

December

Today is "B" Day

Ahood Said sent us this very wise quote:

"Everyone thinks of changing the world, but no one thinks of changing himself/herself!"

You are so right Ahood! Change starts with you.



AVID Store Open for Business

Avid Store is now open for business. Here are our students promoting their products:

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Cheer Bake Sale: Dec. 09

Cheer Bake Sale will be held on Friday, December 9th! Come enjoy lots of sweet treats and help support your Stout Falcon cheerleaders! Thanks - Ms. Poloni



Relay for Life Meeting: Dec. 13

The Relay For Life Committee will have its first meeting on Tuesday, December 13th after school! If you are interested in being involved in this committee to help

fight back against cancer please see Ms. Poloni in C-8 for details and Sign Up! Meeting will be held in Room C-8 as well. Thanks - Ms. Poloni

Stout's Strolling Winter Concert: Dec. 19

Stout's Strolling Winter Concert will be held at Stout Middle School Auditorium on Monday, December 19, 2016 from 6:30-8:00 pm. Parents, family, and guests will be treated to 14 different ensembles, Christmas carols, and holiday decorations. Guests will be able to purchase hot chocolate, coffee, candy grams, food, and even get a personalized bulb for their performers! Please invite as many people as possible, bring your holiday cheer and a little cash to support our music program. Thanks - Jim Walters



No Games Club Friday, Dec. 09

There will be no Games Club this Friday, Dec. 09. Games Club members should take their normal form of transportation home after school. Thanks - Mr. Melvin



Annual Holiday Toy Drive for Salvation Army

Student Council is sponsoring a collection of NEW toys for the holidays. A/A teachers will collect toys beginning Monday, Dec. 05 through Friday, Dec. 09.

Candy Gram Sale

Candy Grams will be on sale during all lunches on Thursday, Dec. 08 – Tuesday, Dec. 20. Send a holiday message to your friends for just \$.50. Delivery of candy will be on the Thursday Dec. 22.



STC Presents Stand and Deliver: Dec. 15, 16

Come on down to see Jaime Escalante, a high school teacher at Garfield High, tap into the potential of a group of Los Angeles inner-city kids struggling with school, money, violence, and love. Stout Theater Company will present "Stand and Deliver" on December 15th & 16th @7 PM! Tickets are sold at the door!

Falcon Fund Winners: Nov. 28 – Dec. 02

The Falcon Fund winners for the week Nov. 28 – Dec. 02 can pick up their wear-a- hat, Lunch-with-headphones, or Front-of-the-Line passes from:



Mr. Lambdin, Room H-2

Mr. bloye, Room F-2

Mr. Hool, Room C-3

Mohamad Hammoud Grade 8
 Mohammed Alsaedi Grade 8
 Jaber Abusenenh Grade 8

Afdal Altai Grade 7
 Murad Mohamed Grade 7
 Jazzlyn Villarreal Grade 7

Malak Alkirsh Grade 6
 Shahed Alabdulrahman Grade 6
 Erik Mesi Grade 6



Stout Annual Canned/Boxed Food Drive: Nov. 28 – Dec. 14

This year's canned/boxed food drive will begin on Monday, Nov. 28 and run until Wednesday, Dec. 14th. Last year we collected over 2000 pounds of food that was distributed to local families in times of need. Please start bringing your donations to your A/A and remember that *when you fill a stomach, you also fill a heart.* Thank you – Mr. Bennett

Dentists R Us at Stout: Dec. 16

On Friday, Dec. 16, 2016, Dentists R Us will provide Free Dental Preventive Services in the Team Room at Stout Middle School. Take advantage of this opportunity, and visit Mr. Sabra who will print the required form for your parents/guardian to fill in.





Math League Registration Deadline: Jan. 20

Our Math League 2016-2017 contest will be held on either Feb. 21, or Feb. 28, 2017. The registration deadline is on Friday, Feb. 17, 2017. Stout results last year were not bad, but we can still do better. Have an early start and prepare a little better. Top scorers will get a Math League T-shirts along with Certificates of Merit, and other prizes, while all participants will get Certificates of participation and a Pizza Lunch.

Let your teacher know if you want to participate, or contact Mr. Sabra.

Make sure you visit the school's blog to download samples of the questions and practice them.

GeoBee Registration Deadline: Jan. 20

Our GEOBEE contest will be held in the last week of January 2017. Certificates of Merits and a Pizza Lunch will be provided to the top scorers of each grade. The top prizes in the National Championship are \$50,000, \$25,000 and \$10,000 scholarships plus seven \$500 cash prizes.

Let your teacher know if you want to participate, or contact Mr. Sabra.

Last year was a good start for Stout. Let us make this year better. Please keep these dates in mind!



Jan. 20, 2017	Deadline for Registration
Jan. 23 – 27, 2017	Stout School Bees
Feb. 6, 2017	Deadline for completion of state bee qualifying tests.
Mar. 31, 2017	State Bees
May 15-17, 2017	National Championship at National Geographic Society Headquarters, Washington, D.C.
May 19, 2017	National Geographic Channel & Nat Geo WILD broadcast championship at 8 p.m. EDT