

Greeting, Big Woods families –

**I attached the January-February parent newsletter.** It includes information about

- Activities and events from January through mid-March
- Character Counts and growth mindset
- Cold weather guidelines
- Free dental care and eye exams
- School events – Destination Imagination, the PTO garage sale, I Love to Read Month, kindergarten registration, and more
- Student placement process

In addition, there are lots of fun pictures including December and January Students of the Month.

Thank you for your positive responses to our new **Visitor Registration System (VRS)**. Please remember to bring a government issued ID for lunch and when you pick your child up early from school. If the VRS continues to go well, we will use it for all volunteers soon. Please spread the word and remind parents and guests to bring their drivers licenses when they visit Big Woods.

**We appreciate your cooperation with the 7:20 AM drop-off time.** Remember that we open our doors at 7:20 when our supervisors arrive.

We look forward to seeing Big Woods families at **PTO Family Bingo** tomorrow (January 11<sup>th</sup> @ 6 PM), at **Books & Breakfast** (January 24<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-7:15 AM), and at **conferences** on January 31<sup>st</sup> and February 4<sup>th</sup> (scheduled times).

Respectfully, Lee Brown