# **Riverton Elementary Newsletter**

## December

20-31<sup>st</sup> NO SCHOOL!



These classes had the most people sign up for PTA memberships in each grade and will be awarded a popsicle party! Thank You!

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#### Nominations!

WE NEED YOU FOR OUR PTA BOARD FOR 22-21!

#### PTA President's Message

#### Hello Parents!

We are quickly approaching the New Year and with that, we have some exciting things in the works for PTA! Most importantly, it's time for us to recruit new leadership for next year! Several of our current PTA Executive Board members have served the maximum term allowed by our bylaws, and other PTA positions will need to be filled where our board members are moving on to middle school and other things!

The time commitment for PTA board volunteers can vary pretty widely. If you think you would like to help out but are unsure about the time commitment, please reach out! We would love to chat about what sorts of volunteer opportunities are available. You can call or text us at 801-930-0434 or reach us by email at <u>rivertonelempta@gmail.com</u>

We are grateful for all of the support we've had from our community this yearwe could not make any of the PTA programs and events happen without help from volunteers. Please consider giving of your time and helping us continue these great programs for our kids!

A PTA Nomination form should come home with your student this week. Please take a moment to consider nominating yourself- or someone else! The Nomination forms should be returned to the front office in an envelope labeled PTA Nominating Committee and will be reviewed by our Nominating committee prior to the PTA election which will take place in February.

Thank you again for all of your support this year!

Katie Fuller

PTA President (2021-2022)

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**PTA Utah Congress Riverton Elementary PTA** 

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#### Principal's Message

December 1, 2021

Dear Parents,

This is the season of Joy, Peace, Kindness and... walking in a winter wonderland. We anticipate snow in the coming weeks and want to remind all students to dress appropriately for the cold and wintry weather. Safety in our darker mornings is also an issue. Please remind your children to follow the rules of the road, cross at crosswalks, walk on sidewalks, walk bikes and scooters on school property and wear reflective clothing.

Several student groups are stepping up and leading out at Riverton Elementary. Our safety patrol is not only helping maintain a safe environment each morning but is also working on a "Walk Your Wheels" campaign with posters to remind our students to be safe when navigating the school property with bikes, scooters and skateboards.

Our choir students prepared a wonderful Christmas concert. We are grateful for the talented students, teachers and parents who made this event possible.

Our student council conducts weekly school-wide announcements and are beginning to introduce our assemblies to the school. They also planned and are implementing a school-wide winter clothing drive for families in need. If you are able, please support our student council in this endeavor.

Finally, there is a new word circulating among students at Riverton—KYHFOOTY! (Keep your hands, feet and other objects to yourself). Many of the issues we encounter at recesses and in other areas of the school would be non-existent if all followed KYHFOOTY. If you hear your child using this fancy word you know exactly what it means.

May you have a wonderful holiday season filled with joy, peace and kindness.

Happy Holidays!

Mr. Pullan