

NOTICIAS DE LA SEMANA:

Winter Concert, Wed., Dec. 15th, 7-8pm: The first annual HoLa Winter Concert is next week, and all students will be performing with their classes! Please see the attached flyer for details about what students should wear/bring, and when to arrive.

Coat Drive – Last Chance! Don't forget to bring in your gently used and clean coats to benefit the HoLa coat drive and Jersey Cares. The last day of the coat drive is Wednesday, Dec. 15th. Students are working hard to meet their goal of 80 coats!

School Portraits: Sibling pictures, Re-takes and Make-up pictures will be taken on Mon., Dec. 13th. Siblings within the school can be photographed together or children not enrolled in HoLa may be photographed together with their HoLa sibling(s). If interested, please arrive promptly at 9am to the HoLa lunchroom. Kids At Heart Photography will also be photographing any children who need their pictures re-taken or who were absent on school portrait day in October.

igive.com: The PTO would like to remind everyone of the holiday online shopping contest taking place via igive.com. So far, 43 supporters have raised \$350 to help purchase indoor games and gym equipment for HoLa students. See enclosed flyer on how to participate, and direct your shopping proceeds towards a great cause!

International Night: SAVE THE DATE: Saturday, January 15th, 2011 from 6 to 9 pm at the Elks Club. A wintry eve for parents to share their favorite foods, meet the HoLa community and enjoy a little jazz, as everybody brings a family-size dish that reflects their cultural heritage. Babysitting available on premises for a reduced fee. We would like to thank an anonymous HoLa family for underwriting the club's fee.

Enrichment: The last "official" day of enrichment is Mon. Dec. 13th, but makeups have been scheduled through 12/16 as follows: Chess 12/14; Aviation 12/14 and 12/15; Guitar 12/15; and Mad Science 12/16. An updated enrichment schedule is attached. Please note that Book Club has been added! Forms are due Mon. Dec. 13th, and parents will be informed about which classes students got into on Mon. Dec. 20th.

Visits to Senior Center: Each HoLa class will be visiting a local senior center between Dec. 20th and 22nd to sing songs and visit with residents.

Absent notification: If your child is absent, please call the school at the main number to inform us: 201-427-1548.

Thanks to Carmelo Garcia for coordinating our visits to the Senior Centers, as well as for donating much needed ceiling tiles and classroom rugs!

Thank you to Slow Foods for providing a grant to develop our fledgling garden — we are very excited to start preparing for spring planting!

EN ESTE SOBRE:

- igive.com contest flyer
- Updated enrichment schedule / form
- Winter concert flyer
- Hoboken Public Library flyer

FECHAS:

- Mon. Dec. 13th — Enrichment forms due
- Mon. Dec. 13th — Picture re-take and sibling photo day
- Wed. Dec. 15th — Winter concert

Coming up...

- Wed. Dec. 22nd — Report cards go home
- Thurs. Dec. 23rd — 1pm dismissal, no aftercare
- Dec. 24th –Dec. 31st — No School! (Return Mon. Jan. 3rd)