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Hey, that's News to Us!

Here are a few reminders:

- Fall Final Tests for Kdg to 5th grade started today.
- Please join us for a PTO Meeting on Friday, December 11, 2009 at 3:45pm.
- Board Visit Day is on Monday, December 14, 2009.
- The 4th & 5th grade overnight field trip to Irvine Outdoor Education Center is Tuesday & Wednesday, December 15-16, 2009.
- 5th Grade parents, please plan to join us for a 5th Grade Parent Meeting on Thursday, December 17, 2009.
- Speech & Debate Competition is on Thursday, December 17, 2009.
- Fall Trimester officially ends on Friday, December 18, 2009. Report cards will be distributed.
- Winter Break for Kdg. to 5th grade will begin Monday, December 21, 2009.
- School will resume on Tuesday, January 5, 2009.

Bill Nye, the Science Guy

Last week, Miss Nishat Alikhan went to the National Science Teacher's Association's area conference in Phoenix, Arizona, and met Bill Nye, the Science Guy, star of many children's educational science programs with over 30 years of experience. She gained much insight into the latest educational innovations in the teaching of Science.



Fifth Grade Parent Meeting

Every December, the administration and the faculty meet with fifth grade parents to discuss the future and their options after New Horizon School - Los Angeles. This year, that meeting with the fifth grade parents will be on Thursday, December 17, 2009 at 3:30pm. Please be on-time, this will be a short meeting.



Winter Break

Winter Break is fast approaching and if you are headed out of town, it is a nice time for a break. For everyone who has to work this winter, school will only be in session for Preschool and Pre-K as usual, however, a special Winter Program has been put together for Kindergarten - 5th grade students who would like to stay in school. The program runs for the two weeks school is closed & the cost is \$15.00 per day. If you would like to attend, please sign up in the office by **Friday, December 11th, 2009** to enable us to plan.



Service Hours

The first trimester is officially ending soon and the parent service hour commitment for this trimester is due. Please check the log book located in the office to see how many service hours you have completed. Also make sure all hours served have been recorded by checking the log book in the office.

All parents are required to volunteer 30 or 35 service hours for the school year. Those who receive Aasra or School Financial Aid are required to volunteer for 10 extra hours.

Please see the office for specific ways of completing these service hours if you haven't already.

Debate Competition

Everyone is invited to attend New Horizon School - Los Angeles' Annual Speech & Debate Competition next Thursday, December 17, 2009. Each class will present a topic and debate its positive and negative aspects based on research conducted in their classes. Come support your young debaters in their quest.



Dismissal

Please pick up your children on time at 3:30pm. Remember, when you come, please pick them up immediately, to make sure they are able to get home and finish their homework.