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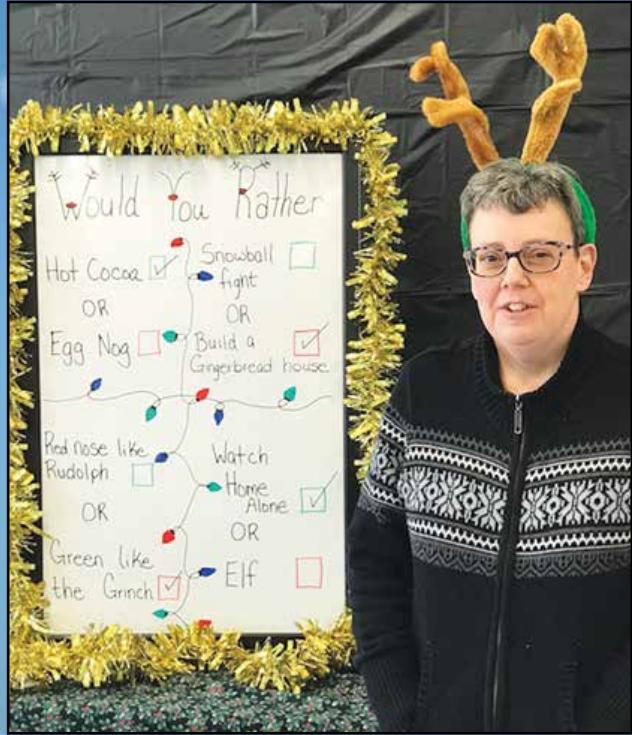
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*Christmas 'Would You Rather'
from Interlake Human Resources*

Merry Christmas from the participants and staff at Interlake.

- photos courtesy Interlake

Rejoice!
for the Saviour is born!

As we celebrate the birth of our dear Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, Watrous Baptist Church wishes Watrous and Manitou Beach a very Merry Christmas. May God's richest blessings and peace be with you and your families.

The Watrous Baptist Church also invites you to celebrate Christmas with us on December 24th at 7 p.m. for a candlelight service. Carols will be sung, and joy will be shared by all who attend.



Merry Christmas

Delivering our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Thanks for your support, friends!

C&A COURIER
Chuck and Andrea

►With Christmas approaching, people spent the evening Dec. 11 at the Watrous Civic Centre enjoying a variety of music as part of this year's Carol Fest.

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Spa la la la la la
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!
306 Day Spa • 306-419-9149

Season's Greetings
from
The Layer Esthetics Studio

THE LAYER ESTHETICS STUDIO
306.946.7056

Spread Joy All Around!

Best wishes and happy holidays to all our friends, neighbours, partners and associates this holiday season!

From the
Watrous Manitou
Marketing Group

A Message Of Thanks At The Holidays

One of the great joys of this season is the opportunity to say thank you to the many people who have made our progress possible.

Wishing you every happiness this holiday season and throughout the coming year.

GREEN ACRES
GREENHOUSE
Watrous, SK
Bob & Mel Penrose, family and staff

Merry Christmas

Here's wishing you a holiday that's filled with a generous dose of health and happiness.

We thank you for your trust in us and look forward to serving you again next year.

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WATROUS PHARMACY LTD
Julie, Lenore, Mearl, Denise, Fawne, Pam, Cindy, Billie Jean, Megan, Graham & Marla

From Our Home to Yours
go our warmest wishes for a happy holiday!

May you be blessed with good fortune this holiday season and throughout the year. Your trust means everything to us, and we thank you for the privilege of serving you.

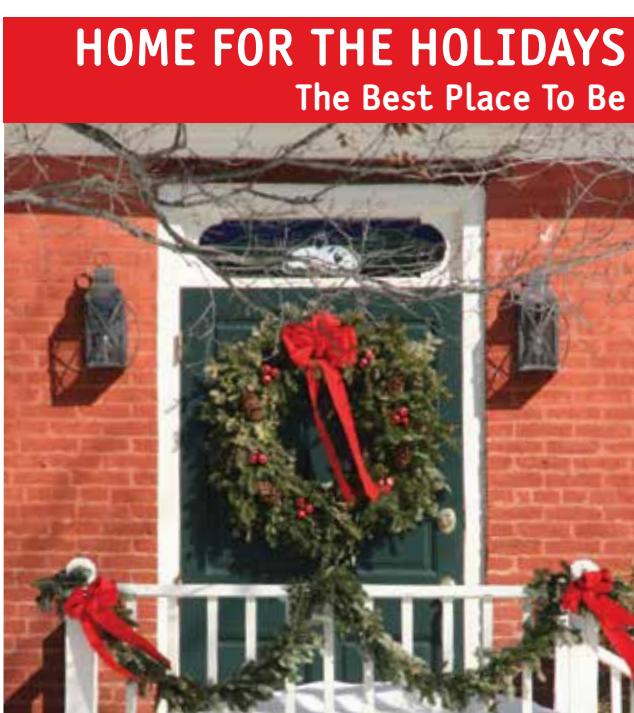
From all the staff at
**WATROUS HOME HARDWARE
BUILDING CENTRE**

WISHING YOU A Happy and Joyful Holiday Season

FROM ALL OF US AT Carlton Trail College.

HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

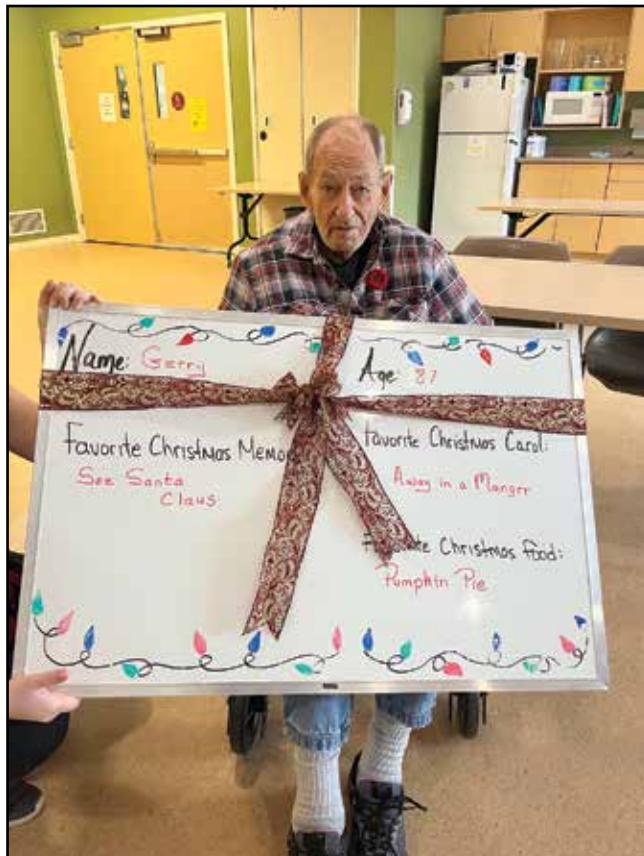
HUMBOLDT: Closed December 23 to January 2
PUNNICHY: Closed December 23 to January 2
WATROUS: Closed December 15 to January 2
WYNYARD: Closed December 23 to January 2



Happy Holidays to our friends and neighbours!

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REALTY EXECUTIVES WATROUS
where the experts are™

306-946-1010
Avril, Charlene



► As Christmas draws near, residents of Manitou Lodge graciously lent a few moments to share some Christmas memories. Thanks to Manitou Lodge for helping us out.

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**Wishing you and yours a very Merry Christmas
and best wishes this Holiday Season!**

CELEBRATING
25 Years

Thank you for your support
over the past 25 years!

From
Ron and the staff at Melron Services Ltd. in Watrous



WES Holiday Fun

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want a kitchen set
I need pants
I'll wear a pretty dress
I'll read chapter books
and I'd really love you to bring me a gymnastics bar

Love Georgia
Gr. 1B, WES

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want Elsa
I need socks
I'll wear an Aurora dress
I'll read Christmas books
and I'd really love you to bring me hair chalk

Love Ella
Gr. 1B, WES

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want a Mandalorian Nerf gun
I need a book with a lock
I'll wear a new jacket
I'll read a flower book
and I'd really love you to bring me a Lamborghini

Love Archer
Gr. 1B, WES

I need a rainbow dress
I'll wear unicorn socks
I'll read Green Eggs and Ham
and I'd really love you to bring me a very
very soft stuffy

Love Delilah
Gr. 1B, WES

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want a unicorn pillow
I need a Halloween dress
I'll wear unicorn socks
I'll read No David
and I'd really love you to bring me Unicorn Barbie

Love Kaliah
Gr. 1B, WES

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want L.O.L dolls
I need a toy dog
I'll wear unicorn shirts
I'll read puppy books
and I'd really love you to bring me a real dog

Love Vienna
Gr. 1B, WES

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want a Mandalorian Nerf gun
I need a book with a lock
I'll wear warm wool socks
I'll read No David
and I'd really love you to bring me a picture of you

Love Bensen W.
Gr. 1B, WES



from the
KINSMEN & KINETTE CLUBS OF WATROUS

We'd like to take a moment to express our gratitude to each and every one of you along with our best wishes for a joyous, fun-filled holiday season.

ROD
BURKITT
TRUCKING
Rodney & Rhonda



... "And To All A Good Night!"



In this season of wonder, we wish you lots of harmony and joy at every turn.

Merry Christmas!
Interlake Human Resources Corp.

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Minard's
LEISURE WORLD
where adventures begin!



Minard's would like to take the time to thank the Watrous community for the continued support over the past two years. We wish you and your families a safe holiday season full of laughter, love, and family.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

Watrous, SK

www.minardsleisureworld.com

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SEASONS
Greetings

Our special of the day is to wish you a very special holiday season. Hope you enjoy being at our place, as much as we enjoy serving you!

PEPPER TREE
FAMILY RESTAURANT
and PIZZA

Andy & Francine Karagiannis,
family and staff

(from page four: WES)

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want a Transformer
I need food
I'll wear boots
I'll read No David
and I'd really love you to bring me a Nerf gun

Love Isaac
Gr. 1B, WES

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want a L.O.L. doll
I need socks
I'll wear a unicorn shirt
I'll read No David
and I'd really love you to bring me a Barbie doll

Love Brielle
Gr. 1B, WES

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year
I want baby Yoda
I need a timer
I'll wear a bad guy shirt
I'll read lego snake book
and I'd really love you to bring me ear phones

Love Marko
Gr. 1B, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a teddy
I need new pencils
I'll wear a new sweater
I'll read a puppy book
and I'd really love you to bring me candy!

Love, Braelynn Balon
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a Nerf gun
I need a blanket
I'll wear new PJs

I'll read an elf book
and I'd really love you to bring me Mike and Ikes!

Love, Wyatt Bergen
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a Barbie
I need a toothbrush
I'll wear cozy PJs
I'll read a reindeer book
and I'd really love you to bring me treats

Love, Tori Collins
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a semi
I need a toothbrush
I'll wear an Xmas sweater
I'll read about elves
and I'd really love you to bring me chocolate!

Love, Axel Dengler
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a new ring
I need a night light

I'll wear a new sweater
I'll read a Pokemon
and I'd really love you to bring me a big red nose reindeer

Love, Weston Elder
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a teddy bear
I need toothpaste
I'll wear cozy PJs
I'll read Brady Brady
and I'd really love you to bring me a bike!

Love, Braxten Gullacher
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a make-up kit
I need floss
I'll wear cozy owl PJs
I'll read a PJ Mask book
and I'd really love you to bring me hair chalk

Love, Majda Gullacher
Gr. 1J, WES

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*Season's Greetings
From Our Home To Yours*

It's our pleasure and privilege to be of service to you. Wishing you the very best for the holidays and the New Year.

The Board and Staff of the
Watrous, Young and Colonsay
Housing Authorities

Thank you
to all of my clients
both past
and present!

Wishing you a
very happy holiday
season and all
the best in 2023!

MIZ BOJANGLES
216 Main Street, Watrous
306-946-3033

"and, lo, the angel of the lord came upon them, and the glory of the lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. and the angel said unto them, fear not: for, behold, i bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. for unto you is born this day in the city of david a saviour, which is christ the lord"

— luke 2:9 -11

May this holy time bring to your hearts His clear message of Christmas love.

Fotheringham-McDougall Funeral Service

Earl & Marianne Mosewich & family
Allan Mosewich, David Somers & Gail Shirley

Waiting For Santa

Wishing you all the creature comforts for a purr-fect holiday season.
We couldn't have asked for better friends than you.

Your veterinary team at
Watrous Animal Hospital
306.946.3657
watrousanimalhospital.com

SEASON'S GREETINGS

With glad tidings to you and yours at this joyous time of year. We look forward to serving you again, soon.

from Joe & staff at
WATROUS SALVAGE LTD.



Cheers!

Best wishes this holiday season.
Have a fun and safe Christmas.
From all of us at
The Manitou Hotel & TB's Bar & Grill
Lane Manson & staff

(from page five: WES)

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a Barbie house.
I need a toothbrush.
I'll wear socks.
I'll read a Christmas book.
and I'd really love you to bring me cookies!

Love, Alice Janzen
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a toy dog.
I need hair elastics.
I'll wear a new dress.
I'll read a horse book.
and I'd really love you to bring me Rice Krispie cake.

Love, Kara Klassen
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a toy cat.
I need a hair dryer.
I'll wear Christmas light up shoes.
I'll read a Christmas book.
and I'd really love you to bring me a cat!

God's richest blessings to you and yours during this Christmas season!

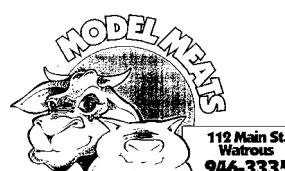
Luke 2:10-11, "And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. 11 For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

Last Mountain Anglican Parish
Nokomis • Imperial



All The Best!

Hats off to you, our customers.
We couldn't have asked for a
better bunch of folks, than you.
Have a wonderful holiday.



Merry Christmas

With best wishes and
appreciation to all our
friends, neighbours, clients
and associates.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Mah Law Office

Ben,
Lori & Jane

Love, McKinley Klassen
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want stuffy rainbow.
I need new socks.
I'll wear a shirt.
I'll read a Santa book.
and I'd really love you to bring me a kitty!

Love, Paisley Martin
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a Christmas baby.
I need a hair dryer.
I'll wear a Christmas dress.
I'll read a Christmas bunny book.
and I'd really love you to bring me a curling iron.

Love, Blakely McArthur
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a Barbie.
I need a water bottle.
I'll wear light up shoes.
I'll read a fairy book.
and I'd really love you to bring me hair chalk.

Love, Mila Olah
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa
For Christmas this year
I want a skateboard
I need toothpaste
I'll wear a cozy onesie
I'll read No David!
and I'd really love you to bring me a cookie elf!

Love, Kaiden Rintoul
Gr. 1J, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa, we have cold weather down here. It feels like the North Pole here. I don't know how you handle the cold. My dad needs a snow blower. My mom needs a dress and make-up and my dad socks. My mom likes perfume. My dad has been nice. My mom is nice and needs a snow blower. Mom needs socks. My dad needs a farm. My mom wants a yellow stone mug. Merry Christmas Santa.

Love,
Anna Coward
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
My dad is working and I think he might like a little more time off. My mom's back hurts so I think my mom wants her back to feel better. And how is it going? There's a lot of South Pole weather over here, I think the polar bears are trying to move to here anyway these things you can't be these things but I hope you can make it happen. I hope you have a Merry Christmas!

Christine Bothma
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
My mom has been working really hard. Is it ok if you bring my mom some gifts? Santa how are you doing? I haven't seen you since last year. Can you please bring gifts to my mom. Please and thank you. My mom wants makeup and socks and lotion and hospital clothes and face masks and new boots and lamps and new books and a new water bottle.

Love,
Aria Declercq
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
My mom and dad have been working really hard. I want to give my mom a heated pillow and makeup and mom dad a back massager and heating pad. My mom wants a set of new paint. My mom loves to paint. I want to give my mom some canvases for Christmas. She wants a new sewing machine.

Love,
Brynlee Watson
Gr. 2M, WES

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Dear Santa,
My dad would like a new Dodge Ram truck for Christmas. His truck went in the ditch when it snowed. Maybe he wouldn't go in the ditch with a new truck. He would be really happy. He has been good for Christmas.

Love,
Copeland Kelly
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you doing at the workshop? For my mom could you bring a new pair of skates? For my dad could you bring a new work shirt? For my mom could you bring a gift card? For my mom could you bring a new water bottle? Could you bring a new baking spoon for my mom? My mom and dad could use a new hockey stick. My mom and dad could use a new pair of shoes.

Love,
Max Dueck
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
This year I want to ask for something for my dad. His work is very easy and he works at Saskatoon. I would like you to bring him a computer for Christmas. My mom makes the yummiest food ever. She needs some good ballerina music to cook with, it is her favourite.

Love,

think my dad would love

FILLED WITH WARM WISHES

...And gratitude too, for the friendship that we share with you!
Merry Christmas and many thanks.

**Mark and Chris Dunham
Suzie, Brent, Caleb,
Nancy, Cole,
Renzo & Bob.**

Auto Value
Certified Service Centers

With Well Wishes at CHRISTMAS
Have a Merry Christmas!
It has been our pleasure serving you,
our valued customers. Thank you!

Peachwood Restaurant
Watrous, SK
CLOSED: Dec. 24/22 - Jan. 4/23 OPEN: Jan. 5/23

**Kinzley Berry
Gr. 2M, WES**

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you doing? My hockey has been good. What are you doing? My mom would love white board markers and she would also like a school chair with wheels. My dad would love some tools and a work chair with wheels.

Love,
Jace Carlson
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you doing? Could you bring my mom crafting supplies? She has been good. Ok it's my dad's turn. My dad would love some more tools. Well Santa it was nice chatting but I bet you have work to do. You must be working very hard. Good bye.

Love,
Greta Jackson
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
It's Everleigh here. My parents never get gifts on Christmas!!! So this Christmas I'm thinking to get my mom a table cloth and maybe a Christmas sweater. Oh and some new boots. Wait, wait also some restaurant gift certificates. Hmm... okay I guess it is time for my dad. I think he would like a new car. Hey wait please okay could I get a set of tools? Oh and maybe a comfortable chair for my dad. Oh, oh and I

think my dad would love

some wine gums. And it is ok if you can't get all of them but please get a couple.

Love,
Everleigh Dunne
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. This letter is for my parents. Can my parents have boots and blankets and thick socks and running shoes and maybe a yes day? School is fun so far. I hope you don't get sick. Santa my name is Kara Freyling. My mom's name is Christine. My dad's name is Brody. I like Christmas. See you.

Love,
Kara Freyling
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you? We have a lot of snow. It's cold here. How cold is it there? Stay warm Santa. My mom would like two red flowers. Dad needs a new GMC truck because his back wheels are rusty. Dad needs a new snow blower. Good luck Santa.

Love,
Wyatt Camber
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
My parents like Christmas. How is Mrs. Claus? My dad wants a fake snowmobile winners medal. My mom wants pretty fake flowers. Have a merry Christmas Santa. To my lovely parents I love you!

Love,
Alva Axman
Gr. 2M, WES

SEASON'S GREETINGS & MANY THANKS
With warm wishes to you and your family at this festive time of year.
Watrous Seniors

A String Of Glad Tidings

Wishing you all things merry and bright as we prepare for another spectacular holiday season.

Thank you for your patronage and patience during this very busy year.

Merry Christmas!

CIC Electric
306-946-2013

Charles, Kent, Shawn, Donna, Colby, Brian, Carter, Dwayne

Dear Santa,
This year I'm trying to figure out what my parents want for Christmas. So I was thinking about what they want and this is what they want. So my mom wants some makeup and a pan. She also wants a chair. My dad wants a foot massager. He wants a watch too.

Love,
Rachel Wolff
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
For my mom I want to get her 20 dark chocolate bars and five tickets to an Oilers game for my dad. I hope you're doing well. Is your job fun? My mom really likes dark chocolate. Me and my dad and my brother really like the Oilers. Brynlee likes the Jets.

Love,
Brooks Jones
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
My mom would like some new furniture and she would like some new soaps too. My mom would like some new plants and some new baking supplies. I really want to give my parents a break of working hard. My dad would like a new chain saw and a new toolbox and a new saw.

Love,
Nate Ring
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you doing? I wish you have a great Christmas. Anyways my mom is working hard. My mom wants some Lindor chocolate. My dad is working hard. He wants a truck.

Love,
Nadia Bothma
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. I am going to make a card for my parents. First my mom likes gnomes and my dad likes chocolate bars. They have been really good this year. I hope you have a merry Christmas.

Love,
Callum Gross
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa. My mom would like some conditioner. My grandpa always wanted a snow blower. My mom would like some new boots and a new jacket and a new pair of gloves. My grandpa would like some new boots and a new jacket and a new pair of gloves too. Merry Christmas.

Love,
Matteo Kaiser Mancao
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you doing? My mom and dad want a new blanket for Christmas. Maybe a wolf blanket for them would be good. Thank you.

Love,
Ivy Ann Foort
Gr. 2M, WES

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you doing? You must be really busy at Christmas time. My parents would like some pjs and they would like some socks.

Love,
Aliyah Hemmingson
Gr. 2M, WES

Christmas Eve is here
He's almost here!
Rudolph's nose I see it in the air
I see Santa in the chimney
Santa is gone!

To Santa thanks for the presents

My Mom's presents are gone. The grinch must've took it.
As I went to look for the presents I saw the grinch!
So I caught the grinch and got the presents

Beau Savage
Gr. 2/3P, WES

Christmas is the best
Happy for CHRISTMAS
Rudolph leads Santa's sleigh
I am ready for Christmas
Santa is coming soon

To family to coming
Merry Christmas
Almost time for Christmas
Soon I'll get my tree

Olivia Thoner
Gr. 2/3P, WES

Christmas makes me happy!
Hope I get everything I

Happy, Happy, Happy, Happy, Happy, Holly Days

Wishing all of you a very joyful holiday season.

W
from
the staff of
Winston High School

want.
Red and green are the Christmas colours.
I love Christmas!
Santa eats lots of cookies!
Trees have to be decorated.
Music and carolling.
As we go to bed.
Santa will be coming.

Kylie McLaren
Gr. 2/3P, WES

Christmas spirit.
Hope everyone is joyful.
Rudolph's nose shining so bright.
I hope Santa likes my cookies.
Santa will be tired.
The Christmas tree full of lights.
Mistletoe smooches.
A tree with presents under it.
Santa's naughty and nice list.

Lexi Morelli
Gr. 2/3P, WES

Carols sound so good at Christmas.
Having so much fun
Rudolph's nose shining so bright
I love Christmas it's so fun
Santa Claus is almost here
Time to spread some Christmas cheer
Marvelous decorations twinkle and shine
Almost time for tree top light
Sing a song to start tonight
Hadley Braman
Gr. 2/3P, WES

Christmas is the best
Happiness is spreading
Rudolph guides the sleigh
I like opening presents
Santa's sleigh is full of presents
Tinsel is wrapped around trees
Merry Christmas
A present is under the tree
Sleigh rides

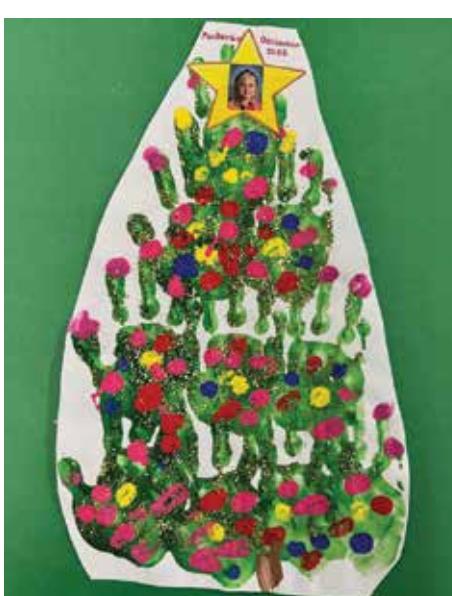
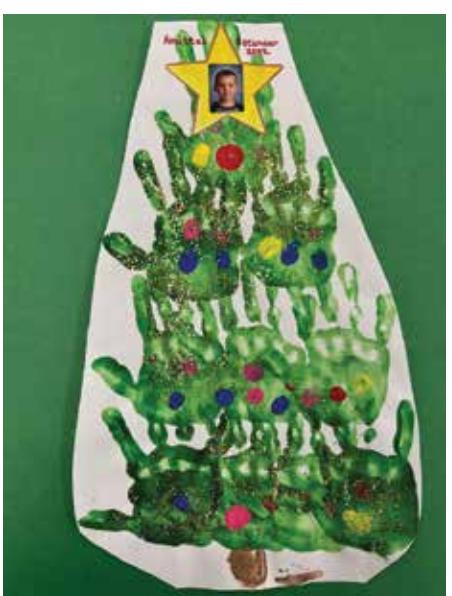
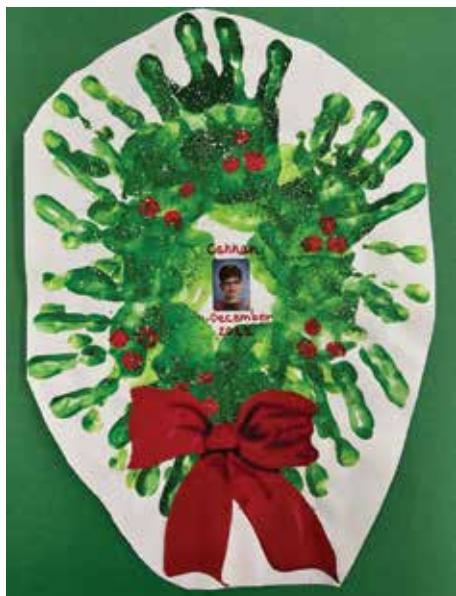
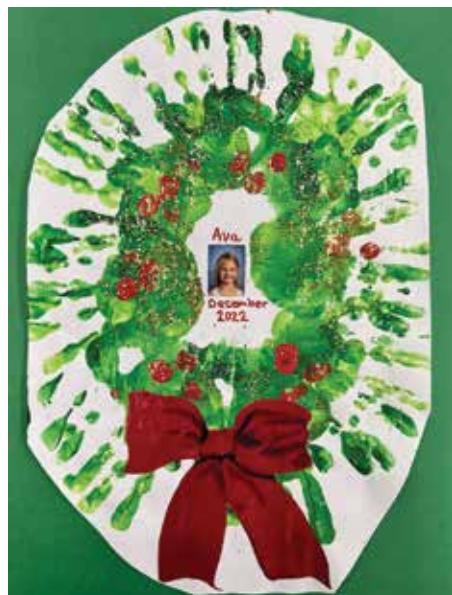
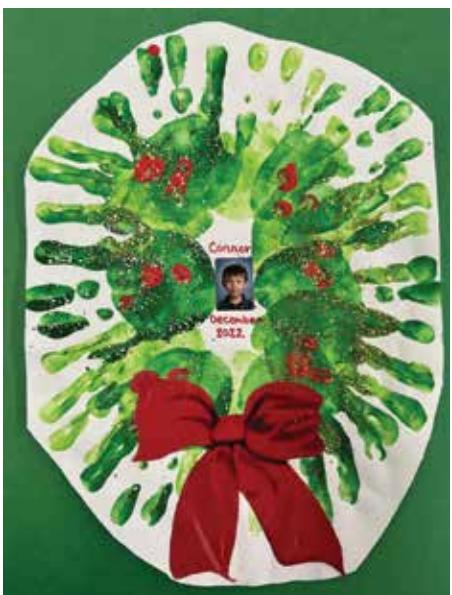
Abby Haines
Gr. 2/3P, WES

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Stacks Of Best Wishes For The Holidays

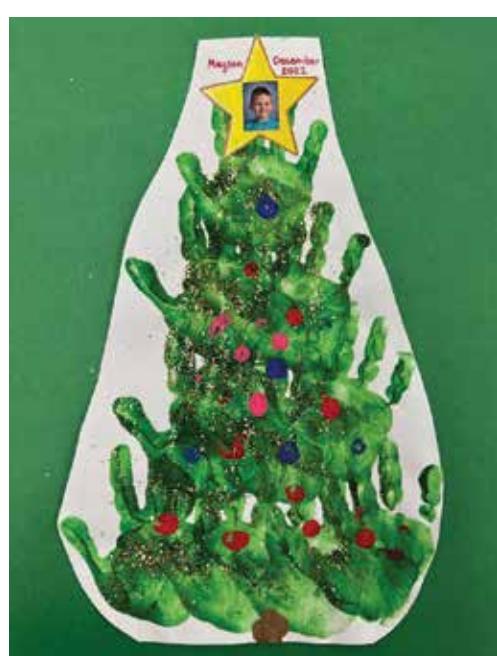
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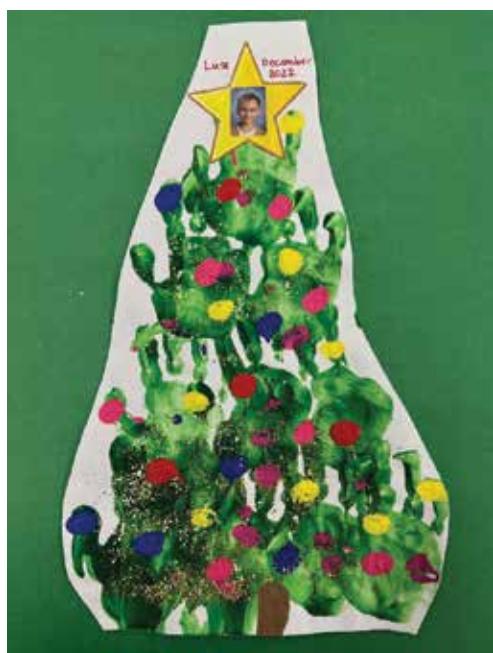
We look forward to seeing you in 2023.



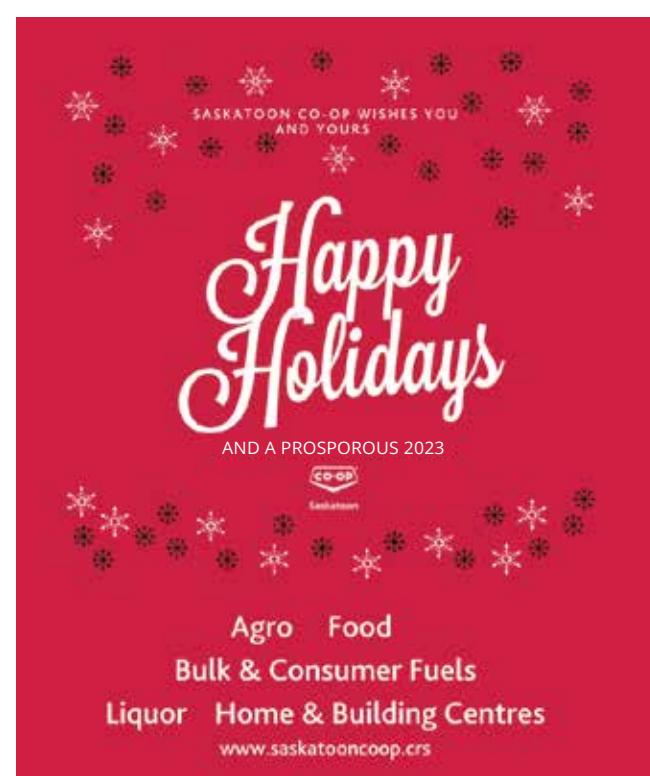
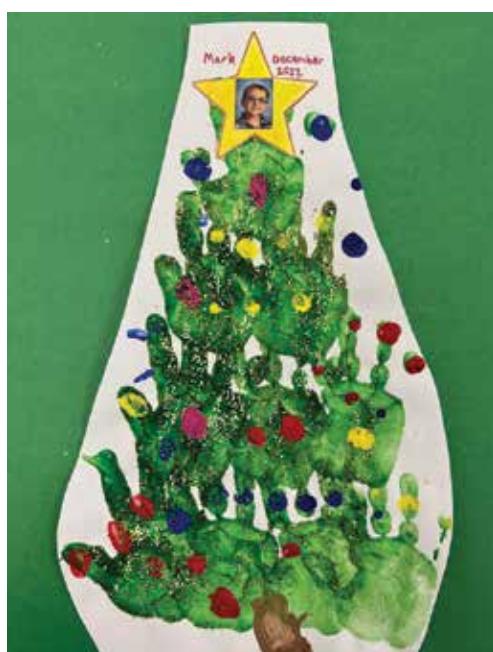
WES Kindergarten Holiday Fun

I would like to wish one and all a very safe and happy holiday season and a shiny, clean new year.
~ AJ





WES
Kindergarten
Holiday Fun



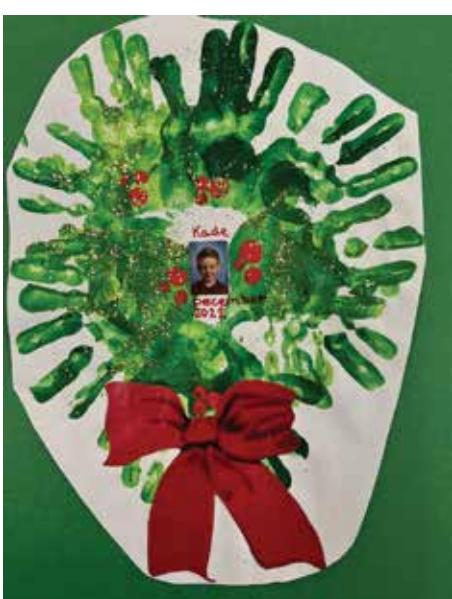
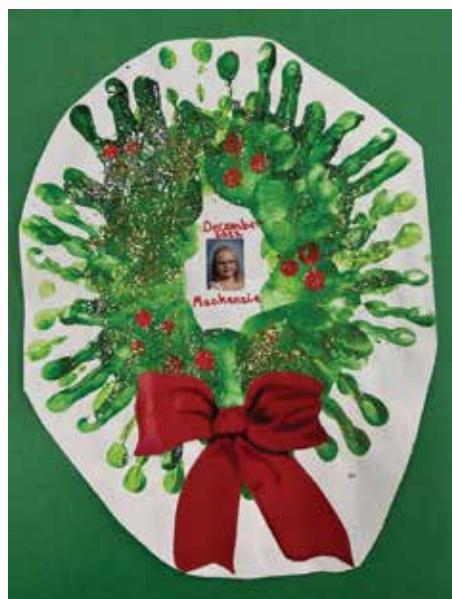
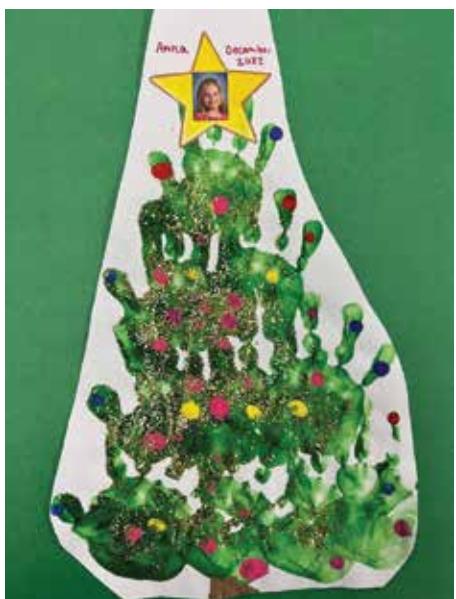
*Warmest wishes
this holiday season from*

**MANITOU MAINLINE CHRYSLER
THE KING OF TRUCKS!**

**MANITOU MAINLINE CHRYSLER
KING OF TRUCKS**

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WATROUS, SASKATCHEWAN
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WES Kindergarten Holiday Fun



*Merry
Christmas!*



FRASER TOLMIE, MP

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fraser.tolmie@parl.gc.ca | frasertolmiemp.ca

May you enjoy
the season's festivities!
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Patricia Isherwood

Merry Christmas
Randy's Remedial
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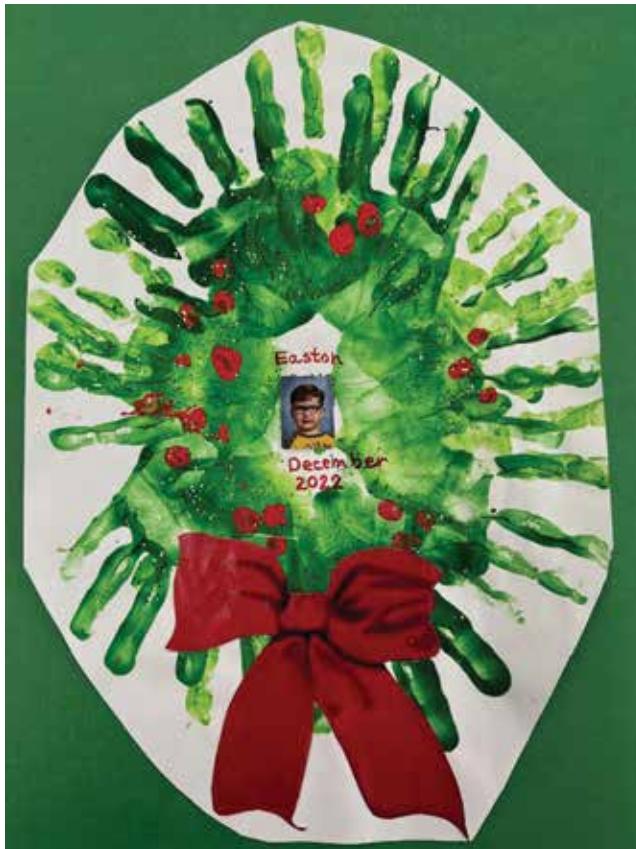
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Christmas is super fun!
Happy and excited!
Rudolph's nose shining so bright!
I love Christmas!
Santa wears a red sweater!
Trees shining so bright when they have lights!
Merry Christmas.

Brooks Bushman
Gr. 2/3P, WES

Candy canes are so yummy!
Hope everyone has a good Christmas.
Rudolph has a red nose.
I love Christmas!
Santa Claus the jolly man.
To all a good Christmas.
Mistletoe smooches.
A happy Christmas.
Santa's naughty or nice list.

Carter Bushman
Gr. 2/3P, WES

Christmas concert
Hear jingle bells
Rudolph the red nose reindeer
I wish families
Santa is always jolly
Take a moment to thanks Santa
Mistletoe smooches
Antlers on deer
Such a Christmas

Wyatt Janzen
Gr. 2/3P, WES



I am happy
Having fun
Rudolph
I want a dragon
Santa Claus
Tree with a star
Making cookies
Antlers on reindeer
Sprinkles on cookies

Wyatt Jones
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am happy
Cookies for Santa.
Happy because of presents.
Reindeer pull Santa's sleigh.
I like what Santa leaves for me.
Snowing outside.
Toys from Santa for everyone.
Make a star for the tree.
An iPad is what I want.
Santa gives everyone a happy year.

Lucas Scott
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am happy
I wonder when he comes.
I hear feet.
I see a red dot.
I want a trip bag.
I feel excited.
I dream good things.
I wish I could get more friends.
I am now good and happy.

Caleb Stratton
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am happy
I wonder does Rudolph have a red nose?
I hear footsteps.
I see joy everywhere.
I want an iPad.
I feel wonderful.
I dream candy cane dance.
I wish we never moved.
I am happy.

Reid Crittenden
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am happy
I wonder if Santa is real
I hear Jingle Bells
I see a Christmas
I want a lava lamp
I feel excited
I dream of Rudolph
I wish I could see Santa
I am happy

Nicole Ierofieieva
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am excited for Christmas
I wonder how Santa Claus sneaks in the house
I hear Santa Claus going in the air

**Warm Wishes
At The Holidays**

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I see stars in the sky
I want rc car for Christmas
I feel excited for my present
I dream to have a house
I wish for a PS5
I am happy to see my present

Saad-Eddine
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am happy at Christmas time.
I wonder if Santa is real.
I hear Jingle Bells.
I see a Christmas tree.
I want for Christmas is an inside cat.
I feel joyful at Christmas.
I dream about my family.
I wish I could get lots of friends on Christmas.
I am happy at Christmas.

Henry Thoner
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am happy and excited.
I wonder about my dad.
I hear Jingle Bells.
I see Santa Claus.
I want a phone and stuffies.
I feel scared and shy.
I dream about Santa.
I wish I saw my grandma.
I am happy and shy.

Raelynn Rintoul
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am happy.
I wonder what I will get.
I hear laughter.
I see happiness.
I want a lava lamp.
I feel excited.
I dream big.
I wish big.
I am joyful.

Kinley Beeler
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am at Christmas I am joyous.
I wonder why we get presents.
I hear I hear people laughing.
I see I see decorations.
I want I want a graphic novel.
I feel I feel happy.
I dream I dream of family.
I wish all family could come.
I am I am excited.

Parker Manson
Gr. 2/3P, WES

I am excited.
I wonder if Santa is real.
I hear presents getting opened.
I see a Christmas tree.
I want RC car, electric

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa my name is Collyns. I am in Grade 3H. I am in dance. I am 8 years old and I love my teacher so much!
I want a necklace for me

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scooter, remote control drone.
I feel excited.
I dream of reindeer flying through the sky.
I wish I had cookies.
I am happy on Christmas.

Carson MacNeill
Gr. 2/3P, WES

and my sis, like a friendship necklace. I hope you can get me it. It means so much to me thank you Santa!

I hope you can come. I have cookies and milk for you.

Thank you Santa. Thanks for all your gifts Santa.

Merry Christmas Santa!

Love Collyns Anderson
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,

What I was doing this year is judo and we have a Christmas concert. I have a friend in my class this year.

I would like a gift. It is two Nerf guns, two Dog Man books, a RC car called Xmax, please. Santa I will be so happy to have one of those.

I have cookies waiting for you. Safe travels Santa and have fun!

Your friend, Daniel Vakula

Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,

Hi Santa, I am really busy

doing sports like judo, Learn-to-Skate and lots

of crafts lately, fun crafts.

This year I am in grade 3H.

I would like a craft kit and a new Nintendo Switch.

That would be amazing Santa.

I hope the night is nice

and clear for your travels.

I hope you have a good

Christmas. For Christmas

I will be at my house.

Love, Harley-Anne

Gr. 3H, WES

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Sincerely, Boston Collins

Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,

I've been really busy this

year. I have lots of hockey

games coming up. I'm ex-

cited for food and get to see

my family. I like hockey

and soccer and I want to

play baseball next year.

This year I want a Kadri

jersey who plays for the

Flames and the fourth Un-

charted game A Thief's

End. I'd also like some real

Lindor chocolates.

I hope you get everyone

here and all around the

world in time. I also hope

you're working and getting

rest. Good luck and Merry

Christmas!

From your friend, Cohen

Reifferscheid

Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,

I have been a little naughty

this year. I am in grade 3H

my teacher is Mrs. Hardy

and I love her so much.

And I love skating too.

I would love to have more

dinosaurs, and also a

hoverboard. I would like

some Harry Potter toys,

oh and a snow cone maker,

maybe real makeup, also a

camera.

I hope you get here safe

and get every kid in the world.

Merry Christmas! I am at

my dad's.

Love Alexis

Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,

This year in my class I have

seventeen classmates and

my teacher's name is Mrs.

Hardy. I'm taking piano les-

sons and I will be going to a

Christmas recital.

For Christmas I will like a toy penguin and chapter ten to thirteen of Dragon Masters. I will love it if you will come.

I hope you come here safe. I hope all the kids will get the wishes. Have fun.

Sincerely, Erica Chen
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,
I've done a couple naughty things this year. I'm busy playing a hockey game after school. I'm trying not to be naughty this year though.

I would like a hoverboard, Sea-Doo, Super Mario party, and a Buccaneers helmet. It would mean a lot to me if I had a Sea-Doo.

I hope you travel safe. I hope you get all the presents to all of the houses. I have milk and cookies waiting for you!! Merry Christmas!

Love your friend, Axel
John McArthur
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,
I've been a bit naughty and I am in grade 3. I play hockey and judo. I love Christmas because Santa is very nice.

Can I please have an Aaron Rogers jersey and NFL 23. I would also like a David Pastrnak jersey from the Boston Bruins.

Safe travels Santa Claus I hope you have fun. I will leave cookies out for you.

Sincerely, Boston Collins
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,
I am in grade 3. My teacher is Mrs. Hardy. I play hockey, dance and piano. My team won our two games. In our second game I got three goals.

I would be really excited if you got me a Puppet Petunia. I would also really appreciate if you got me some Squishmallows. Thank you if you do.

Santa, have fun making toys with your elves. I hope you have safe travels on Christmas Eve. I will leave Christmas cookies for you. I've been really good I promise. Bye see you next year.

Your friend, Toni Miettinen
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,
I love McDonalds because it has the best ever food. My favourite food there are the fries. I'm good at baseball.

I would be very excited if you get me a new Xbox 360. A toy combine, a Skidoo, I would love if I got cookies. I have a question who is the strongest reindeer? I hope you have a merry Christmas.

Your friend, Sawyer Olah
Gr. 3H, WES

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my teacher's name is Mrs.

Hardy. I'm taking piano les-

sons and I will be going to a

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Dear Santa,
I'm busy with dance and gymnastics. I really like the colour purple. I like stuffies and fluffy pillows and I like animals. One part of my classroom is Scholar Dollars. Santa I really want a puppy. I have been wanting a puppy for two years and if I do get I want a Golden Labrador. If I don't get a puppy I want lots of chips.

I hope you will like the cookies and milk. I will wish safe travels. I think I will spend Christmas at my house.

Love, Amihan Salandanan
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,
I love doing judo and gymnastics. I also love doing arts and crafts and I love Christmas snacks! I love snacks I love them!

I would love it if I could have a book. I love to read I like graphic novels like Bone. If you can't get it, it's fine but thank you.

I have a question did you invent any Christmas snacks? Good luck delivering gifts. I will be at my dad's house for Christmas.

Your friend, Emilia Janzen
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,
I play baseball, speed swimming and hockey. I like McDonald's food. I'm barely naughty. I love friends, family and cousins.

Santa can I have my very own tablet, electric scooter, a pet snake and a sleepover at my grandma's on an absolutely free day with no school.

Safe travels Santa and good luck with all those presents. Merry Christmas and thanks for the presents.

Sincerely, Adam Jansen
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,
I play hockey and I have lots of games coming soon. I played speed swimming and I won 1 medal. I have been good this year.

Santa for Christmas I would like five things. A Bowser expansion set, Mario monopoly, to have a family Christmas at my house, an Arceas V-Max, and a Nintendo Switch.

Santa safe travels and good luck. I have Oreo cookies, milk and carrots for your reindeer. Merry Christmas to all!

Love, William Richardson
Gr. 3H, WES

Dear Santa,
This year I am in 3H. This year I am playing hockey, and this year I did soccer, and baseball. I liked soccer best. For Christmas may I have an Xbox, an iPhone 14, hockey cards, and a camera. May I have a zombie movie toys, and a VR. I hope to give my dad a Mitch Marner jersey. Safe travels Santa. I will be at home. I love Christmas with my family. I can't wait until Christmas time.

Love, Brody Wourms
Gr. 3H, WES

Christmas

By Greyson, 4P

I see Christmas candy canes. I like to hang them on the tree. I see Christmas baking with cookies and mint candy canes.

I hear Christmas carols of all sorts being sung door to door and from the radio. I hear joy, laughter and love for others where the family is gathered.

Merry Christmas!

*With best wishes
for a holiday
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I smell fires being lit, the smoke is going through my nose, melting the frost and I think it is tickling my nose and I can not stop laughing. It's crazy!

I taste the chocolate fudge. My mouth is watering from the gooey chocolate fudge cake. I can not wait for dessert after supper. I can't get it out of mine. It is so beautiful. The touch of the snow is so cold I am freezing. There are 1000s of 1000s of tiny atoms making bigger than big mountains of snow.

I feel love in my heart and it is pounding so hard I think I can feel it a little

Christmas

Ryan, 4P

I see the presents under the Christmas tree.

I hear people sing jingle bells and say Ho Ho Ho.

I smell mom's turkey and gravy.

I taste sweet hot chocolate and gingerbread.

I touch the presents while I rip them open.

I feel excited about my Christmas tree.

Christmas

Madison, 4P

I see the Christmas tree when I walk out of my room and I smile.

I hear the big blow up snowman and the small penguin and Santa and snowman.

I smell the ham, potatoes and sugar cubes.

I taste hot chocolate and cookies and eggnog.

I touch the cold snow and the wrapping paper.

I feel happy and excited to see my family.

Christmas

By Ethan W., 4P

Hi, this is my writing about Christmas, I hope you enjoy it!

I see the glistening white snow. I see the Christmas lights, all the decorations that people put up for Christmas. The lights are bright, I see that the lights are red, green and blue, sometimes the lights have purple. All of the snowmen and igloos people have made. There is so much to see at Christmas. I see everyone's Christmas trees glowing through the window. I see all the decorations the town government put up.

I hear the wind whistling through the air, the dead trees blowing in the wind and the music from people's decorations. I hear Christmas carols in stores.

I smell the delicious hot chocolate being made. I like having a fire in the winter because the smoke smells nice, and warms me up.

Some people might think I'm crazy because I don't like mint, or peppermint, actually I haven't had peppermint so I can't say that I don't like it, although it probably tastes kind of the same, right?

I touch the freezing glistening white snow when making a snowman or igloo, igloos actually don't need snow they need ice, whenever I touch ice I like to step on it and I slip and slide, it's a lot of fun, and dangerous! When it's time to come inside the warm cup of hot chocolate warms up the palm of my hand.

I feel the soft snow and the cold wind. You've probably seen children, maybe you've seen adults do it too, but I eat snow and ice if I'm thirsty, or if I just want to eat it, it feels cold in my mouth.

All the amazing things at Christmas

Name: Mia, 4P

I see a Christmas tree with so many lights. Once I almost fainted, they're so bright!

I hear Stomp! Stomp! Stomp! on the roof at night. If it's Santa I will be so lucky.

I smell breathtaking cookies in the kitchen when I'm

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all the way past the hall. They are just waiting for me to come eat them.

I taste spectacular gingersnap cookies. They are just the best. If I have one it makes me want to just keep eating and eating but oh it is better with hot chocolate.

I touch the hotness of my hot chocolate. If I take a sip I might burn my tongue off. Ah!

I feel fantastic and joy at Christmas time. Sometimes I am also really excited to do almost everything at Christmas.

Christmas

Emmett, 4P

When I see the Christmas tree from outside, the lights are glowing brightly.

I hear bells jingling all night and Santa Ho Ho Hoing all night long.

I smell the ham in the oven cooking and the gingerbread houses.

I taste the ham and mashed potatoes at Christmas dinner. I touch the freezing cold snow on my hand the water from the snow is cold.

I feel sad that some people couldn't make it.

Christmas Poem

James, 4P

I see a Christmas tree out a window. It shines bright out the window. When I'm sleeping I think about Santa putting presents under the tree. Once I thought I saw Santa. I hear jingle bells on a sleigh nearby. I hear it getting closer and closer. Every Christmas we ride a sleigh with our neighbor Bill. When I went to a sleigh place a horse pushed me around the snow.

I smell gingerbread men cookies fresh from the oven. They are dark brown looking. They look super yummy. It's brown like gravy.

I taste the turkey on my plate and it melts in my mouth. It's full of juice. I taste eggnog in my cup. Sometimes I taste mashed potatoes.

I touch the presents under the Christmas tree. Some are full of color. Some are also dark colors and bright. When I look at some presents they hurt my eyes because they are so bright.

I feel happy and a little sad for family members who can't make it. But mostly happy for people who could come. I also feel excited to wake up and open presents under the tree.

CHRISTMAS

By Rylen, 4P

I see the Christmas tree glowing when I go into my house. You don't need to turn on a light. It lights the house up. It is like that I turned on the lights.

I hear me shaking the presents to see what is in it. On Christmas Eve I would hear what was in there.

I smell hot cocoa steam going into my face. It feels like fire steam going into my face.

I taste the gingerbread house. Sometimes we get to eat it on Christmas day.

I touch the Christmas tree ornaments to set them up. Sometimes I help put them on.

I feel happy about what I get on Christmas day. I won't complain about what I get.

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Merry Christmas

Hope it's merry, bright and beautiful!

Thanks for treating us to your visits this year. Friends and customers like you mean the world to us.

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Christmas

Savina, 4P

I see a christmas tree it has christmas lights and christmas song.

I hear a christmas song in my ears and i sing along with it.

I smell hot chocolate with marshmallows in hot chocolate.

I taste marshmallows in my mouth and so crunchy and delicious.

I touch the presents Under Christmas tree and i start Opening presents.

I feel Happy and I'm excited to open the presents.

O, Christmas Tree

Lochlyn, 4P

I see my Christmas tree standing so big and tall. When I turn on the lights they glow for everyone to see.

I hear the sound of Christmas music when I decorate the tree. Sometimes the ornaments bring back special memories for me.

I smell Christmas cookies baking in the oven. They smell so yummy and sweet. Sometimes I get distracted while enjoying my Christmas treat.

I taste Christmas cookies

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Happy Holidays!

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and dip them in some milk. The milk drips off the cookie like rain dripping off a window. I decorate more cookies to share with family and friends. Sometimes I get distracted and need a little help.

I touch the branches on my Christmas tree while I hang the ornaments one by one. The needles are sometimes sharp, I hope I hope they don't poke me. I feel so excited for family presents and fun. I know if I get to bed early, the sooner Santa will come.

Christmas Month

Riley, 4P

I see a big Christmas tree that glows like the brightest star. I see bright lights through the window of my house. There is bright white snow on the ground. I hear carolers going down my street. When I hear laughter from the people around me I am happy. Happiness comes from the people gathered around. I smell peppermints. It has a strong smell and it makes my eyes water. I smell my presents. They smell so new. Sometimes they smell good. Sometimes they smell bad.

I taste ginger snap cookies. They taste like ginger and they taste so good. If it did not taste good I would properly not eat it.

I touch the wrapping and shake the present and then I rip it open. Sometimes it feels rough or soft.

I feel excited because it's Christmas. Sometimes on Christmas I cannot wait



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to open presents. I'm so happy because I get to see my family. I feel joy and peace in the Christmas month.

Christmas

Presley, 4P

I see a bright Christmas tree shining through the window. Sometimes when I walk past some houses I see a Christmas tree.

I hear Santa's sleigh soaring through the sky. I hear jingle bells ringing loudly when he flies by.

I smell the delicious gingerbread cookies when they come out of the oven. The scent of the cookies is amazing.

I taste hot chocolate after I play outside. Sometimes I put marshmallows in it. I put a chocolate Aero bar in it.

I touch my soft bed as I fall asleep so I can open presents in the morning. When I wake up I am so excited for presents.

I feel happiness and joy. I love spending time with my family on Christmas.

I love my family so much. When I feel impatient I can't wait at all.

My Christmas

By: Tristan, 4P

I see a bright Christmas tree through the window with lights as bright as the moon.

I hear carolers singing as loud as a wolf. After a while it gets annoying.

I smell the cookies fresh from the oven. I love them. And baking them is the best. Do you like baking them?

I taste gingerbread cookies they are my favorite. Are they your favorite?

I touch the soft snow when building a snowman. Have you built a snowman?

I feel all the happiness in my heart. It feels so warm. It is the best feeling ever.

Christmas

by: Jude, 4P

I see a Christmas tree. It has decorations that are green, blue, red, yellow and white lights. It is as beautiful as a star.

I hear jingle bells at night when Santa is here dropping off presents as I go to sleep. And he is gone in the morning.

I smell cookies in the morning when my mom is making cookies.

I taste cookies in the morning and they are awesome. I love my mom's homemade cookies.

I touch a present that's mine and I'm happy because my family is there. I love my family because they're nice.

I feel happy at Christmas because my family is there. I love my family.

Christmas

Corey, 4P

I see a Christmas tree with lights as bright as the sun lighting up the entire room with beautiful ornaments that we bought or made. Sometimes we make them at school or at home.

I hear Christmas carols going down the street singing lots of songs. It is so beautiful we open all of the windows in our house. Once we went outside to hear it better.

I smell cookies in the oven that smell as beautiful as my grandma's cookies. Once my mouth was watering until they were done.

I taste gingerbread cookies that we just made. I eat an entire one then we decorate them with frosting. Once I ate too many and felt sick.

I touch the ornaments when we decorate the tree. Most are smooth but sometimes they are rough. Once we had to throw one away because it was too rough and sharp so it cut me.

I feel happy and joy because I get to see my family but not everyone in my family. Once my family comes over and sometimes not.

Christmas Time

Brynnlee, 4P

On Christmas morning I see the dark sky at 7:00 am. The Christmas tree shines so bright it's brighter than the sun. When the Christmas tree reflection shines on the window, all of the blue ornaments make it look like there's two trees.

Sometimes I hear Santa's reindeer stomping on the roof. I hear my footsteps run downstairs to see if Santa is there. When the reindeer take off, the sound of all the reindeer pushing off the roof sounds like, "thud,thud,thud"! And out the window I see Rudolph's nose shining brighter than the moon.

The smell of leftover cookies Santa didn't have time to eat, made my mouth water. The smell of ham makes me want to eat the whole thing. When my lips touch the peppermint candy cane the air fills with peppermint smells.

I taste fresh cookies on Christmas Eve. The smell of stuffing is so strong I can smell it from miles away. Sometimes on Christmas Eve when I'm playing outside and the window opens, the smell travels all the way to the neighbours.

On Christmas Eve I feel all of my relatives kissing my face. At the end of the day my face is as red as a popsicle. When the door opens I feel the big stomps from my uncle's boots trying to get the snow off.

In my heart I feel happy that most of my family could make it. Sometimes families can't make it because of blizzards and stuff. I love my family as much as I love Christmas cookies.

are downstairs. It is on zoom because not everyone can come.

I smell cookies. They are set out. I eat too many cookies: butterhorn, snickerdoodle, gingerbread, chocolate cookies with a hershey kiss on top.

I taste cookies. You can always have cookies while opening gifts. I eat butterhorns the most then snickerdoodle and then chocolate hershey kiss and gingerbread.

I touch the wrapping paper on and off the gifts and cookies. The butterhorn was getting so buttery. I built a fort out of wrapping paper.

I feel the wrapping paper, my gifts and cardboard if we opened gifts and some bows. The fort is small. I like the fort. I love stealing wrapping paper.

Christmas

Kingsley, 4P

I see a glowing tree for Christmas. Sometimes they are so bright they look like the northern lights.

I hear people Christmas caroling around me. They sound like the beautiful sound of the speakers in our vehicle. It makes sense since it's on Christmas Eve.

I smell the Christmas sugar cookies. Once we made gingerbread cookies. It smells like the sweet smell of sweet grass.

I taste the ham, stuffing, mashed potatoes and gravy. The hot taste of cocoa is so good. And the dessert!!! Most of the time it's apple or lemon pie or sometimes gingerbread cookies.

I touch the wrapping paper of the presents on Christmas. It feels like a fresh coat of paint. Some of the wrapping is soft as untouched snow.

I feel happy as I watch my family open gifts. Then it's my turn and I feel joy. Once my sister and I accidentally thought her gift was mine and my gift was hers.

Christmas

Tanner, 4P

I see a Christmas tree. When I see the Christmas tree, I think it is as bright as the sun. Or maybe even as bright as the northern stars.

Sometimes I can hear the people singing carols and ho ho ho. They sound just like the pro singers.

I can smell the hot cocoa. It smells sweet and chocolatey delicious all at the same time. Drip! Drip! Drip!

Sometimes I can taste the chocolate chips in the cookie. It tastes like sweet chocolate chips and brown sugar.

Mmmmmmmmmmmmm!! When I touch the green glowing tree, it feels rough and jagged like a pine tree. Once Christmas is here I feel the joy and happiness from the people that gather around the table.

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Glad Tidings to You!

With thanks and warm wishes from us to all of you.

Chad, Tana, Marie, Jean, Ken, Rachel & Rick



BARE BONES METAL WORX

Steve & Monica

(from page 16: WES)

I Know Christmas

I know about Christmas. There is amazing food and dazzling decorations and a sparkly Christmas tree showered with lights and delicate presents underneath begging to be unwrapped. The smell is mouth-watering there's the bubbling of the stew. We have juicy ham and a medium-rare steak that's gushing with flavour with some delicious pumpkin pie, and occasionally a scrumptious turkey breakfast. There's the poke of the Christmas tree on my fingers and head as I slowly unwrap my present while I'm boggling with excitement. I will never forget to give my dog Nova, his Christmas belly rubs and treats and unwrap his new rubbery dog toys so he has a good day too. There are so many family members: my sister, my brother, my mom and dad, my grandpa and grandma, my nana and papa and so many more. I know Christmas, the warmest day of the year.

Colton Ritthaler
Gr. 4/5T, WES

I Know Christmas

I know Christmas. The white lights on the Christmas tree sparkle while they play "Deck the Halls". The homemade hot chocolate fills my mouth with joy. I am excited to open the presents! The stockings are hung on a wooden snowman by the fireplace. We play board games. Our favourite is the Game of Life. My brothers beg to open the presents. When my dad is cooking the chicken it smells like thick meat. We make a gingerbread house with peppermints, gumdrops, gummy worms and frosting. I am grateful for the love I feel at Christmas. I know Christmas.

Willow Dreger
Gr. 4/5T, WES

Christmas

I know Christmas morning. Christmas morning I can see the presents under the tree and the best Christmas candles burning. I can see my sisters and my mom are blooming with joy and happiness. After we opened the presents that were gold and pink, red, green then we have breakfast. We had eggs and butter toast. After that I played with my new doll and then I had supper which was chicken that was so thick and yummy. It smells delicious. Then we played games with my mom and sister. We played hide and seek and red rover. Then we went to bed and I snuggled in my very soft and fluffy blanket. I know Christmas.

Haley Lewis
Gr. 4/5T, WES

I Know Christmas

I know Christmas. Christmas morning is my sister, my cousins, and me rushing down the steep stairs, looking at sparkling ornaments and beautifully wrapped presents my cats are trying to open. After that, we see if the candy cane colored elf has left any sweets behind for us adorable angel-like kids. If we do find any delicious candies, we eat all the sweet chocolate goodies before you can say "I love Christmas!" Next, it's time to wake up the adults that are as tired as 500 year old dinosaurs. Once we wake up the parents by yelling "Wakey, wakey, eggs and bakesy!", we open up our presents and stockings with joy! We go and eat our Christmas breakfast like kings. I always like the scent of sweet hot chocolate along with some smooth pancakes, crispy bacon, and the occasional cup of creamy eggnog. One of my favorite things about Christmas is seeing my family all together in one place. Christmas is my favorite holiday of the year. I know Christmas.

Sawyer Wolff
Gr. 4/5T, WES

I Know Christmas

I know Christmas. On Christmas morning standing tall in the corner wrapped in sparkling blue, red, yellow, green, and white glowing lights is the Christmas tree. There are presents wrapped in all different colours, sizes, striped, dotted, and stars. They can just be one plain colour, too! I know Christmas. The smell of mint candy canes, gingerbread, and chocolate! The mouth-watering foods like turkey, mashed potatoes, carrots, and stuffing! I hear the crunching noise from unwrapping presents, laughter filling my living room, and my brother yelling and running all over the place. I can feel the prickly Christmas tree on my fingers. I also feel the presents wrapping paper. I know Christmas.

By Luke Bergen
Gr. 4/5T, WES

December 22, 2022

Dear Santa,

Christmas is the best time of the year! At Christmas time I see stuffed stockings, and toys under the Christmas tree. I love to see the shimmering lights and Christmas decorations. I love the smell of fresh baked cookies from the oven. I want to decorate the cookies!

Playing in the snow is fun. I would like to build a snowman. I know Christmas and I love it!

From,
Sam

(Sam Marshall)
Gr. 4/5T, WES

I Know Christmas

I know Christmas with all the laughing out-loud like a lion roaring the loudest he can. The big tree with all the beautiful decorations, sparkly lights brightening up my day. I love playing with my new fun, fluffy stuffies. Playing with my new toys on Christmas day is so much fun. Running all around and around and everyone getting filled with excitement is so joyful. Smelling the nice breakfast cooking makes me hungry. Opening the presents from under the tree wondering what you will get after one present or two if your good is almost more than I can bear. I know Christmas.

Lucas Sewap
Gr. 4/5T, WES

I Know Christmas

I know about Christmas. Christmas is the most exciting thing to wake up to. At Christmas, kids are giving hugs to their family and playing with new toys. The bright red and green wrapping paper hurts my eyes when I look at it. The presents are heavy as if NASA put a rocket ship in them. The Christmas tree towers over me like the Eiffel Tower. Delicious cinnamon buns melt my tongue with a rich flavorful taste. The rich chocolate milk washes down the delicious food into my stomach. My hands can feel the rough ornaments sparkling all over the room. There are sparkles all over me and the living room. At Christmas the new toys are hard, squishy, thick and fun to play with. My brother is unwrapping the Christmas presents viciously. A piece of red and green crinkled wrapping paper flies into my face like a fighter jet. Me and my cousins are screaming to wake up our parents. I'm overwhelmed with joy once I'm done opening my presents. At Christmas, the people are laughing and people are preparing breakfast. Kids at 3:00 am are trying to open their presents early to see what they get. But their parents are yelling at the children to go to bed. My family and I play with our new toys. I know Christmas.

Rylan Crittenden
Gr. 4/5T, WES

I Know Christmas

I know Christmas. At Christmas there are lots of presents wrapped in silver, red, and green patiently waiting for my family and I to open. The shimmery lights sparkle on the Christmas tree, making the ornaments dazzle like a starry night sky. Stuffed stockings hang under the TV with candy and chocolate inside. When we go to open our presents there is lots of "Thank you" and "Wow, this is so cool!" Merry and joyful songs play constantly throughout the day. When we go to my grandma and grandpa's house, my little cousins are filled with excitement. At dinner, the taste of my grandma's homemade food melts in my mouth like ice cream on a blazing hot day. When I get up in the morning, my warm fuzzy Christmas pajamas fill me with joy and warmth. I know Christmas.

Avery MacNeill
Gr. 4/5T, WES

I Know Christmas

I know Christmas. The sound of Christmas carols playing on the TV and my brothers begging, "Wake up" or, "Can we come out yet?" The Christmas lights sparkle and dazzle in the darkness. The smooth wrapping paper rips as I exclaim, "Wow I love it!" The joy and anticipation can not stay inside of me. I feel the biggest hug from my relatives and family and it is so loving. The ornaments hang from the tree and the Santa cam is watching us open up our presents. Dazzling silver beads hang off the tree and shine in the lights as we open our presents. The stockings are hanging

from the stair railing and they are stuffed with colorful bulky toys. Gingerbread man cookies break as you dip them in your milk. The scent of the thick vanilla candle floats in the air. Christmas morning is as fun as a giant water park! I know Christmas.

Marlee Solar
Gr. 4/5T, WES

December 18, 2022

Dear Santa,

There has been a terrible mistake! I'm Megamind. I have been put on the naughty list. In my opinion, I should be on the nice list because I saved a city from a villain, I lost both of my parents, and I am an inventor. So please listen to my three reasons so I can be on the nice list.

To begin with, I saved a city from a villain! In fact I saved the city from Titan! Titan tried to knock the buildings down and injure people but I saved them. Some of the buildings were gigantic so it was hard to save all of them. One of the buildings had a girl I liked tied to it! I drove as fast as I could go to untie her!

Another reason is I lost my parents because my planet got destroyed! In fact if I could get on the nice list it would make me feel much better. I don't get to spend time with my family on Christmas because they all died on my planet. If my parents were still alive I would get kisses. But I can't get them.

Lastly, I'm an inventor. In fact, I invented an invisible car. I used the invisible car to give my beautiful girlfriend a ride. When I gave my dazzling girlfriend a ride we went out on a date! I also made an enormous robot that I could run. I used it to defeat Titan. If I got put on the nice list I would invent something to help the world. For example I could invent more robots for armies.

All in all, I really want to be on the nice list because I lost both of my parents, I saved a city and I'm an inventor. Oh Santa, please put me on the nice list!

Love, Megamind
Jennings Kelly
Gr. 4/5T, WES

December 1, 2022

Dear Santa,

There has been a terrible mistake. I heard I was placed on the naughty list. I'm Gru from Despicable Me, you may know me. In my opinion, I think I should be on the nice list because I'm an excellent parent, I'm a good person, and I'm an amazing supporter of my family.

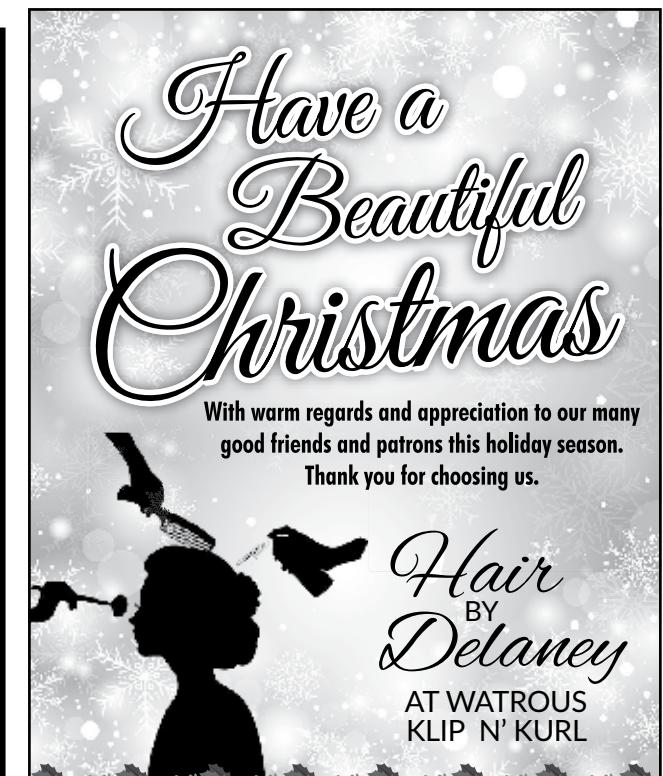
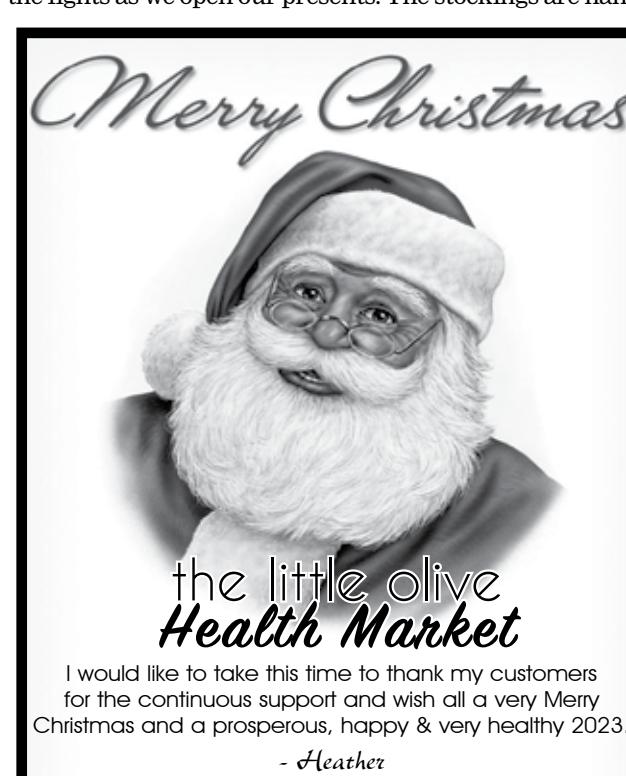
To begin with, I'm a good person. For example, I saved Lisa, my girlfriend's life from exploding. Did you know, I saved purple minions from getting hurt and turned them into yellow minions? Also, I'm not really violent to other people. Another reason, I'm an awesome parent. Did you know I adopted 3 children: Margo, Edith, and Agnes? I listen to my children if they need something. For example, I help my girls with their parties or special events. I even help them with their dreams and hopes they want to accomplish.

One last reason, I'm an amazing supporter. I supported my three children: Margo, Edith, and Agnes. I help them with their homework or if they're in trouble. Also, I support my wife Lisa. I support her with her job and around the house. Also, support the minions.

All in all, I think I should be on the nice list because I'm a good person, an excellent parent, and an amazing supporter.

Love,
Gru
(Mesa Bartel)
Gr. 4/5T, WES

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► Pictured: Carol Fest and the Town of Watrous annual Tree Lighting Ceremony, both held earlier this month.

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Darryl & Maggie Findlay

Are wishing all of our past loyal customers and friends a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

~ Darryl and Maggie

All Decked Out For The Holidays!

Everything here is looking good for a beautiful holiday season, and your continued business is the reason! With best wishes and gratitude to all our valued customers.

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Thanks for everything!
Allen Madland

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Warmest holiday wishes from Horizon's Board of Education and staff



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December 20, 2022

Dear Santa,

Please allow me to introduce myself. I am Mother Gothel from Rapunzel. I heard there has been a GREAT misunderstanding! I have been informed that I am on the naughty list! In my opinion, I should be on the nice list because I only thought Rapunzel's parents were gone, I wanted to keep her safe and I missed parenting classes. To sum it up, I feel I should be on the nice list because I thought Rapunzel's parents were gone, I was trying to keep her safe and I missed parenting classes. And hey, Santa, you still have time to move me to the nice list!

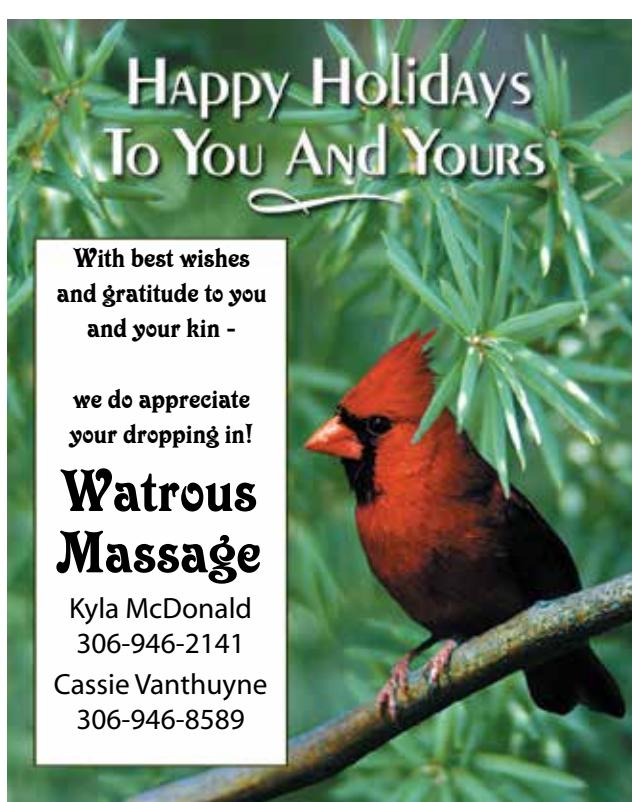
Sincerely,
Mother Gothel
(Elodie Holland)
Gr. 4/5T, WES

Dear Santa,
There has been a huge misunderstanding! I don't deserve to be on the naughty list. Here are my three reasons why.
First of all I didn't kill Moufasa, my claws slipped and the stampede caused my claws to slip.
Second of all, the lionesses do not understand what a good leader I have tried to be. Like I have made friends with enemies, the hyenas. I do so much more work than Moufasa. For example I took better care of the pride than Moufasa did like I gave them food and water.
Last of all I took the work off Simba's shoulders. I

told Simba I could take the throne so he wouldn't have to worry about the pride. I took care of the pride. I took the work of hunting off Simba's shoulders. I was kidding when I told the rest of the pride to hunt when there was no food left. After all, I am a good guy and you should put me on the nice list.

Sincerely,
Scar
(Taya McNeice)

(For more WES Holiday Fun,
see Section C)



Ashley, Jessica
Jamie & Anita
Rita & Murray

