

THE TUES. NEWS 11-22-2016

BRENT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MUSEUM MAGNET PROGRAM

Coming Up

Thursday - Friday, November 25 and 26

Thanksgiving Break
No School for Students

Wednesday, November 30

PTA Board Meeting
6:30 - 8 p.m.

Friday, December 2

Professional Development Day
No School for Students

Friday - Sunday, December 2 -4

Brent's Annual Holiday Tree and
Greenery Sale
Pre-order at brentelementary.org

Wednesday, December 7

PTA General Meeting
6:30 - 8 p.m.

Monday, December 12

My School DC Lottery Application
Opens for School Year 2017-2018

Remember - For the latest updates
visit brentelementary.org, Like
Brent's Facebook page and Brent
at [@brentelementary](https://twitter.com/brentelementary) on Twitter.



Brent Bears Help Their Community with Can Drive

Thank you to everyone who contributed to this year's can drive! The cans will be included in Thanksgiving Meal Baskets that are delivered to Capitol Hill residents in need. We collected 113 cans of String Beans/Green Beans, 69 cans of Yams/Sweet Potatoes, and 88 cans Cranberry Sauce! We also collected some cans of other items that will benefit our neighbors in need. We appreciate the generosity of everyone who donated!

5th Grade Toy Drive - Donate Today

Brent's 5th grade class is collecting new toys to donate to My Sister's Place, a local Women's and Children Domestic Violence Shelter, on December 3. Please donate new toys to the front office!

Calling all Brent Bakers!

During the Saturday and Sunday hours of the Holiday Tree sale we will be selling whole pies, breads, cakes, cookies and whatever other wonderful baked goods we can get you to bring in. For the non-bakers, purchased goods are happily

accepted too.

Please see Brent website for the sign up sheet or email Lmedsker1@gmail.com.

Brent Christmas Tree Sale is Now Taking Orders!

On December 2-4-- Brent Elementary School PTA will be holding our 6th Annual Holiday Tree and Greenery sale! The website (<http://brentstore.com>) is now up for pre-orders! Home delivery of your tree (Capitol Hill only) is available for \$20 (pre-orders get delivery for \$15!). We also have a large variety of beautiful Hanukkah items for sale! If you have any questions about the Tree Sale, please email brentholidaystore@gmail.com

Calling All Brent Volunteers

On December 2-4, the Brent PTA will be holding our 6th Annual Holiday Tree and Greenery Sale! This is a huge fundraiser for the school, and cannot be done without the amazing help of Brent parents. And, well, it is a whole lot of fun! If you are willing to join our winter wonderland and volunteer for a shift or two, email Alyson Lewis at alysonandjeff@gmail.com with the times and days you are available. Shifts will be Friday 12/2 -- volunteers needed all day-- the sale is from 4:00-7:00; Saturday 12/3 -- 8:00 am-12:30 and 12:30-5:00; Sunday 12/4 -- 8:00 am-12:30 pm and 12:30-5:00.

Brent's Second Annual Health and Fitness Day Was a Huge Success!

Last Friday's Health and Fitness Day was simply awesome. The morning kicked off with an energetic morning meeting filled with dance performances, circus acts, demonstrations by Jefferson Acad-

emy's cheerleaders and football players, and a surprise flash mob performed by Brent's amazing and talented staff. Students had the opportunity to engage in two interactive sessions where they learned about nutrition, participated in fitness classes and/or focused on positive thinking. The fun-filled morning concluded with an all-school community healthy snack picnic in X Park. A huge thank you to all who helped make Health and Fitness Day such a fun and memorable event! See photos.



Photo below: Ms. Sprague's class takes a moment to write about how they are thankful for their classmates and classroom community.

