

# PRAIRIE VIEW ML

## monthly newsletter

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### SO MUCH GRATITUDE, SUCH HARD WORKERS

Thankful, grateful, sympathy and empathy are just some of the vocabulary words we started working with in November.

The students started a gratitude book and they have so much they are thankful for. With these books, they are practicing making connections, writing with a main idea and supporting details, and producing a text that goes together. We will continue this project into December and possibly January.

I have so many fun projects planned for December and I can't wait for the students to be able to share them with you. December will be filled with fact findings, more writing, and more speaking practice.

Love,  
Ms. Yang

### IMPORTANT DATES

Dec 6	Blanket Making & Pizza Night
Dec 7	1st & 3rd Grade Music Programs
Dec 13	Early Release
Dec 20	ESL Holiday Party
Dec 25-Jan 1	Winter Break
Jan 2-9	ACCESS Testing
Jan 15	No School
Jan 22	No School
Feb 9th	Ice Skating Field Trip
Feb 14	Early Release
Feb 19	No School
Mar 13	Early Release
Mar 25-29	Spring Break

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## ESL HOLIDAY PARTY

The ESL Holiday party for your child(ren) will be Wednesday, Dec. 20th. We will celebrate as a whole group.

We invite all ESL families to join us for

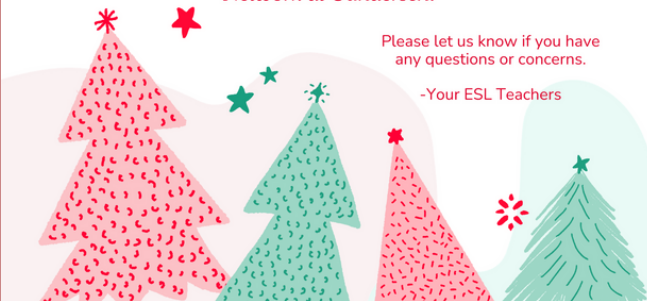
# BLANKET MAKING AND PIZZA NIGHT

Wednesday, December 6th  
5:30 - 7:30 PM  
Holmen High School

*Each family can make a tie blanket together and enjoy pizza for dinner. All blankets will be donated to local area nursing homes, assisted living homes, and the Children's Miracle Network at Gundersen.*

Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

-Your ESL Teachers



## MUSIC PROGRAMS



### Warm Winter Wishes

A FIRST GRADE MUSIC PROGRAM  
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2023  
6:00 PM ~ PRAIRIE VIEW GYM

### SNOW WAY OUT!

A THIRD GRADE MUSIC PROGRAM  
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2023  
7:00 PM ~ PRAIRIE VIEW GYM



FEEL FREE TO POST PICTURES  
OF YOUR STUDENTS ON OUR  
FACEBOOK PAGE.

## HOLIDAY EVENTS

The La Crosse area has many Holiday events that you and your family can attend at either low cost or for free.

[Click here](#) for a list of Holiday events in the La Crosse area.





## ACCESS TESTING

ACCESS testing will start right after winter break in January. More information about ACCESS testing and testing dates and times for your child(ren) will be sent home before break.

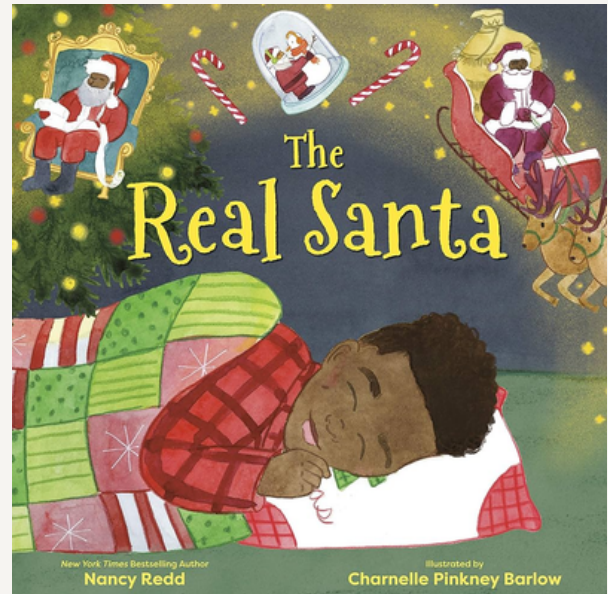
## SECRET SANTA

The students had so much fun doing Secret Santa last year and we are doing it again this year. Please watch out for a note from them about this. They are super excited!



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## FEATURED BOOK



[Click here](#) to listen to this story read aloud on Youtube.

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS  
FROM US BOTH!**



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*“Kindness is like snow. It beautifies everything it covers.”*

- Kahlil Gibran