



STAFF BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK & OVER BREAK: Melanie Saddler; Dec. 19th, Peggy Jo Holly-Strickland; Dec. 19th, Ken Davis; Dec. 24th, Christy Johnson; Dec. 28th, Christal Katt; Dec 31st, John Fearnow; Jan. 2nd,

STAFF AND STUDENTS:

- 1. Thank you so much to everyone who participated in the sweatshirt and jacket drive!! Between the 7 local schools involved, over two THOUSAND items were collected and will be distributed to kids in need. Thanks again for your generosity and willingness to help those in need.
- 2. Happy Holidays! Do you still need to buy holiday presents? Bring money to buy handmade jewelry and toys from Uganda today and tomorrow in the quad at lunch! All proceeds will go to buy holiday gifts for U-Touch sponsored students in Uganda.
- 3. YEARBOOKS for underclassmen and staff members cost \$70 and can be purchased at the finance office or at the webstore online. The price goes up after winter break!
- 4. The Afghan Relief Club is collecting toiletries and first aid kits and first aid materials to help those affected by the recent earthquake in Afghanistan. This includes things like little hotel soaps and lotions, dental care items, band-aids and bandages, hand sanitizers, ice packs, and whatever else you can think of. These items will be used to make little care package gifts for those affected by the earthquake in Afghanistan. Collection boxes are in your 2nd period classes.

- 5. Friday is Ugly Christmas Sweater Day! There will be a contest at lunch sponsored by the ASB.
- 6. There is no school next week or the following week. School will resume on Monday, January 4^{th} .