



Rosedell Tuesday Telegram

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Principal's Message: The staff of Rosedell would like to wish all the students and families a happy, safe and relaxing Winter Holiday. Enjoy your special holiday traditions with friends and families! We look forward to seeing everyone return ready for a great second half of the school year on Monday, January 13, 2014. Happy New Year from all the staff at Rosedell!

Adopt-a-Family: A HUGE thank you to all who participated in the Adopt-a-Family program. We delivered over 120 gifts to families in need. Our school made this Christmas a little easier for eight families in our Santa Clarita Valley. A BIG thank you to Rocky Whatule and Jim Habeger for delivering all the gifts.

Rosedell's "Snowball Effect" on Santa Clarita! The entire staff is **SO PROUD** of our Rosedell students for the massive success in collecting canned food for a food drive to help Santa Clarita's needy families. Students brought in over 1,500 cans of food and threw over 6,000 paper "snowballs" at friends, teachers, principals and staff! We had fun "returning snowballs" by bringing in even MORE cans to get back at our friends! A special thanks to Student Council, Mr. Kubasak, and Miss LaPorte's class who organized the delivery of the snowballs, and Mr. McGroary's class who helped load our boxes into Mr. Shannon's truck, who delivered the food to the SCV Food Pantry. The Food Pantry distributes food to our neighbors in need in the SCV- half of which their clients are children. Our Rosedell students, families and staff are indeed charitable, kind and excellent citizens!

Congratulations on the Winter Holiday Performances! Congratulations on another successful round of Holiday Winter Performances the last two weeks! The students and teachers did an AMAZING job. The songs were fun, festive and energizing—just what everyone needs at this busy time of the year! From all the compliments I've heard about the multi-night performances, our Rosedell Roadrunners should be very proud of the accomplishment! The teachers would like to extend a special "Thank you!" to Jill Finch, our volunteer pianist who works with the students preparing them for the performances, Becky Mastrobuono, our Program Coordinator, who helps with practice schedules and organizing it from beginning to end, and Marian Urdank, who volunteered to help teach some of the classes. We couldn't have succeeded without you all! We look forward to our upcoming Spring Performances when the rest of the school will be performing for us!

Gift Cards: Need last minute Holiday Gifts? We've got Gift Cards in stock! - Rosedell now has a limited inventory of some popular gift cards available for immediate purchase. Starbucks, Walmart, Barnes & Noble, Regal Theatres, Subway, Toys R Us and more! Purchase Gift Cards in the Office. Cash or check, payable to Rosedell PTA.

Dates to Remember

Dec. 18 Valet Pizza Party – Lunch time
Winter Sing-a-Long – 4th-6th Grade 11:15am, K-3rd Grade 12:30pm – MPR

Dec. 19 Santa Hat Day

Dec. 20-
Jan 10 Winter Break

Jan. 14 PTA E Board Meeting – 8:15am – MPR

Jan. 20 No School – Martin Luther

Jan. 24 Crazy Sock Day
Lock down/fire drill – 8:20am