FOR YOUR CALENDAR

Monday, December 19
      Winter Break begins—ENJOY!
Tuesday, January 3
      School resumes
Friday, January 6
      Yearbook Cover Contest entries due—sorry, no exceptions
Wednesday, January 11
      2 hour LATE START—arrival time is 10:45AM—NO BREAKFAST
Monday, January 16
      NO SCHOOL—observing MLK Jr. Day
Tuesday, January 17
      NO SCHOOL—semester break
Thursday, January 19
      PTSA Meeting—Library—7:00PM
Friday, January 20
      PTSA sponsored: Mom’s Night Out—more info to come home later
Saturday, January 28
      WVSH Senior Parent sponsored: Mother / Son Pirate Party

Message from our Principal—Mrs. Siguenza
As we say goodbye to 2022 and break for the holiday, I want to say thank you to all our families that make Cottonwood Elementary an amazing place to be. Your children help make our job here at Cottonwood so rewarding. Enjoy your loved ones this holiday. We look forward to a great 2023.

GIVING TREE
Thank you to all of the wonderful children and their families who thought of other children during this holiday season. You truly went above and beyond to help those less fortunate have a little happier holiday. Thank you for your generosity.

SILVERWOOD THEME PARK
Water Park

You can earn a FREE ADMISSION ticket to SILVERWOOD THEME PARK! All students will be bringing home a packet today explaining how they can earn a free admission ticket just by reading! Please be sure to read through the packet carefully. Deadline is March 31st.

Any questions, please email Mrs. Wood at woodr@wvsd208.org

PTSA NEWS

McTeacher Night was a huge success
THANK YOU
Cottonwood families!
You raised $1,300 in 3 hours for our school.

PTSA Meeting
Thursday, Jan. 19th
7:00PM

YEARBOOKS SALES WILL START IN JANUARY

YEARBOOK COVER CONTEST
Details on page 2

January 20th
We need DADS to help make this a great night for our moms! More details to follow the first week of January.

Happy HOLIDAYS!
Put your creativity to work!
Design a picture that represents Cottonwood Elementary and you may see your creation published on the FRONT OR BACK COVER of our yearbook!

Take your time and do your BEST work! Be creative. You have all of winter break, don’t rush.
- Do something different from what you have done in the past.
- We would like for the cover to not look like years past. Represent our school.

➡️ Guidelines ➡️

Drawing must be 8 ½ x 11 inches VERTICAL, not horizontal.

YES → 🐶 NO

- Drawing must be original, NO TRACING.
- The more color, the better! Darker drawings show up better.
  (pencil drawings don’t show up for copying purposes)
  - Drawing must represent Cottonwood Elementary.
  - Words must be spelled CORRECTLY.
  (Parents: please help with this, misspelled words will disqualify the drawing. This is very important.)

ON THE BACK OF THE DRAWING, IN PENCIL, please include:
1. First and Last Name—do not write name on the front.
2. Teacher’s name / Grade

First Place – Front Cover  Second Place – Back Cover
(Additional entries could be included inside the yearbook—space permitting)

Please give your drawing to your classroom teacher.

Deadline: Friday, January 6th

► We will not be able to accept late entries ◄