**- Show Your Tiger Pride -**

**Twins Day on Friday!**

**New Student Registration**

**For the 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR**

**Begins Monday, December 2, 2024**

**\*\*Transitional Kindergarten through 6th Grade\*\***

\*\*\*Children who ***turn four*** by September 1, 2025 are eligible for transitional kindergarten-TK. Children entering Kindergarten must turn five by September 1, 2025. Spread the word!

**INTERDISTRICT TRANSFERS**

Out of district families must submit an interdistrict transfer form to your district of residence between December 1, 2024 and February 1, 2025. **Renewal forms have been sent home,** and are available in both school offices and on our website. You must have the form approved by your district of residence to attend your district of choice. ***Remember: This process is required annually for all out of district students, including current students!***

**CUTTEN GIRLS’ BASKETBALL**

The girls’ team came in first place in the Sunnybrae Tournament this weekend! Congratulations! They play their final games on Tuesday, 12/10, at 4:00 at South Bay and Wednesday, 12/11, at 4:00 at Winship.

**CUTTEN BOYS’ BASKETBALL**

The boys’ tryouts were last week. Shout out to all of the kids who tried out! Practices have started for both teams.

**RIDGEWOOD ATTENDANCE**

Due to the inclement weather, we have observed a significant increase in the number of students arriving late to school each morning. To ensure a smooth start to your child’s school day, please aim to arrive by 8:00 AM at Ridgewood. Thank you for your cooperation.

**PIZZA FUN NIGHT**

Join us at Round Table Pizza, located at 2810 E Street, on December 18th from 5 to 9 PM to support our PTA.

We look forward to seeing you there!

**LOST AND FOUND**

Unclaimed items will be donated on December 21. Please have your child check the rack.

**INVITATIONS AND TOYS**

We encourage everyone to take part in birthday celebrations. However, if a student wishes to distribute birthday invitations to students in their class or a different class, we kindly ask that they give the invitations to the classroom teacher, who will manage the distribution. Additionally, please remind your children that toys should remain at home unless there's a special class event, and giving gifts to friends at school is not permitted. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

**SPIRIT WEAR**

The Spirit wear orders should be arriving early this week. 

**COAT DRIVE**

We are collecting coats for kids! You can drop off new or gently used coats at either school! See flier below.

| **Winter Break**  December 23 – January 3, 2024  School resumes Monday, January 6  **Early Dismissal on Friday, December 20**  Ridgewood • 1:05 p.m. Cutten • 1:40 p.m. |
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**STUDENT COUNCIL FOOD DRIVE**

Cutten School is collecting donations of canned food and non-perishable food items for the Food Bank from December 16-19. Please send donations to your child’s classroom.

**HOLIDAY SUPPORT**

If your family or a family you know, is in need of extra support over the holidays, you can find links to community resources on our website, in the [School Social Work](https://cuttensd.org/student-services/social-work-programs/)  tab.



