

*“Cheers to a new year and another chance for us to get it right.”*

**Oprah Winfrey**

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Happy New Year! I hope everyone was able to use the break to relax and rejuvenate.

Time is moving quickly and January is going to be a busy month, full of activities and special events. While your Student and Family Handbook is always a handy reference, I thought it might be helpful to start the new year by double checking that you have the following dates/times on your calendars:

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| January 8                | School will be dismissed at 10:40AM for the third and final parent/guardian and teacher conference session. |
| January 13               | 7:00 PM 7 <sup>th</sup> and 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Winter Chorus Concert                                     |
| January 13               | 6:00-7:00 PM Principal’s Drop-in Hour   |
| <b><u>January 20</u></b> | <b>7:00 PM Winter Band Concert</b>  |
| January 23               | 6:30-8:30 PM 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Dance  |
| January 23               | The end of the first semester; report cards to follow   |

Finally, our relevant and popular Parent Forums are on the horizon and a flyer is forthcoming. Presentations will include Haggling about Homework, School Discipline, and Stress Management. Be on the look-out for information coming soon!

Have a wonderful week.