



from the Principal's desk....

The W.H. Ballard student council will once again be collecting canned goods and non-perishable items to donate to a local community agency before the beginning of the holiday season. These donations are critical for many families throughout the City of Hamilton. Thank you in advance for your generosity. We will start receiving donations on Monday December 12th and the food will be picked up during the week of December 19th.

Some suggestions:

Canned food
Soup
Cereal
Granola bars
Pasta and sauce
Rice
Powdered milk
Juice/juice boxes
Tea and Coffee
Toiletries: shampoo, soap, toothbrushes
Diapers

Our Walk In Closet will be open for families that need extra clothing over the holidays. Please connect with Ms. Noble for more information.

Thank you,

Mrs. J. Robertson-Heath (P)
Ms. S. Imbrogno (VP)

Holiday Sharing Assemblies and Evening Sing-a-long Event

We will be having 2 holiday sharing assemblies this year. Each assembly will be about 1 hour to make the assemblies more manageable for staff and students.

The assemblies are on Wednesday December 21st and Thursday December 22nd from 9:15-10:15. A schedule of performances will be sent home next week once formalized.

This year we are having a "Family Sing-A-Long" on December 14th from 7-8 p.m. in the auditorium. Mrs. Kortmann invites everyone to wear their jammies and come to sing along with our Glee Club!

Please bring a non-perishable donation if you can!

Our Kindergarten classes will be having their holiday concert on Friday December 23rd at 1:30 p.m.



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W.H Ballard's Giving Tree

Beginning December 1st we will be accepting gifts of mittens, hats, scarves and new, unwrapped toys or books to share with families in need from our area! Our Giving Tree will be located outside the main office until December 22nd. We thank you for your generosity and kindness.



READING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are in need of parents and other community members with valid vulnerable sector Screenings, that would be available to read with primary students.

Training will be provided in January 2017.

Please contact
Mrs. Robertson-Heath