

# Announcements for Wednesday, January 25, 2012



# Patriot Pride

Be Respectful!

Be Ready!

Be a Patriot!



# Word of the Day

This week's prefix is "pater," which is Latin for "father."

"paternal"

Part of Speech: adjective

Definition: "relating to the father"

"My family tells me I resemble my paternal great-grandfather."

# On This Day in History

1881 - Thomas Edison, Alexander Graham Bell and others signed an agreement to organize the Oriental Telephone Company.

1915 - In New York, Alexander Graham Bell spoke to his assistant in San Francisco, inaugurating the first transcontinental telephone service.

1924 - The first Winter Olympic Games began in Chamonix in the French Alps.

1949 - The first Emmys were presented at the Hollywood Athletic Club.

1961 - John F. Kennedy presented the first live presidential news conference.

# Declamation

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

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



# Food Drive Challenge

Jan. 23-27

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





# Spirit Week



This 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)

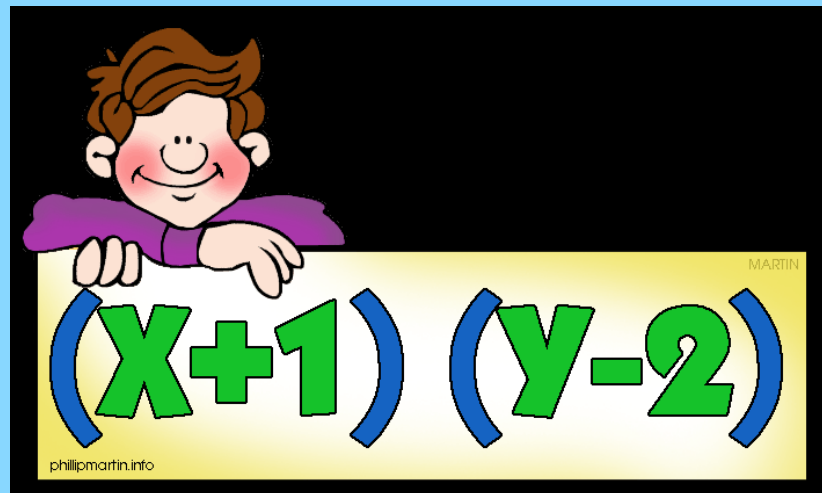
# Happy Chinese New Year



Happy Chinese New Year! The Year of the Dragon  
Created by Mrs. Rumbaugh's Social Studies class

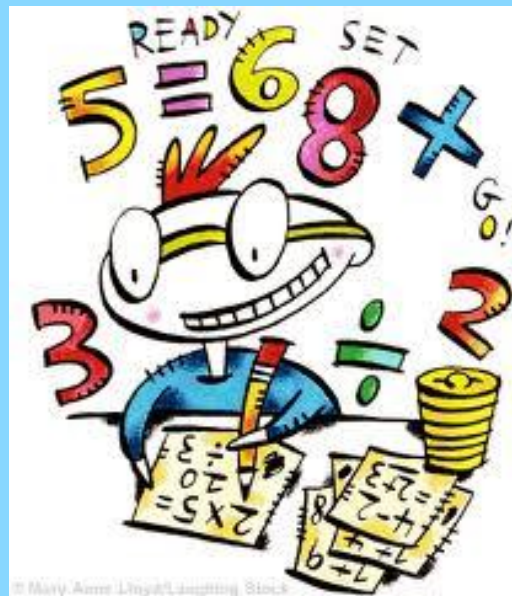
# Mathletes

Mathletes t-shirt  
orders are due  
Wednesday! Please  
turn \$\$ in to Mrs.  
Sempek.



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All grades will meet today  
after school!



# Pizza Order Forms

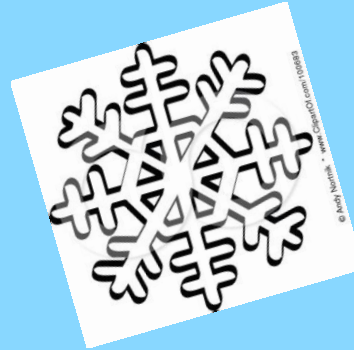
Pizza order forms are due by Friday, Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>. Go online to order from the Virtual Backpack or pick up a form by the office.



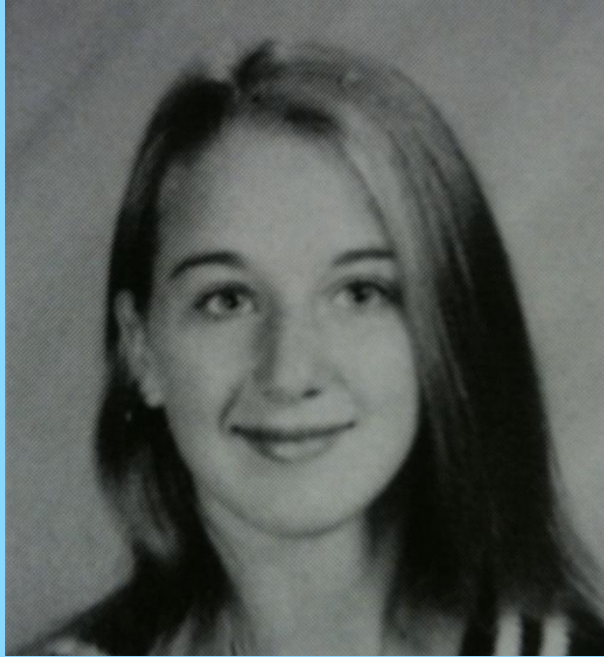


# Snowflake 2012

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



# Did you guess correctly??



Mrs. Rumbaugh



Mrs. McGilvrey

# 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Volleyball

The girls improved to 3-0 on the season when they defeated OJH on Monday. Scores were 22-25, 25-20 and 25-20. The team was led by Leah Schissler and Jenna Malak. Good job ladies!



# 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dance Committee

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



# 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Fees

Be sure to turn in  
your graduation fees  
before March 16<sup>th</sup>!  
If you need another  
copy of the papers, go  
online to the Virtual  
Backpack.



# Chorus Field Trip

- Be sure to get your homework from your teachers by Wednesday!
- Wear your Chorus t-shirt on Thursday!
- Bring a snack to eat!

