

# HOPEWELL HAPPENINGS

DECEMBER 3, 2021

Dear Hopewell Families,

Happy December! I hope everyone had a great break! 'Tis the season to be chilly—Please be sure that your children come to school dressed warm for recess. Students will be going outside as often as possible. Speaking of the weather, December is a time that many students may feel "under the weather". Please make sure to complete the daily student health screener (see link below) so we can keep everyone safe and in school.

December is filled with opportunities for students to learn about different holiday traditions and celebrations. Ask your kiddos about the wonderful winter happenings in their classrooms. Check out our December Hopewell Happenings and PTA sponsored events below.

Have a wonderful weekend!  
Lynn Chromiak, Principal



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# DECEMBER

12/3- wear **blue**

12/10-wear **red** and **green**

12/12-Holiday movie at the  
Emmaus Theater

See PTA Info.

12/17-"ugly" sweater day

12/20-12/22-Penguin Patch:

Holiday shopping for students

12/22-"PJ/stuffy day": half  
day for students

AM Kindergarten reports

12/23-Jan 2-Winter Break

# HOPEWELL HAPPENINGS



The staff and students of Hopewell Elementary invite you to support the Sassy Massey Toy Drive in memory of Jillian Massey. Jillian wanted to spread “miles of smiles” to kids who are spending their holidays in the hospital. Please help us in supporting her wish to brighten up their holiday by bringing an **UNWRAPPED** toy into school by **DECEMBER 16<sup>th</sup>** and place it under the tree outside Room 26. You may also go to [www.sassymassey.org](http://www.sassymassey.org) to donate on-line through Amazon. The toys will be delivered to children at local hospitals throughout the Philadelphia and Lehigh Valley areas. Thank you for your help in delivering miles of smiles!



*No plush / stuffed animals or any toys with cloth. Thank you!*

*Any questions please email Mrs. Katzbeck at [katzbeckk@slsd.org](mailto:katzbeckk@slsd.org).*



Wear your cozy PJ's!

Concession stand open

HOPEWELL ELEMENTARY PTA PRESENTS

# THE POLAR EXPRESS

A holiday season event at  
Emmaus Theatre

DECEMBER 12TH @ 3:30 PM  
MOVIE WILL BE FOLLOWED BY A  
SPECIAL VISIT FROM SANTA  
\$5 TICKETS

Seating will be limited  
Please sign up as early as you can

**Reserve your tickets**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040545aea72da2fd0-holiday>

To secure your seat, payment must be received within 48 hours of  
signing up on sign up genius

CASH, CHECK payable to Hopewell PTA, VENMO

**Tuesday & Wednesday  
December 21st & 22nd during school**

# *Penguin Patch Shoppe*

**Create a memorable experience for your student, the joy of giving!**

**Children choose gifts for their family, friends & furry friends too.**

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### **How it works:**

1. Use the attached envelope to help your student plan & budget for their gifts. Please be sure to include the names of the gift recipients (important for wrapping!).
2. Send the completed envelope and cash to school with your student on December 21st or 22nd (class date to be confirmed).

**Cash only, checks will not be accepted.**

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**ALL GIFTS  
\$.25 - \$8 EA.**



**Gifts wrapped & labeled to take home**

**Helpers to help manage money & decision making**

Sponsored by the Hopewell PTA  
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