November for fantastic participation in our SCRIP gift card fundraiser: **KC, KL, 1L, 1W, 2C, 3E, 4B, and 4G**. These classes earned an extra recess this week. Our next prize will be given out in January. If you would like to start receiving SCRIP gift cards and help your class earn additional prizes, email [forestavenuescrip@gmail.com](mailto:forestavenuescrip@gmail.com).



## Give the Gift of Spirit Wear!

Start your holiday shopping and show your school spirit! Every purchase you make raises money for Forest Avenue! Our holiday spirit store is open until **Friday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>** to assure holiday delivery. Many great gifts for giving! To order go to <https://academyapparelnj.tuosystems.com/stores/forestholidayshop>.

## You Shop & Amazon Gives to SCA

Do you shop at Amazon? Shop instead at <https://smile.amazon.com/> and 0.5% of your purchases goes directly to the Forest Ave SCA. Just select ‘Forest Avenue School and Community Association Inc’ as your donation organization. Remind your family and friends that they too can support Forest Ave!



## **THANKS! XIEXIE! GRAZIE! MERCI!**

### Forest Ave Community Continues to Give!

Thank you to **Mrs. Petronico** and **Mrs. Wertz** for organizing our food drive. Forest Ave donated over 15 bags of food to Verona families for Thanksgiving.

Thank you to the Forest Ave Community who supported Team Zoey and the Progeria Research Foundation at November 26<sup>th</sup> Turkey Trot. **The Forest Ave Class of 2020 Team** and **Forest Ave Faculty and Friends Team** together raised over \$8,000 this year! Check out additional information and pictures at:

<http://www.myveronanj.com/2016/11/27/forest-class-2020-raises-money-team-zoey/>



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