TEANECK COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL

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Hello TCCS Community,

I hope that you are doing well. I'm writing tonight with a few new announcements and updates regarding events that will be taking place in the coming week, as we approach our holiday break.

FREE COVID-19 TESTING: It was great to see so many community members take advantage of our free drive-up Covid testing today. We will continue to offer this free testing to all TCCS staff, students, and family (including extended family and caretakers) on Tuesdays in December and Thursdays in January. Please get tested as frequently as you'd like. Pre-registration is encouraged, but walk-ups will be accepted. Insurance is not mandatory. Please visit https://bit.ly/tccs-covid-dec-jan for info!

ARTS IN THE PARKING LOT WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE POSTPONED: Due to the forecasted snow storm, Thursday's clothing drive will be postponed until next Tuesday, 12/22. Please see attached for information!

REMOTE INSTRUCTION DURING INCLEMENT WEATHER: The NJ Department of Education has granted schools permission to continue with remote instruction, rather than close, in the event of inclement weather this school year. As we've already pushed our school calendar further into June due to this year's delayed start, we intend to take advantage of the opportunity to continue with instruction during this week's forecasted snow storm. Should there be widespread power or internet outages that would keep us from operating our remote instructional program, a notice will be shared via automated phone call, text message, and email.

TCCS Virtual Community Holiday Party: The entire TCCS community is invited to attend a virtual holiday party event on Tuesday, 12/22 at 6pm. Please see attached for information on this event, which will feature a community trivia game and story read-aloud!

Virtual PBIS Assembly and Holiday Concert: We will be holding a schoolwide positive behavior student assembly on Wednesday, 12/23 at 9:30am. This will be followed by a holiday concert that is being organized by Mr. Keitel. After the assembly and concert, students will meet with their homeroom classes for virtual holiday gatherings before our half-day ends at 12:30pm. Meeting information and links will be shared with students before next Wednesday.

Have a good night and a safe rest of the week!

Thanks and Best Regards,

Ralph Gallo
Lead Person / Director

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ARTs in the PARKing Lot

POSTPONED

Due to predicted weather

Until 12/22

2:00 - 4:00 pm

In lieu of our regular ARTs in the PARKing Lot event this month we will be hosting a -

Drive-Thru Clothing Collection

WHEN: Tuesday, December 22, 2020, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Please, NO early drop off and NO drop off after 4:00 PM.

WHAT: New or GENTLY used Winter Apparel - Hats, Gloves, Scarves and Socks

WHERE / HOW: This will be a drive-thru collection
in the back parking lot of TCCS, during designated times only!
Enter parking lot on Chestnut Ave - Exit on Thomas Street

There will be volunteers to help you as you drop off. If the items are in your trunk, it will be contactless with you popping your trunk and the volunteers removing your donations for you.

Tell your friends and neighbors!

If there are any questions or concerns, please contact Ms. Abbie or Mr. Keitel!

It's the most wonderful time of the year!

TCCS Virtual Holiday Pajama Party / Trivia Event and Story Time!

Tuesday, December 22 at 6:00pm

Come enjoy a virtual community event and bring your entire family!

You don't want to end up on the naughty list!

This fun-filled pajama party will begin with a Trivia Game followed by a Staff Read-a-Long of a favorite children's story.

Check your email on Tuesday – 12/22 for the ZOOM Link to the evening's festivities!

Get cozy, bring some snacks, and spend time with your TCCS Community!