



# MUSTANG MESSAGES

## ST CLOUD MIDDLE SCHOOL

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### December Events



- December 1st-16th - Food Drive for local food bank
- December 5th - Progress Reports are distributed to students
- December 5th-9th - Dance tickets on sale on the patio and in the gym. Cost is \$5.00.
- December 5th-9th - Santa Grams on sale on the patio and in the gym. Cost is 10 mustang dollars.
- December 8th - SCMS Band Winter Concert at the SCHS Auditorium starting at 7:00pm. Student call time is 6:30pm
- December 8th-13th - Book Fair in the Media Center
- December 9th - SCMS Spelling Bee in the Media Center from 9:30am to 10:15am
- December 9th - AVID Dance in the café from 6:00pm to 9:00pm
- December 12th - Tickets go on sale for SCMS Drama Club's "A Christmas Carol." Cost is \$5.00.
- December 12th-16th - Spirit Week
- December 13th - SAC Meeting in the Media Center from 6:00pm to 7:00pm
- December 15th - SCMS Chorus Winter Concert in the café starting at 6:30pm. Student call time is 5:30pm.
- December 16th - SCMS Drama Club presents "A Christmas Carol" at SCHS Auditorium starting at 7:00pm
- December 19th-January 2nd - Winter Break, Teacher/Student Holiday



### SCMS Drama Presents: "A Christmas Carol"

SCHS Auditorium

Friday, December 16th at 7:00pm

Tickets are \$5.00

Beginning at 7:00pm there will be a Winter Showcase with talent from the Drama and Music departments followed by the production of *A Christmas Carol*

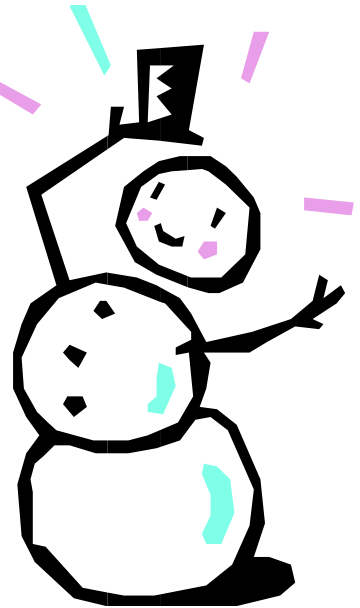


### BOOK FAIR

December 8th-13th

Each student will have a chance to visit the book fair during their Reading class. On December 8th, the book fair will be open after school until 7:00pm for parents that wish to visit it and make purchases.

Purchases can also be made online until December 9th, by going to <http://onlinebookfairs.scholastic.com>



Yearbooks are still on sale! The price will go up to \$30 after the Winter Break SO BUY YOURS SOON!!!



### SCMS Band Winter Concert

Thursday, December 8th at 7:00pm

SCHS Auditorium

(Call time for students is 6:30pm)

\*Dress for Beginning Band students is Black Pants, Black Shoes, White School Polo Shirt

\*Dress for Concert and Symphonic Band students is Black Pants, Black Shoes, Band Polo Shirt



### SCMS Chorus Winter Concert

Thursday, December 15th at 6:30pm

SCMS Cafeteria

(Call time for students is 5:30pm)

\*Dress for all students is Black Pants, Black Shoes, and a White, Red, or Green shirt



### Food Drive

Students can bring in canned food items to their 1st period teachers until December 16th.

SCMS goal is 3500 cans

If students and faculty are able to reach this goal, students will have a free dress down day in January.



# CONGRATULATIONS



## SCMS Band & Chorus

**Kaley Hyatt, 8th grade Flute**

*Selected to participate in the All-State Middle School Honors Band.*

**Kelly Christlieb, 8th grade Soprano**

*Selected to participate in the All-State Treble Chorus.*

**Kristyn Cusimano, 8th grade Clarinet**

**Anthony Greco, 8th grade Tenor Sax**

**Eleanor Studly, 7th grade Oboe**

*Selected to participate in the Osceola All-County Middle School Concert Band.*

## SCMS Hoop Shoot Winners

*The following students won their age bracket for the Hoop Shoot-Out at SCMS and moved on to the final round at Neptune Middle school on December 1st.*

### Boys

Age 10-11 **Stenson Hogan**

Age 12-13 **Miguel Chavez**

### Girls

Age 10-11 *No entries*

Age 12-13 **Tori Robinson**

## Elks Lodge National Hoop Shoot Free-Throw Contest

**Stenson Hogan**

*1st Place Boys Age 10-11  
(made 23 out of 25 free-throws)*

**Miguel Chavez**

*1st Place Boys Age 12-13*

**Tori Robinson**

*2nd Place Girls Age 12-13*



## Sports Corner



Basketball tryouts are right around the corner! Are you interested in trying out? If so, please make sure you have returned a signed Athletic Participation form and Medical Release form to Coach Fontaine, Coach Smith, Coach Williams, or Ms. Cobb. Students MUST have turned in a form in order to participate in tryouts! If you have already turned one in for another sport, you will not need to fill out another form. Student athletes are pushed to make good grades in the classroom. If your student wants to participate in school sports, they must maintain a GPA of 2.0 or higher.

### Boys Basketball Tryouts 2:45-4:30:

12/5, 12/8, 12/13, 12/15

### Girls Basketball Tryouts 2:45-4:30:

12/2, 12/6, 12/9, 12/12



## SPIRIT WEEK

December 12th-16th

All outfits must be school appropriate and adhere to the old dress code. Students can not wear hats, sunglasses, flip flops/sandals, or color their hair for any of the days. If they are concerned about their outfit they need to ask before wearing. If they are not dressed in theme for that day they must be in uniform.

Monday 12th- Twin Day

Tuesday 13th- Favorite Sport Shirt Day

Wednesday 14th- 80's Day

Thursday 15th- Tacky Tourist Day

Friday 16th: Maroon and Gold Day



## “TIPS”

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Have your child teach you their homework.

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## 8th Grade Recognitions

Its that time of year again! The 8th Grade Recognitions section is now available for purchase in the yearbook! All parents that are interested in purchasing a section in the yearbook can pick up a form from the front office or have their student pick one up from Mrs. Gill in Pod 1. This form will also be available for print from our school website. Please remember to read through the directions for completing this form. It is very important that the guidelines are followed. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Gill at (407) 891-3200 or gilla@osceola.k12.fl.us