



Brookside
Elementary

Tigers' Bulletin

Brookside School News

January 2020

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Dear Parents and Families of Brookside,

Welcome back! We hope you all had a wonderful holiday break and a great start to the New Year! Thank you to all who assisted with class Christmas parties and activities. The parties and activities were a huge hit and students really enjoyed themselves. Thank you for your time and generosity, it is truly appreciated.

SEP Conferences, January 9th

We are excited to share with you that our SEP conferences in January will be Student Led Conferences. Student Led Conferences provide opportunities for students to share with parents their knowledge and understanding of essential learning outcomes specific to their grade level by completing learning activities. These conferences will also help students evaluate their performance on key standards, and in turn, accept additional responsibility for their learning. We ask that all parents come with their students at a time that works best for them between 3:30 and 5:30, and 6:00 and 7:30. (Teachers will break for dinner from 5:30-6:00) Thank you!

From Our PTA

Parent/Teacher conferences are on **Thursday January 9th** and we will be providing dinner for the teachers that night. We will be doing a soup potluck and the PTA will provide bread bowls. If you sign up please bring your food to the teachers lounge by **3:30 pm on Thursday**. If you need to drop it off earlier in the day, please clearly mark that it is for the SEP dinner and put it in one of the fridges. Thanks so much for all your help! Here is the link to sign-up -- <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0449AFAC2FA1F58-winter2>

January 10th -- District Development Day

There will be no school for students on Friday, January 10th, as it is District Development Day.

Robotics

We are excited to announce our Robotics after school offering for 4th through 6th grade students will begin on Tuesday, January 21st. This 9-week program is scheduled for every Tuesday from 3:30-4:30 pm. The program will end on March 17th with a Robotics Showcase. You can register for the program and pay the \$65 fee in the front office. This is a wonderful program and we appreciate the parental support. Thank you!

Lost and Found

Reminder -- If your child has lost a jacket, coat, or any other item, we ask you to look through the items on the Lost and Found table as soon as possible. The Lost and Found table is located in the hallway near the auditorium. All items that remain in the Lost and Found after January 10th will be given to charity.

Music

Fourth, fifth, and sixth grade students will have the opportunity to play the recorder instrument in January during their music specialty class. A clean, disinfected recorder will be checked out to each student for use throughout the unit. However, if you would like to purchase a new recorder for your child to use and then take home at the end of the year, you may bring \$6.00 to the front office to buy one.

Brookside Web Page

Please visit our webpage at <http://brookside.nebo.edu> for up-to-date news and information. You can also access the page through a link at the Nebo School District’s website located at www.nebo.edu. We express our appreciation to Liz Porter, our web page specialist, and Susan Bird, our public relations coordinator, for all their work with school news and maintaining our webpage.

Calendar of Events for January

- Wednesday, January 1..... No School
- Thursday, January 2..... School Resumes
- Thursday, January 9..... SEP Conferences
- Friday, January 10..... District Development Day, No School
- Wednesday, January 15..... School Community Council Meeting, 11:45 am
- Monday, January 20..... No School, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- Tuesday, January 21..... Robotics Begins for 4th-6th Grade Students
- Tuesday, January 21..... PTA Meeting, 10:00 am, Tiger’s Den