Legislative Update- November By Stephanie Jones

The holiday season is here and so are more meetings! Isn't that great! Well, if you can squeeze it into your schedule here are the dates: **PTA: Dec. 7th, 9:30am** @ **Ridgeline Alpine School Board: Dec 11th, 6pm** @ **district office**

Hope you have a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year!

PTA PRESIDNENTS' MESSAGE

Happy December Ridgeline! What a wonderful time of year! This month will be short and sweet at our school as we wrap up 2012. We do want to thank you for all the support we have received this year. Dozens of volunteers that make our programs possible, and tons of wonderful parents that join our PTA and help support us financially by purchasing Spirit Wear and helping our fundraisers. Thanks for making Ridgeline a wonderful place to be!!

As a new year approaches, we start planning and searching for new people to come and join our PTA leadership. We always appreciate new ideas and new friends:). So if you were ever interested in helping plan some of the programs at our school, or have a great idea for something we should try at Ridgeline, please join us on our PTA Board for next school year!! Keep an eye out for the signup sheet going out in Wednesday Folders this month, fill it out and send it back in. We'd love to have you!!

On December 17th we will be having our Kindergarten Christmas parties, and everyone else will hold theirs on December 19th, along with our famous school-wide Christmas sing!! We hope everyone can attend, it's a really fun way to kick off our Winter Break.

We also want to encourage anyone who is able to please donate to our Sub-for-Santa program. We have a beautiful tree located in the front kiva with tags that are labeled with items needed. We are sponsoring 12 families from our school community that could really use some help to make this Christmas season brighter for their families. Please join us in this effort. All items are due back to the school, unwrapped, by Friday December 14th. Thanks you so much for your kindness. Merry Christmas! Veronia Reginato, PTA President

Ridgeline Yearbook - Photo's Needed!

Parents AND Teachers please share your photos of classroom events. Please submit photos for consideration via email to rachelle.vaughn@gmail.com.

Last deadline for yearbook orders is Friday, March 15th. Cost is \$15.00. Order forms are available in the office and via the Weekly Ridgeline Email.



We will be working hard this year to bring the Christmas Spirit to some families at Ridgeline.

Look for gift tags on the tree near the office after if you are in a position to help purchase necessary items.

Thank you in advance for your contribution to making Christmas magical! This has been a huge success in the past, and we are looking forward to another great season of serving others in our community!

Please contact Teri Raines at 801-833-7081 or teri.icmentor@gmail.com with your questions and/or concerns.

Congratulations to Mrs. Payne's a.m. Kindergarten class, Mrs. McCartney's p.m. Kindergarten class and Mrs. Owens 3rd grade class for winning the PTA Membership Pizza Party!

Remember, it's never to late to join PTA! We'll run another contest later in the year, so make sure to join and support all the wonderful programs here at Ridgeline! If you have any questions please contact Julie Brinkerhoff at thebrinks2@comcast.net.

Remember to Collect BoxTops!

If everyone of Ridgeline's 935 Students collected JUST 10 Box Tops a month - that would earn \$935 for our school EVERY month!! Also remember you can earn BoxTops online by shopping through boxtops4education.com. Stores available to shop through include: Crate & Barrel, Lowes, Macy's, Nordstrom and many other popular stores.

Classroom Donut Party Winners: October – Mrs. Doxey's Class ~ November – Mrs. Beckstrand's Class