

# Weekly Message from North Canaan Elementary School

## Friday, December 4, 2020

*Click on the blue underlined links.*



**PJ Day for Kids** is next Friday, December 11th and we are hoping students will consider joining in. PJ Day is a way for schools, businesses and organizations to come together to show support for kids fighting cancer at Connecticut Children's. On PJ Day people throughout Connecticut and western Massachusetts wear PJs in solidarity with patients who have no choice but to wear

theirs, as they undergo treatment for prolonged periods of time. Participants are asked to donate \$1 or more in exchange for this privilege.

Cancer wasn't cancelled during the pandemic, so PJ Day for the Kids won't be either. As long as children are battling cancer and the expert staff are treating them at CCMC, the Center for Cancer & Blood Disorders needs your support. **Wear your PJs in-person or virtually, and we can all stand together with kids battling cancer and blood disorders. Bring your \$1 to school next Friday or [donate online through this link for our school.](#)**

**NCES Family Check-In:** Every week we will continue to send this Family Check-In form. We want to know how you are doing during these difficult times. It is a very quick form that we will use to help in any way that we can.

***Late Arrivals:*** If your child(ren) will be arriving after drop-off time, later than 8:40 am, please drop them off in the front semi-circle drive. Call the main office at 860-824-5149 when you have arrived so we may come let your child(ren) in. All late arrivals will need to be checked in by the office staff.

**AHA December Newsletter:** Please click the link to read more about AHA.

Click any of the following links for virtual activities happening soon:

[Virtual Girl Scouting](#)

[A Celebration of Young Photographers](#)

[A Gift from Nature](#) [Un Regalo De La Naturaleza](#)

[Get Moving](#) [Muevanse](#)

["Moo"vin and Groovin Together](#)

***PTO Thanks and the Butter Braid Sale:*** Butter braids and cake rolls will arrive on Monday, December 14. You may pick them up beginning at about 3:20 pm in the front semi-circle drive, as soon as all of the buses have left the campus. Please arrive by 5 pm. The PTO wishes to thank you for your ongoing generosity and to let you know that an appreciation event is being planned for the spring.

***Greetings from the NCES Library:*** Great news! Reserving library books online is now easier than ever! On the student Chromebooks click on the '[nceschool.org](#) bookmarks' tab in the top left corner of the screen, then click on 'Destiny Discover.' This will take you directly to the library catalog. Remember to log in using the child's first initial of the first name and full last name. The password is *nces*. Click 'Hold' to reserve books. Books will be brought to students' classrooms. Happy Reading!

***You can always reach me at [aroy@nceschool.org](mailto:aroy@nceschool.org) or (860) 824-5149.***

Stay Safe and Well throughout the Holiday Season,

Dr. Roy

Principal