Monday Mail

December 2, 2012

THIS WEEK AT WESTFIELD

- Monday, Dec 3rd Parent & Cast Meeting for Beauty and the Beast Musical 2:45-3:45 pm
- <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>Dec 4th</u>- Orchestra @ 8:10-9:10 am and 2:20-3:20 pm
- Tuesday, Dec 4th Chess Club @ 3:30 pm with Mr. Pratt & Mr. Wise
- Wednesday, Dec 5th- PTA General Membership Meeting 10 am in Rad Kids Room
- Thursday, Dec 6th Knowledge Bowl Practice @ 3:30 pm with Mr.
 Greene
- Friday, Dec 7th 2nd Grade Dad's and Donuts at 8:45 am in the Gym
- <u>Friday</u>, <u>Dec</u> 7th- Spirit Friday! Mrs Bracey's class won Spirit Friday with 88% of her class wearing blue or Westfield shirts. Remember to wear your Blue or Westfield Shirt.
- On November 13th our Advanced Learning Lab classes participated in the 28th annual American Mathematics Competitions 8 (AMC 8). Last year the AMC 8 contest involved over 150,000 students worldwide. They participated as part a BYU study on math achievement. We are thrilled that Westfield was chosen to be a part of the study!
- Parents I want to make a suggestion for a wonderful Christmas gift for your children especially your sixth graders. How about giving them a UKULELE? The students at our school look forward to 6th grade where they learn how to play them in our Music Specialty classes. The 6th graders are already becoming quite proficient. The PTA helped purchase many of the ukuleles that we are currently using. They were purchased at amazon.com and are the Hilo 2652 Mahogany Soprano ukes. They cost \$40.04 each. Another great deal on amazon.com is the Mahalo U-320C Deluxe Concert Ukulele with a Gig Bag. It costs \$38.45. The Hilo brand does not include a bag. Both ukuleles have a beautiful tone and are a good quality. Please note that I purchase soprano ukuleles, but tune them as baritones so that they match with a guitar. If you have any questions, please contact Susan Curtis in the KIVA at 801-610-8720 extension 138. I hope you have a musical Christmas!

*Check out the attached Girls basketball Flier & Westfield's Stakeholder's Report.

^{*}Check out the PTA Blog at http://westfieldelementary.wordpress.com/