



# Third Grade Nest News

## January 2019

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### ELA Standards

**RI.3.9** Compare and contrast the most important points and key details presented in two texts on the same topics.

**RI.3.3** Describe the relationship between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, and the steps in technical procedures in a text using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause and effect

### Math Standards

**3.NF.A.1** Understand a fraction as  $1/b$  as the quantity formed by 1 part when a whole is partitioned into equal parts. We will relate this to area.

### Science Standards

**3-ESS2-1.** Represent data in tables and graphical displays to describe typical weather conditions expected during a particular season.

### Writing

**W.3.1** Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons.

### **Dates to Remember:**

- Tuesday, January 1 – No School
- Tuesday, January 8 – PTA Meeting
- Wednesday, January 9 – Colgate Dental Van Visit
- Friday, January 18 – 2nd cup of Coffee/P.B.O.M
- Monday, January 21 – No School
- Friday, January 25 – End of Quarter 2, Early Release Day
- Monday, January 28 – No School



### Counselor's Corner

Hello Glen Haven Parents and Guardians,

**Coat Drive:** Please continue to donate any new or gently used winter coats for children and adults. (Please wash before donating). Many coats have already been donated and given to Glen Haven students- THANK YOU! A box for the coats is in the school lobby and will be there until Monday, January 28, 2019.

**Clothing to Cash:** Please continue to donate to the white **Clothing to Cash** collection bin located near the side parking lot. This bin is used to collect unused and used (in all conditions) clothes, shoes, sneakers, sheets, towels, and textiles. Just place your used/unwanted items in a plastic bag (tied) in the bin, and for every pound collected, Glen Haven Elementary will receive money. Please do not dump other items in or near the bin.

### **Monthly Parent Connection:**

**Don't try to fix everything.** Give kids a chance to find their own solutions. When you lovingly acknowledge a child's minor frustrations without immediately rushing in to save your child, you teach self-reliance and resilience. ("Parents": *50 Easy Ways to be a Fantastic Parent*)

### **Upcoming Events:**

- Thursday, January 24, 2019 from 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.- Sligo Middle School will host a meeting for incoming 6th grade parents. Parents will receive information from Content Specialists, Team Leaders and Administration, hear about Outdoor Education, have a tour of the school as well as participate in a 'question and answer' session with current Sligo students.
- Friday, April 12, 2019- Career/STEAM Day- If you are interested in being a Career Day speaker and/or assisting with Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math hands-on activities please contact Rebecca Willis at [Rebecca.H.Willis@mcpsmd.net](mailto:Rebecca.H.Willis@mcpsmd.net).

Have a happy and healthy New Year.

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