

## **Beechwood Weekly**



Monday, January 11th 2021



## Applications for Currently Enrolled Families of KP & KG Eligible Children Are Now Available.

Please call the office or fill out the questionnaire in the link below to let us know you are interested in receiving an application.

Admissions Interest Form KP & KG

# Are you Interested in Being Part of the Parent Advisory Board?

Join us on.

Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm. We are inviting parents who are interested in assuming a leadership role to participate in a planning session. This is <u>not</u> a general meeting; it is only for parents who are interested in assuming a leadership role. Interested, contact the main office or email ptaylor@beechwoodschool.org

#### **Noon Dismissal**

Wednesday, January 13th

### **Next Material Pick Up Date**

Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup>
Check on Remind or with your child's teacher to make sure you have something to pick up.

### Martin Luther King Jr. Day No School

Monday, January 18th



Highlight on Martin Luther King Jr. Day Jan. 18th, 2021

## What is the significance of this day and why do we celebrate it?

Martin Luther King, Jr. was a son, a husband, a father, a minister and a civil rights leader. He led through example and worked to bring people together, and to fight for civil rights using a model of dialog and peaceful protest. His legacy reminds us all to **Dream Big!** 

Though the fight for a holiday recognizing the significance of his contributions took years, in January 1986 it was first celebrated as a federal holiday. It was not until 2000 that every state in the union finally observed the holiday. In more recent years, finding a way to provide service has become a fundamental characteristic of this day.

#### More information:

MLK Day of Service

https://www.nationalservice.gov/serve-your-community/mlk-day-service





A message from President Obama on Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service

https://youtu.be/4OSs81RC04U

#### A few Service Ideas in our current environment:

- Volunteer to clean up trash with your family around a neighborhood
- 2. Help an elderly neighbor with raking their yards or gardening
- 3. Call senior citizens you know who live alone and check if they need anything
- Gather combs, toothbrushes, shampoo, razors etc. to make "I Care" kits for people who are homeless
- Choose a family "energy watchdog" to shut off lights, television, and dripping sinks when not in use.