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Welcome to Our Family

Dear Parents,

Cheney Elementary will be recognized this month for having an outstanding library/reading program! On December 6, Susan Peter from KAKE news will visit our school, read to the student body, and then present CES with a check for \$500! This money is made available by EMC Insurance. They recognize a school each month for motivating students to be good readers. We were chosen thanks to nominations from some of our parents. KAKE cameras will be here shooting footage for a commercial that will run throughout the month of December. Look for us on channel 10 throughout the next month!

CES Staff is (or will be soon...) in the Christmas spirit! You'll probably notice staff members dressing with a daily theme throughout the month of December. They have a lot of fun with this! Whether it is colors of clothing, hats, or accessories, our staff is very creative in showing their spirit!

The annual retirement luncheon will be hosted by CES this year. Each year we invite retired employees and board members from USD 268 to come to one of the buildings for lunch and to catch up on what's happening in the schools. Our 2nd graders will perform a few songs that Mrs. Meyer has been working on with them. It's always a treat to hear some of the stories from our former employees!

High School basketball games will start in December at CHS. If you attend with your children, please monitor them during the games. One of the biggest concerns our school has is kids playing behind the top bleachers in the gym. This is not allowed and the administration will tell kids to go sit with their parents if they are playing back there. We have also had problems with kids playing around in the commons area. Let's encourage our kids to enjoy the games in the bleachers and help cheer on the Cardinals!

Upcoming Events

December 4 "Come Home for Christmas Celebration" in downtown Cheney
December 6 KAKE News/Susan Peter at CES for reading assembly

December 6 5th grade band concert at CHS Auditorium
December 8 Retirement Luncheon hosted by CES
December 9 3rd Grade Concert
December 21 CES Christmas Concert (1:00) and Parties (2:30)
December 22 Teacher In-Service Day – No school for students

December 23 – January 3 No School – School resumes on January 4.

CES hopes you have a wonderful holiday season! Take some time to enjoy your kids and show them how much you care for them!

Mr. Rumford