



Pine Hill Elementary
Wishes you and yours
happy holidays
and a joyous new year!

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This month at Pine Hill School will be filled with lots of good cheer, exciting events, and the chance for all of us to remember the truly important things in life.

This is such a busy time of year, not only here at school but also in our wider community of family and friends. Holiday preparations and plans are kicking into full gear; and we have lots to remember and keep track of.

There are a couple of events that are special to us, and we hope you can join us:

- The PTO Winter Festival will be Thursday, December 17th, at South Bay School from 6:00 - 6:45 p.m.
- Our Winter Music Concert begins 15 minutes after the Festival! This is an opportunity for Mr. Jain's music classes to perform in public – and it's always a memorable performance.
- Our Winter Assembly here at Pine Hill will be on Friday, the 18th, beginning at 8:45 a.m. This is a biggie: our preschool children and all of our classes will be performing. We will be sending out a detailed program with approximate performance times next week so those of you who want to arrange time off from work can be with us when your child(ren) perform.

If you want to help with classroom celebrations, please work with your classroom teacher(s) and keep our Wellness Policy in mind. For great ideas for nutritious foods and treats, our website has suggested recipes that our children seem to like.

Winter Break Friday afternoon, December 18th, and we return to school on Monday morning, January 4th. It's hard to believe that we are looking at 2010 so soon!

And remember: be gentle with yourselves. We can't be everything to everyone, we can't do everything for everyone...but we can be ourselves and care about each other. Take time to care. And have a great holiday season.

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