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THE NEWSLETTER OF

THE BORO BEAT

THE FREEHOLD BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Holiday Special

Merry Christmas



Dear Parents and Staff,

It has been a year of growth, learning, and community, and none of it would have been possible without your unwavering commitment. As we enter this festive season, I hope each of you finds time to relax, rejuvenate, and create cherished memories with your loved ones. I look forward to seeing each of you in the new year, ready for new challenges and accomplishments. May this holiday season bring joy, peace, and happiness to your homes.

Happy Holidays and Warmest Wishes,

Asia Michael, Superintendent

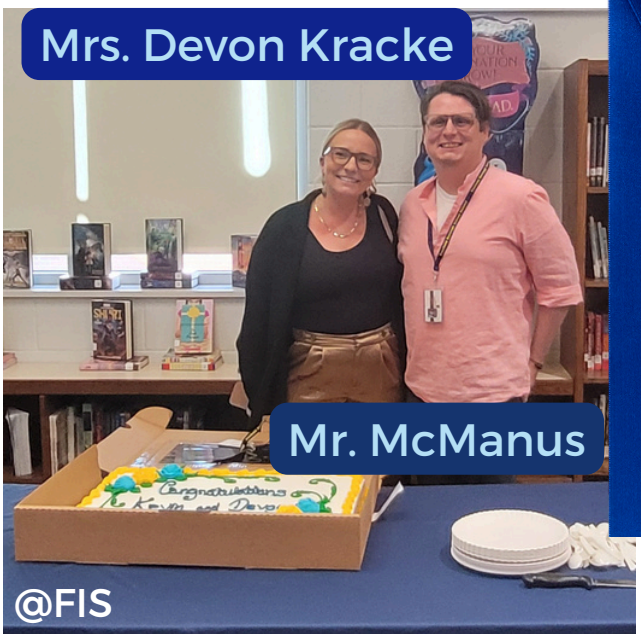
REMINDER

Arrival and Dismissal Notice

Please be advised that parking on the shoulder of Park Avenue to drop off or pick up students from Park Avenue or Freehold Intermediate schools is not permitted. The Freehold Borough Police Department will be monitoring this area more closely to ensure safety and compliance. Please make arrangements to drop off and pick up your children in designated areas to avoid any potential issues. Thank you for your cooperation in keeping our students safe.

Governor's Educators and Educational Services Professionals of the Year

We are thrilled to announce and celebrate our Educators and Educational Services Professionals of the Year! These outstanding individuals have gone above and beyond in their dedication to education, making a significant impact on our students and school community. We are incredibly grateful for the hard work, passion, and dedication these individuals bring to our school community. They embody excellence in education and serve as role models for us all. Please join me in congratulating these individuals on this well-deserved recognition. Their contributions make a lasting difference in the lives of our students and the overall success of our school.









Community Partners

Jean Marinello, Co-Cathedral of St. Bellarmine





Knights of Columbus #1672



Ritesh Shah Charitable Pharmacy

A special thank you to Adam Reich for connnecting us with Toys for Tots, Jean Marinello and the Co-Cathedral of St. Robert Bellarmine, Knights of Columbus #1672, Ritesh Shah Charitable Pharmacy, and Bethel AME Church. Their unwavering support and generosity have brought joy and relief to many families during this festive time. Their donations and efforts ensure that our students and their families can celebrate this season with hope and happiness. The toys, resources, and support provided are more than just gifts; they are symbols of care and community, reminding us all of the power of coming together to make a difference.



Toys for Tots





Bethel AME Church

Student Activities



FLC Sing-Along



PAE Holiday Shoppe

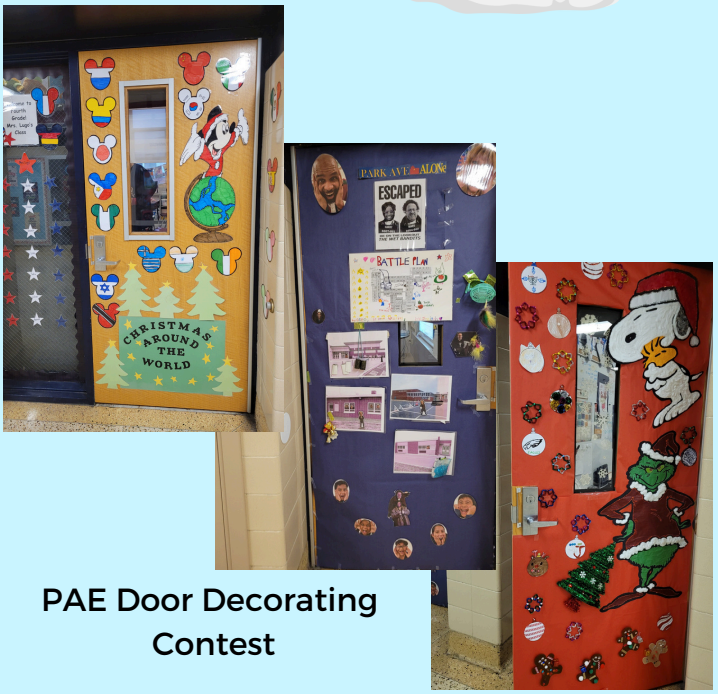


FIS Snack Cart





PAE Band



PAE Door Decorating Contest

FIS Winter Pep Rally













Happy Holidays from the Boro!





From all of us to all of you, Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, Joyous Kwanzaa, and Happy New Year!









Happy Holidays from the Boro!















January School Appreciation Days

2025

School Board Recognition Month
National Thank You Month
January 9th - National Law Enforcement Day
January 20th - Dr. Martin Luther King's Birthday





Building
Outstanding
Results &
Opportunities

January 2: School Reopens
January 6th: Board of Education meeting
January 20th: Dr. MLK's Birthday - Schools Closedl
January 21st: Board of Education meeting



Community Events:

Please check out our Community Messages Board on our website to learn about events and resources in our community. This page is updated regularly. Click **HERE** to access it.

IMPORTANT

This newsletter is supplemental to the information sent from your child's school on Friday. Please be sure to continue to look for those emails as well.





Rescheduled from December

Date: January 29th
Time: 6:30 pm
Place: Media Center
Topic: Student Wellness



Upcoming Events



FREEHOLD LEARNING CENTER

January 23rd - Chorus and Violin Concert

January 27th - Free Lead Testing (information HERE)



WINTER



FREEHOLD INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

January 30th - 9th Grade Orientation @ Freehold HS





Girls Basketball

January 6th - Asbury Park (A)
January 8th - Eatontown (H)
January 16th - Asbury Park (H)
January 21st - Lakewood (H)
January 22nd - Eatontown (A)
January 24th - Barkalow (A)



Boys Basketball



January 6th - Asbury Park (A)
January 8th - Eatontown (A)
January 13th - Lakewood (H)
January 16th - Asbury Park (H)
January 22nd - Eatontown (A)

Wrestling



January 7th - Pt. Beach (A)
January 9th - Howell North (H)
January 14th - Tinton Falls (A)
January 16th - Marlboro Middle (H)
January 21st - Eisenhower (A)
January 25th - Tournament (A)



***H = HOME A = AWAY**

CLICK HERE FOR GAMES/MATCH TIMES AND FULL WINTER SCHEDULE



FIS Choir



Lion Leaders Teach 3rd Graders About Friendship

Thank You, Ms. De Leon & Mr. Jensen!





We thank you!

Pictured above: Marin De Leon, Joe Santonacita, Paul Jensen

This past month, two long-time Board members said goodbye to our community. A heartfelt gratitude is extended to Mr. Jensen and Ms. De Leon for their dedicated service to the district. Mr. Jensen's nine years of commitment have made a lasting impact, with his leadership and vision guiding the board, administration, and staff through many important initiatives. During her three-year term, Mrs. De Leon has brought fresh perspectives and valuable insights that have greatly benefited the community. Their contributions and collaboration with the members of the Board have been instrumental in shaping the future of the district, and their presence on the board will be greatly missed. The school community deeply appreciates their hard work, dedication, and the positive changes they have helped implement. We wish them all the best in their future endeavors!

PTO HAPPENINGS









PAE PTO
ZUMBA NIGHT



January 15, 2025
6:30 PM
PAE "Old" Gym
$5 Adults/$2 Kids



