



K-2 FIREWEED NEWSLETTER  
December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2016

HAPPENINGS!

Best Wishes for a Happy and Safe Holiday Season  
and a Happy New Year!

Celebration of Forces in Dance & Song

Thanks so much for coming! What a great celebration!

Short Spirit Week! -

- ROY-G-BIV Day on Tuesday (Rainbow colors - Red, Orange, Yellow, Green, Indigo, Violet)
- Pajama Day with a Stuffy on Wednesday

NITTY GRITTY INFORMATION

HEARTY THANK YOUS

- Hats off to Kara for a great dance residency!
- Thanks to our classroom aides... Eliza, Torie and Duffy!

Upcoming K-2 Dates: Mark your calendars!

Weds Dec 21 <sup>st</sup>	Last day of school before Winter Break
Thurs. Dec 22 <sup>nd</sup>	No School/Teacher In-Service/Winter Break Begins
Mon. Jan 9 <sup>th</sup>	First Day back at school!

**From Student Nutritional Service**

Reapplying for Meal Benefits

Due to the reduced 2016 PFD, KPBSD Student Nutrition Services would like to encourage families that may have applied and were denied for Free lunches or qualified for reduced lunches but think they may qualify for free lunches to reapply after January 1, 2017.

If you have not applied for Free or reduced meal benefits for this school year and would like to know if you qualify, please fill out the application and submit.

Meal benefits applications may be applied for online at [www.kpbsd.k12.ak.us](http://www.kpbsd.k12.ak.us). The application is located on the Students/Parents page then scroll down to **online meal application** or you may pick up an application at any of the KPBSD schools or the Student Nutrition office at 139 E. Park Ave. Soldotna.

### **VOLUNTEER INFO – It's not too late !!**

There are as many ways to volunteer as there are Fireweed families and we welcome you to contact our volunteer coordinator to find out how you can contribute. We'll work hard to match parents (or grandparents, aunts or uncles!) with work that fits their schedule, time and talents. Please consider joining our volunteer pool today in order to make this process more efficient.

- \*\* To learn more, email [fireweedvolunteer@gmail.com](mailto:fireweedvolunteer@gmail.com) or call/text Susannah at 907-299-4317
- \*\* And don't forget to complete the online volunteer screening. Start here:  
<https://www.applitrack.com/kpbsd/onlineapp/application.aspx?starting=true>