

Announcements for Friday, January 20, 2012



Patriot Pride

Be Respectful!

Be Ready!

Be a Patriot!



Word of the Day

This week's suffix is "meter," which is Greek for "measure."

"odometer"

Part of Speech: noun

Definition: "instrument for measuring the distance traveled by a vehicle"

"I decided to purchase the used car since the odometer indicated it had only been driven 8,000 miles."

On This Day in History

- 1841 - The island of Hong Kong was ceded to Great Britain. It returned to Chinese control in 1997.
- 1885 - The roller coaster was patented by L.A. Thompson.
- 1887 - The U.S. Senate approved an agreement to lease Pearl Harbor in Hawaii as a naval base.
- 1892 - The first official basketball game was played by students at the Springfield, MA YMCA Training School.
- 1997 - Bill Clinton was inaugurated for his second term as President of the United States.

Declamation

Declamation Team members need to come to at least one practice next week!

- Monday: 7:45-8:30 and 3:10-4:10
- Wednesday: 3:10-4:10
- Thursday: 7:45-8:30 and 3:10-4:10



Food Drive Challenge

Jan. 23-27

Bring in non-perishable items to donate to the Tinley Park Food Pantry. Items will be weighed against Prairie View and is Grissom wins, everyone gets a **NO HOMEWORK DAY!**





Spirit Week



Next week is Spirit Week! One winner per team will be chosen each day!

Monday: Sweats Day

Tuesday: Mismatch Day

Wednesday: Hat Day

Thursday: Twin Day

Friday: Patriot Day (wear red, white and blue)



Snowflake 2012

Forms and money are due by Feb. 8th. Please make checks payable to KSD 140.



Did you guess correctly??



Mrs. Szczasny



Mr. Schmaus

8th Grade Dance Committee

All parents interested in being on the 8th grade dance committee are asked to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 31. The meeting will be held at Grissom.

