

From the  
*Principal's Pen*

In 1963, Edward Lorenz presented a hypothesis to the New York Academy of Science. His theory stated simply, was that:

*A butterfly could flap its wings and set molecules of air in motion, which would move other molecules of air, in turn moving more molecules of air—eventually capable of starting a hurricane on the other side of the planet.*

Lorenz and his ideas were literally laughed out of the conference. What he had proposed was ridiculous. It was preposterous. But it was fascinating!

Therefore, because of the idea's charm and intrigue, the so-called "butterfly effect" became a staple of science fiction, remaining for decades a combination of myth and legend spread only by comic books and bad movies.

So imagine the scientific community's shock and surprise when, more than thirty years after the possibility was introduced, physics professors working from colleges and universities worldwide came to the conclusion that the butterfly effect was *authentic, accurate, and viable*.

Soon after, it was accorded the status of a "law." Now known as ***The Law of Sensitive Dependence Upon Initial Conditions***, this principle has proven to be a force encompassing more than mere butterfly wings.

## Calendar of Events



### DECEMBER

- Dec. 13 Sand Point School Christmas Bazaar ( 1 - 4 PM)
- Dec. 12, 13 Book Fair
- Dec. 12 Poetry Slam 1:00 pm
- Dec. 17-19 Girls BB @ KVC
- Dec. 17-19 Boys BB vs KVC (Here)
- Dec. 18 End of Quarter
- Dec. 18 Christmas Break Begins
- Dec. 19 Teacher Workday
- Dec. 25 Merry Christmas!

### JANUARY

- Jan 1 Happy New year!
- Jan. 5 Back to School
- Jan. 15,16, 17 Basketball tournament in Sand Point -- Eight team tournament!



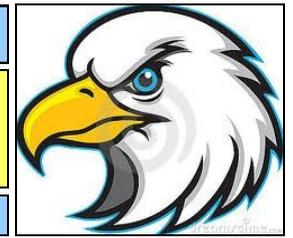
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Helping you keep an Eye on what's happening at Sand Point School

# THE EAGLE EYE

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**More than three hundred people attended the Sand Point Christmas Concert Wednesday Evening. It featured students in grades PreK - 12. Mr. Herndon was the conductor.**

**It was a good combination of vocal and instrumental, new and old, and traditional and more modern. But, it was all good. The evening was capped off by all those in attendance joining in to sing three traditional Christmas carols. And, finally, Santa arrived to greet all kids of any age !!!**



**Christmas has many, many names. Do you know some of them—aside from, of course, Christmas? How about? *Sheng Tan Kuai Loh* (China), or *Hauskaa Joulua* (Finland), or *Joyeux Noel* (France)? In Wales, it's *Nadolig Llawen*, and in Sweden, *God Jul*.**



**Thank you Trident Seafoods and Nyberg's Culinary Arts Class for the cookies provided for our Christmas concert. We really appreciate your care and concern for kids and their activities.**



## Wrestling



**December 11-13  
State @ ACS**

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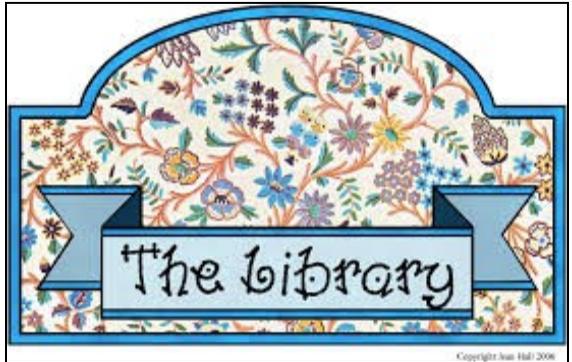
**Good Luck Alex Gilbert &  
Ethan Mack  
Go for the Gold at the  
State Tournament**



**CHRISTMAS TWINS, TWINS**

## POOL OPEN

Sunday — Pool Closed  
Monday Thru Saturday  
 6:30-7:30 PM Open Swim  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
 5:30-6:30 PM Water Aerobics  
Tues, Thurs, Saturday  
 5:30 PM-6:30 PM Family Swim  
Monday and Friday  
 9:00 - 10:00 AM Water Aerobics



**Evening Hours  
Mon. Thru Sat.  
6:00 -- 8:30**

In Poland, spiders or spider webs are common Christmas trees decorations because according to legend, a spider wove a blanket for Baby Jesus. In fact, Polish people consider spiders to be symbols of goodness and prosperity at Christmas.

## OPEN GYM

Sunday—Gym Closed  
**Monday —Thursday**  
 6:30-8:00 K-6th Grade Open Gym  
 8:00-9:30 7th Grade-Adult Open Gym  
**Friday— Gym Closed**  
**Saturday**  
 6:30 PM-8:00 PM K-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Open  
 8:00 PM-9:30 PM 7<sup>th</sup> Grade-Adult Open Gym

  
**BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS**

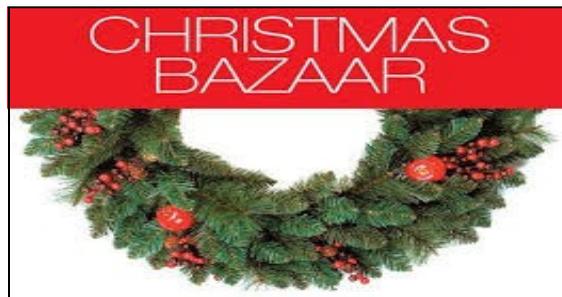
**No Boys & Girls club this month.**



The world's largest Christmas stocking measured 106 feet and 9 inches (32.56 m) long and 49 feet and 1 inch (14.97 m) wide. It weighed as much as five reindeer and held almost 1,000 presents. It was made by the Children's Society in London on December 14, 2007.



**Junior High Choir**



Class of 2019 will be having their raffle during the Sand Point School Christmas Bazaar:  
 December 13, 2014  
 Time: 1:00-4:00 PM  
 There are still a few tickets left \$10 each...

**Raffle Items:**

- iPhone 5S iTunes
- \$25 Gift Card
- Water Sea Dragon
- Soda Stream w/Flavors
- Salmon Sisters Hoodie
- Eagles T-Shirt
- Homemade Bag
- By Jennifer Eubank
- \$500.00 CASH
- 22LB BOX OF KING CRAB
- Aleut Head Dress
- Scentsy Plug-in with Scent

**Class of 2019**  
**will also be selling**  
**ICE CREAM SUNDAES!**



Mia, Iris, Xavier, Eppenei, Avi, Jordan Karlsen, Jeremy, Tyler, Charlotte, Peter, Donovan, Leah, Eugene, Vann, Landon, Keeley, Keira, Morgan, Lexus, Julian, Rowdy, Summer Walls, Brooke, Kaatje, Hawk, Kailey, Jeremy Cogo, Josh Masa, Joshua Faunillan, Chance, Ashton, Emily, Acey, Alexia, Darius, Jermaine, Deven Roehl, Summer Davis, Brittany, Michael, Felicia, Breeanna, Dantezza, Jonni, Jillian, Alyssa

**75%**

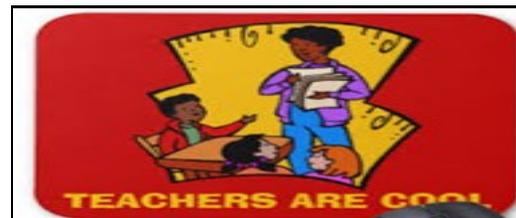
Ava, Carson, Billy, Saylor, Paige, Latasha, Wolf

**50%**

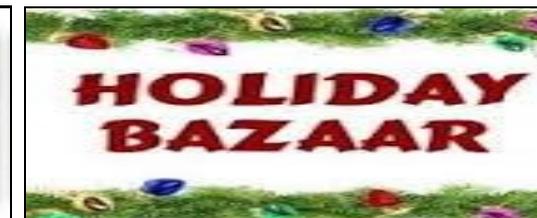
Deven O, Mathew, Julieanne, Parker, Justin, Naomi, Colten, Evan, Silvanna, Michael H, Madison

**25%**

Vivian, Emanuel, Tristin, Chloe, Desiree, Marieanna, Dick, Isaac, Savannah, Mason, Boston



Danny Robb teaches 8th grade math, wood working, welding and P.E. at Sand Point School. Mr. Robb has been married for twelve years to the wonderful, beautiful, big hearted, 2nd grade teacher, Candace Robb. He describes himself and his wife as very adventurous people. Last year they were in Ketchikan, Alaska, Mr. Robb liked it there but was not fond of the near constant rain. He likes it better here in Sand Point, he says the town is very inviting, friendly and not near as rainy as Ketchikan. Robb enjoys all the students and is impressed that they are eager to try and learn new things. His woodworking classes and welding are working on school improvement projects right now. They've been making ladders, basketball storage boxes and holes that go underneath the school. The students here at Sand Point have responded very well to Mr. Robb and his humor. He thinks he is very funny, and a few, might even agree with him. His favorite kind of humor is cerebral humor, subtle humor that makes you think. Hopefully Mr. Robb and his gorgeous, hilarious, and intellectual wife will stay in Sand Point for many years.



**SCHOOL HOLIDAY BAZAAR**  
**COMING TO SAND POINT SCHOOL**  
**The class of 2015 is sponsoring the**  
**2014 School**  
**Christmas Bazaar.**

***This yearly event will be held***  
***on Saturday,***  
***December 13; 1-4 pm***

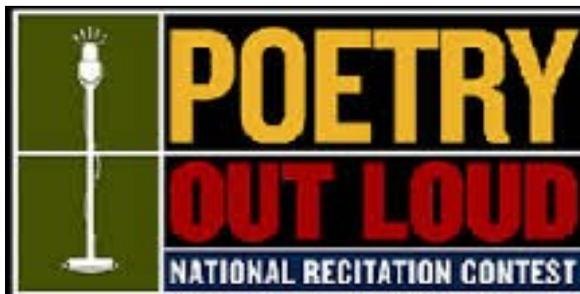
***We will be selling tables for***  
***\$20.00. To get your table re-***  
***served, you can call the***  
***school or sign up outside the***  
***office. Act quickly, the ta-***  
***bles are moving fast! We will***  
***collect the table fee at the***  
***bazaar.***

***There will be many raffles,***  
***food and crafts. Bring your***  
***family out for a day of fun!***

**Christmas purchases account for**  
**1/6 of all retail sales in the U.S**  
**That's a lot of green!**



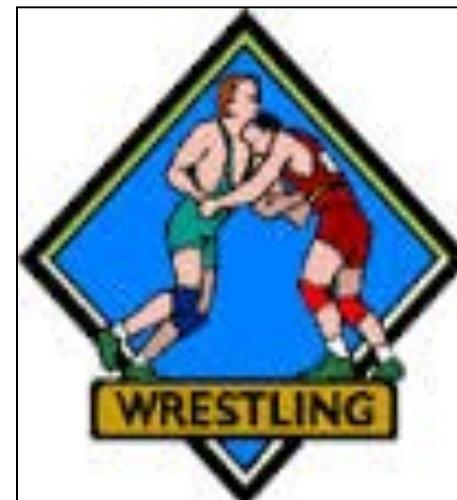
Ms. Heidi from the library says that students must have 100% by 12/18/14 to attend the **AR Party on 1/9/15**



**First Annual Poetry Competition**  
**Sand Point High School**  
**You are Invited!**  
**Friday, Dec 12**  
**1:00 PM in the Gym**  
**Cash Prizes**



**In the School Library**  
**December 12 and 13**  
**Friday 6-8**  
**Saturday 1-4**  
**Thousand of titles**  
**Help us purchase more**  
**Books for Our Kids**



**Alex Gilbert**  
**Far Right**



**Ethan Mack**

Question? "How do you tell a story that is so unbelievably amazing that no one in their right mind would believe you?" Listen to this....

>Mary Lee - Imagine a wrestling match where two girls are battling for dominance. Second period begins where both are facing each other. One girl locks the other in a head and arm, throws the other girl completely over her body slamming her into the mat and 20 seconds later..... SLAP... PINNED. Yep, that is what Mary Lee did to win 5th place at the regional tournament. Pictures included in this email of Mary Lee's triumphant victory.

>Ethan Mack - Imagine losing to a wrestler earlier in a tournament and having the opportunity for revenge, so to speak. Ethan lost to this kid in his first match. During the tournament while watching this kid wrestle we found some weaknesses, so when the time came to face the kid again, we knew exactly what to do.... 1st period, play, play, play... ride em... 2nd period, play, play, play... ride em.. 3rd period... kid out of breath, out of shape. Gooooo!!!! underarm throw, to the back... 20 seconds later.. SLAP!!!! PINNED.. It was an awesome performance from Ethan. Listened well, rode the kid well, didn't take chances... BAM... Victory... 3rd place metal at regionals

>Alex Gilbert - Story goes almost the same way. Alex lost to this kid (Dillingham) earlier in the tournament for his first lost, but mostly out of fear. Big Kid! We watched this kid wrestle the tournament, watched for his weaknesses, found it. "Alex, this kid goes to his back for a second, he is done." "Got it coach!" "Alex, no chances, stay away from him".. "Got it coach." 1st period - score 0-0. No one wins a point, Alex listening to the strategy. Second period - Alex on bottom, gets away, stays away from him.... Lots of rolling around.. Very intense situations.. 3rd period - Alex on top. Lots of scrambling. Kid tries to do some creative moves, bam, Alex rolls him, finds himself on top somehow, finds the kids head and arm.. "SQUEEZE!!!!!!" we yell. "SQUEEZE!!!!" we yell. One minute goes by, Alex is still squeezing. Finally, the kid gives a last gasp! Can't breath.... SLAP... PINNED!!!! Alex takes 3rd place metal at regionals..

I have to say. This was an amazing day! The kids are so elated, it is hard to keep them under control. However, they are great kids. Proud to have been here with this group!

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