



NICHOLSON ELEMENTARY NEWS

"Home of the Nicholson Nighthawks"

December 4, 2024

Rocky Mountain School District 6

Principal's Perspective

December is upon us and the students are enjoying the snow. We continue to spend portions of our days outside during recess, lunch, physical education, morning walk and outdoor learning, please check that your child is dressed for the weather as they leave in the morning.

The first formal report card will be coming home with your child on Monday, December 16th. Please sign and return the comment sheet and the envelope to the school as soon as possible. The documents inside are yours to keep. If you have any questions about this progress report, please check the 'interview requested' box found in the parent comment section and your child's teacher will contact you to set up an interview.

We are in the last three week build up to one of the most exciting times of the year. We endeavor to do our best to keep a calm learning environment with purposeful learning activities, as these three weeks of learning are just as important as the rest of the school year. By maintaining a structured learning environment, we are helping all students to regulate themselves, especially those who can become overwhelmed by the anticipation of the holidays.

Please come and join us for the Winter Festival on Thursday, December 19th from 1:00-3:00. The classrooms will be participating in a variety of performances from singing to playing instruments and acting.

I hope you and your loved ones enjoy the holiday season and this precious time to be all together. All the staff at Nicholson Elementary wish you a joyful holiday season.

Ms. Margo Reinders

Nicholson Elementary is a welcoming, happy place to be.

We are a community of life-long learners who connect, synergize, and positively influence each other and the world around us.

We strive for success today and prepare for success tomorrow.

**Next PAC meeting
December 5, 2024
3:30pm in the Library
All parents welcome**

**Hot Lunch:
December 16
Beef Lasagna**





REPORT CARDS

Report Cards will come out on Monday, Dec. 16, 2024

***Please* remember :**
to return the Comment sheets and the Envelope
before the Christmas holidays.

If you have any questions about your child's report card, please check the "interview requested" box.

Thank your Parent Advisory Committee

Have you ever wondered where the fundraising money go??
Here are 2 recent wonderful examples:

- ⇒ ***Paying for Skating Lessons for our students***
- ⇒ ***Purchasing books for each classroom this year from the book fair***

So thank YOU all for supporting PAC fundraising efforts and be sure to thank your PAC members for organizing such great fundraisers.

Winter Festival

December 19, 2024

1:00pm—3:00pm

Students will be on stage entertaining us with songs and short skits.
Everyone is welcome to attend and cheer on the
sweetest group of kids you ever did see!
Parking is limited and gets full quickly, so car-pooling is encouraged!



Water Bottles

Please ensure that your child brings their own water bottle to school everyday.

We have fancy fountains to fill them up with.

Early Pickups for Appointments or Sports

PLEASE READ

When picking up your child before the end of the instructional day (Mon-Thurs at 3:17 and Friday at 12:03), please come to the front doors to collect your child. You can choose to drive up to the staff parking lot or walk up the stairs.

During instructional time, students are not permitted to meet you at the bottom parking lot. They are only allowed to do this when there is a staff member present.

If you have a standing pick up for things like early sport lessons, please send a note/email so Mrs. Gelette knows to collect your child and she will try and have them ready before you show up.



Students should come to school well dressed for the weather.

Please ensure your child has a winter coat, snow pants, hat, boots and mittens, as they are outside in the morning before school, at recess and at lunch.

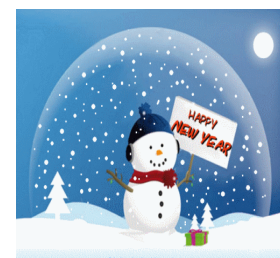
Please label boots, hats and mittens.

Our small town doesn't always have a variety of winter gear, this makes two left feet of the same boot coming home a real possibility.



School Holidays are from December 23rd to January 3rd.

School reopens on Monday, January 6th.



We hope you have an enjoyable holiday season with your family.

DECEMBER 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Skating 2/3 and 3/4/5 Classes	3	4	5 Skating K/1 and 6/7 Classes PAC meeting 3:30am	6	7
8	9 Skating 2/3 and 3/4/5 Classes	10	11	12 Skating K/1 and 6/7 Classes	13	14
15	16 Report Cards Sent Home Hot Lunch Lasagna	17	18	19 Winter Festival 1-3pm	20 Report cards signed and due back	21
22	23	24	25 	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
<p>Christmas Break from December 23 to January 3th. School re-opens on Monday, January 6th.</p>						
5	6 Return to school	7	8	9	10	11

JANUARY 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Return to school	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 Gr 4/5 Skiing / snowboard lessons KHMR	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 New Kindergarten Registration opens	21	22	23	24	25
26	27 Gr 4/5 Skiing / snowboard lessons KHMR	28	29	30	31	

