

PRESCHOOL IN THE VALLEY

JANUARY 2012 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents:

A very happy 2012 to each of you!

I want to thank everyone for the many ways you helped us throughout December – it was a fun, busy, and successful month, and it wouldn't have happened without you! Thanks for coming to the Christmas concert and baking all those cookies! (Incidentally, the extra cookies were sent down to our Homeless Ministry in Philadelphia, and the recipients were most appreciative). A special thank you to the Homeroom Moms from the three classes for organizing the reception following the concert. Also, for all of the teachers and myself, we thank you for all of your gifts and expressions of love- we appreciate you.

On **January 19th** we welcome the Segal Puppet Theatre, who will be presenting “Tooth Buddy Tales” at 9:30 am in the Chapel. If your child does not attend school on Thursday mornings, you are welcome to bring them for the program.

There will be **NO SCHOOL** on **January 16th**, in observance of Martin Luther King Day.

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES will be taking place **January 30th and 31st** during regular school hours. There will be no classes held on those days, but childcare will be provided here on the premises while you are in your conference. Your classroom teacher will be sending home a specific schedule.

SNOW PROCEDURES: Please refer to the first page of your school directory, or the online handbook. Remember, an important change from last year is that we will open at 10am if Tredyffrin school district has a delayed opening. If this happens, and the school morning seems too short for you, remember that extended day is always open till 3pm – just be sure to sign up on the bulletin board in the hallway.

Here's to a wonderful New Year!

Sincerely,

Karen Erickson, Director