

# **DECEMBER 2022**

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# **5 FANTASTIC CHRISTMAS IDEAS TO DO AT HOME**

### MAKE COLORFUL MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR MESSAGE CARDS

Writing messages and letters is always special part of Christmas preparation. Let your children help you with this. All you need - some cards, colorful markers, and some creativity to write messages for merry Christmas and happy new year. It would be a loving reminder for children's grandparents, aunties, and aunts who are living far away and missing their time with family.

#### SET PROJECTOR AND THE LARGE SCREEN FOR KIDS' CHRISTMAS MOVIE TIME

Have a cozy family evening watching one of the Christmas movies together or provide your children with snacks and let them invite friends for children's only movie night. You don't have much to do – just bring a projector screen and pick up your children's favorite Christmas movie.

## ENCOURAGE THEM TO CRAFT THEIR OWN CHRISTMAS TREE

Buy some felt fabric, scissors, cutters, and some shapes to cut the Christmas crafting. To create Christmas Tree, you can use your imagination or find some "Easy DIY Felt Christmas Tree" for Toddlers on YouTube.

Be flexible with children's age. Teenagers may do everything by themselves, younger kids may need your help with cutting and supervision during the process, and for very young kids, you can simply purchase ready-made Christmas....

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# **IMPORTANT DATES**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2 Christmas Concert

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16 Last day of school before winter break

## MONDAY, DECEMBER 19 - 23

Winter Break Care available for Out of School Care children at Parkland location

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23

Christmas Eve, holiday Center closes at 3:00pm

## **TUESDAY, JANUARY 3**

Center Reopens!



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# REMINDERS

- Extra Clothing Updates: Please provide us with extra clothing for children (top to toe) and update the bag as we are approaching with chilly and wet weather!
- Christmas concert will take place on Friday, December 2nd at 4:30pm in the Parkland Elementary school gym.
- Winter Break Care is starting December 19th – 23rd and available for Out of School Care Program children with \$100 fee. The Sign up is available in the classroom or via website.
- Please note, on December 23rd, the center will close at 3pm.
- Center will re-open on the 3rd of January!
- Please review the Winter Extreme Weather Procedure Policy here: http://parklandplayers.com/ wp-content/uploads/2017/12/ Extreme-Weather-Letter-to-Parents.pdf
- Scholastic flyers have been sent through Himama. Our class code is RC149292
- Please note, we are Nut free and low sugar facility. Please do not pack any nut or high sugar snacks, lunch, or drinks.

# **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

This month's theme is Christmas and winter!

# ACTIVITIES FOR HOME AND SCHOOL



WINTER BREAK IDEA: HOW TO MAKE A FAMILY TREE WITH YOUR CHILDREN

Winter break is perfect time for family's activities. The great one is to create a family tree together with your little ones.

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CHECK OUT OUR SIMPLE CHRISTMAS TREE MAKING ACTIVITY

This is a fun and easy activity to practice gross motor skills and create a winter holiday's atmosphere.

### Read the Instructions



HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO EVERYONE!

FOR ANY ENQUIRIES, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO REACH OUT BY EMAIL OR PHONE.

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