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Important Upcoming Dates

Now-December 9: Barnes & Noble Fundraiser Now-December 12: Five Below Fundraiser

December 10: Restaurant Night, Noodles & Company
December 10: Enrichment Program Registration Ends

December 12: Enrichment Program Late Registration Ends

December 15: Winter Chorus Concert December 19: 2-Hour Early Release

December 22-January 2: No School, Winter Break

Restaurant Night at Noodles & Company is THIS Wednesday!

Take a break from this month's hectic schedule, and join friends and neighbors for an evening out for dinner. The Mantua PTA is hosting a restaurant night this **Wednesday**, **December 10th from 5:00-9:00 p.m.** at the **Noodles & Company** on Main Street in Fairfax City. Come and dine on noodles, pasta, soup, salad, sandwiches, and dessert. It's all delicious and a crowd pleaser! Visit **noodles.com** for more menu details. Dine in or take out. Be sure to mention the Mantua PTA at the time of purchase and 25% of the evening's proceeds will go to the Mantua PTA. Buon Appetito!

Winter Enrichment Programs Registration Ends THIS Week

Registration for the Winter 2015 Session began last week and runs through 12:00 noon on December 10th. Late registration will be available from December 10th to December 12th at noon. Late registrations are only accepted from December 10-12 for an additional \$40 fee.

Find class descriptions, program information, and the registration link <u>HERE</u>. For more information please contact the Mantua Enrichment Coordinators, <u>Shannon Murphy</u> and <u>Liz Schatzman</u>.

Five Below Fundraiser Continues Through THIS Friday!

Support the Mantua PTA while you do your holiday shopping! Shop during the week of **December 4th-12th** at the Five Below at Pickett Shopping Center, and 10% of every Mantua dollar spent will be donated back to the PTA. You'll need to present **THIS FLYER**.

Barnes & Noble Online Fundraiser Ends Wednesday!

The Barnes & Noble fundraiser continues through this Wednesday. The Mantua PTA will earn a percentage of every sale when you visit bn.com/bookfairs through **December 9th**. Be sure to enter the code number 11439924 at checkout. Thank you for supporting the Mantua PTA!

Book Fair Back Orders Have Been Delivered

All back orders have been delivered to the classrooms. If you were expecting a back order and have not received it, please contact **Lori Recher**. Thank you for supporting the library!

Join Woodson Precisionettes for Friday Halftime Show

For the first and only time, the award winning Woodson High School Precisionettes are inviting your budding dancers to join them for a 3-hour workshop and a halftime dance performance during the Woodson girls varsity basketball game vs. Annandale!

Date: Friday, December 12th

Time: 4:00-7:00 p.m. (game starts at 7:30 p.m.)

Cost: \$45 (includes pizza, t-shirt, and child admission to the

game)

Participants: kindergarten through 8th graders

Place: W.T. Woodson Dance Room and Auxiliary Gym

Students should bring/wear sneakers (dance shoes optional), shorts/dance pants, and a shirt. Please contact **Yelena Jones** to get a sign up form. The space is very limited so please email ASAP.

Thank You to Friends of Rocky!

Thanks to all who made a "Friends of Rocky" Donation – the PTA appreciates your support!

Anne and Sarah Harrington, Long and Foster

Realtors: Diamond Level

Tracey Relyea: Platinum Level

Dr. James McDonough Orthodontist: Bronze Level

Pickett Cleaners: Bronze Level

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