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January 15 – January 21, 2014

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Wednesday, January 15
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Pizzeria Pizza
- SCRIP Distribution

Thursday, January 16
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Nachos Grande

Friday, January 17
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Chicken Nuggets

Monday, January 20
- Martin Luther King, Jr., Day—NO SCHOOL

Tuesday, January 21
- SCA Chicken Tender Lunch (Don't Forget to Pack a Drink!)
- Enrichment Clusters at Forest, 3:15 P.M.

Wednesday, January 22
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Mac & Cheese

Thursday, January 23
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Pizzeria Pizza

Friday, January 24
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Grilled Cheese

DON'T FORGET!

In error, a Pomptonian Lunch was offered on **Tuesday, January 21**, which is a day we already have an SCA Chicken Tender Lunch scheduled. **The Pomptonian Lunch WILL BE CANCELLED.** All students who ordered and prepaid the Jan 21 Pomptonian Lunch will receive a credit to use on next month's (February) Pomptonian Lunch order.

Please remember to pack your child a lunch on Tuesday, Jan 21, if you had signed up for Pomptonian, but are **NOT** signed up for Chicken Tenders.

REMINDER

February Pomptonian Lunch menus were sent home on Monday. Please note that the deadline for orders is **Friday, January 17.** Remember to use your credit if you paid for a lunch on January 21.

Book Donations Wanted!!

READING LEVELS K–5

Please help stock the Forest Ave classroom libraries for Readers Workshop. Forest Ave will be collecting used books (reading levels K–5) for its classrooms from now until the end of January. There will be a collection box outside the office. It's a new year: Clean out your bookcases and send in those old books the kids have outgrown.

Forest SCA Hot Lunch Program: Mid-Year Sign Up Is Happening Now

The first half of the year for SCA Hot Lunch is over at the end of January. While many children were signed up for the entire year in September, there are a number of families who signed their children up for only the first half of the year. Please review the attached list of children whose lunches are set to expire after January unless they are renewed. *Attached is the mid-year sign-up sheet for the upcoming months (Feb–June) for anyone who would like to sign their child up for any of the SCA Hot Lunches.* You can view all the hot lunches the SCA offers on the form. All forms should be returned with payment in an envelope marked SCA Lunch Program by **Wednesday, January 22**. Any questions, please contact Carol Lynn Moy, her contact information is on the sign-up sheet.

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Attention All 4th Grade Parents!

Please remember to turn in your child's flash drive, CD or DVD with their yearbook picture submittals by this **Friday, January 17.** As a reminder they should be turned in to the main office to Charlene DiNatale's attention in the Fourth Grade Stuff mailbox. Please make every effort to turn your pictures in (maximum of 20) so we have enough great photos of your child to use in the yearbook! Any questions, please contact a member of the yearbook team: Mary Koellhofer, Charlene DiNatale, Kara Conklin, or Kim Napoli.

Whole Foods SCRIP Now Available Through the Forest SCA!

The Forest SCA is now offering Whole Foods SCRIP starting on February 1! We will have two distribution dates each month (the 1st and the 15th) starting on February 1 and ending on June 15. *If you would like to purchase SCRIP for Whole Foods each month, please see the attached order form.* Please send in your order form in an envelope marked Whole Foods SCRIP by **Friday, January 24**.

We cannot accept orders for February, March or April 1 distributions after January 24 (we are placing one order with the SCRIP company in January and one order in April). Any questions, please contact Beth Shust at esyacono@yahoo.com.

Believe It or Not, It Is Time For

Kindergarten Round Up!

THIS WEEK we are asking all families with children who will be turning 5 on or before October 1, 2014, to register for Kindergarten! An information letter and an enrollment form are available in the office and on our website.

To register your child, you will need an **enrollment form, original birth certificate** (we'll make a copy), along with the following proof of residency:

1. Proof of Domicile: a current lease, deed, or property tax bill **AND**
2. Proof of Attachment to Address: utility bill, telephone bill, cable bill, etc.

When you register you will be given information about the SCA's Pre-K Workshops, which begin in February. If you have a neighbor with children who are of Kindergarten age and who are not yet part of our Forest Ave family, please pass this information along to them.

Any questions, please contact Mrs. Lawrence at 973-571-6754 or dlawrence@veronaschools.org.

Please see the attached Minutes from the January 6 SCA Meeting.

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