

# SHORT STUFF



## Principal's Message

A word from Mrs. Bryant

This will be the final Short Stuff of the 2022 school year! As we head into our Christmas break next week, please accept my best wishes for a restful, peaceful, blessed Christmas. We are so happy that you are part of our RAS family!

Deck the halls with boughs of...

~Holley

## After School Care Schedule

**Friday, December 16:** NO After Care. Please arrange to have your child picked up by 12:15 for Christmas Break.

## Christmas Program

**5th-8th grade music ensembles:**

**Date/Time:** Thursday, December 15 at 6 p.m.

Students arrive at 5:30 p.m.

**Location:** Walla Walla Valley Academy Auditorium

**Dress Code for performers:** All black

## Boots

Grades 5-6 are collecting boots for the Christian Aid Center. Please bring warm winter boots for women (preferred sizes 6-11). Accepting new or lightly worn as well as monetary donations. Collection ends Friday, December 16.

## Ski Days

A week from today, Friday the 16th, is the last day to get the early bird pricing for our Rogers Ski Bluewood Program.

**The Ski Bluewood dates are all Fridays - January 20, January 27, February 3 and February 10.**

In order to be fully registered you must do TWO things, both available at [rschool.org/student-life/ski-days](https://rschool.org/student-life/ski-days) or these links.

**1. Pay Rogers**

**2. Register with Bluewood**

**Early Bird Pricing:** *(Paid by December 16, the last day of school before Christmas Break)*

- Full Package (Lift/Lesson/Rental): \$220
- Lesson and Lift only: \$180
- Lesson and Rental only: \$180
- Lesson only: \$125

Bus: \$60 for four round-trip rides

These ski days are optional. Students who don't participate will have fun enrichment days here at RAS. Think SNOW!

## Family Groups

Today's Family Groups activity was a great team building experience! Leah G. was the captain in charge. Mrs. Wessman's class led music. Brayden M. had scripture and Adeline C. gave a beautiful prayer.

After the opening ceremonies, students went to their coaches' rooms to participate in a paper-chain making contest! As you can see from the photos on the side, they did an amazing job! Congratulations to Owen C's group for winning first place!

## Happy Birthdays

Ethan N.	December 10	Owen E.	December 18
Paxton L.	December 12	Bjorn O.	December 19
Scarlett L.	December 12	Wiser G.	December 21
Cinder I.	December 12	Grace S.	December 21
Emma C.	December 15	Jayden L.	December 22
Nate R.	December 15	Evan O.	December 24
Balu F.	December 16	Roslyn L.	December 25
Stella L.	December 17	Cody L.	December 27
Bristol B.	December 17	Bridgette M.	December 31
Wyatt P.	December 17		

## Half Birthdays

Aeden S.	June 9	Brayden M.	June 20
Riley G.	June 12	Caleb B.	June 21
Remi V.	June 13	Keira O.	June 23
Colton W.	June 14	Quinn C.	June 23
Abigail T.	June 14	Colin C.	June 24
Adison S.	June 16	Mason C.	June 24
Adylin G.	June 16	Electra B.	June 24
Tessa S.	June 16	Brody R.	June 24
Jayden P.	June 17	Curtis C.	June 25
		Finn F.	June 25



December 9, 2022  
**Coming up**

**December 12-15:** Browning's Class to swimming lessons at the YMCA

**December 12:** 3rd-4th grade skating at Youth Center

**December 12:** 5-6 Boys Basketball game at home, 4 p.m.

**December 12:** 7-8 Boys Basketball game at Liberty Richland

**December 13:** 5-6 Boys Basketball at Garrison

**December 14:** 5-6 Boys Basketball at DeSales

**December 15:** 5th-8th Ensembles Christmas Program, 6 p.m.

**December 19-January 2:** Christmas Vacation, school resumes January 3.

***This week  
in photos***



**Christmas and Hanukkah crafts in 1st/2nd grade**

