

January 3, 2007

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This school year is flying by! Let me give you some important dates that will be taking place during this month:

- Jan. 4th
Geography Bee Finalists will compete to see who will qualify for the State Bee. Students in grades 3-8 will be at the assembly to watch the proceedings.
- Jan. 4th
Science Fair Information Evening, 6:30 p.m. in MOPA cafeteria. Plan on attending to learn more about the Science Fair and how to help your child with his/her project.
- Jan. 8th
OPAPO Board Meeting, 4:00 p.m., Ms. Bird's Room, OPA
- Jan. 10th
OPA Board Work Session, 4:00 p.m. in MOPA library to discuss expanding OPA past 8th grade
- Jan. 12th
MOPA Dance, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
- Jan. 15th
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – No School
- Jan. 19th
Term 2 Ends – Report Cards go home, Friday, January 26th
- Jan. 22nd
Professional Development Day – No School
- Jan. 30th
OPA Recognition Assembly, 9:00 a.m.
- Jan. 31st
MOPA Recognition Assembly, 8:35 a.m.

Please work with us by having your student here on time and prepared for school. Check your student's Planner as well as how well they are doing on PowerGrade. If you have any concerns or questions, please call the teachers, Mr. Mitchell or myself. We want your child to succeed. Working together we can provide the support your child needs for academic achievement as well as social and emotional growth.

Sincerely,
Kathy Thornburg