

Peru Intermediate School

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Upcoming Events

January 7

School-Wide Spelling Bee
@ 9:30 AM in HS Audit.

January 9

PTO Meeting @ 6 PM

January 11

Peru Pride/Celebration of
Excellence Assembly @
2:00 PM in CB

January 16

- Elementary Band &
Orchestra Concert @ 6
PM in the HS Audit.

January 21

Martin Luther King Jr. Day
School Closed

January 25

Interim Reports Go Home

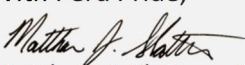
January 28 – Feb. 1

Bridge Arts Ensemble
Workshops

Happy New Year, friends and families! We wish you all the best in 2019! As we close a banner 2018 year for our Intermediate school, I want to thank you, our families, for all of your support, dedication, trust, enthusiasm and care for your child's education. Peru Pride starts with you at home, and I thank you for your partnership!

- The month of December featured many festive celebrations through which our school community grew closer. Check out our website and Twitter feed to see these moments and the reverse side for some fun pictures.
- **Peru Pride Assembly:** Students participated in an amazing assembly on the character strength of Gratitude. This featured Ms. Charland leading the school in a Mindful Moment as well as our fifth grade student leaders showing us how they use the strength of Gratitude around school by surveying all students to find out what they appreciate about our school team members and then surprising them at the assembly.
- **Peru Pride Celebration of Excellence on January 11 at 2 PM:** This assembly will feature the strength of Self-control, and we will celebrate our students' accomplishments from the first trimester. All of our families are invited!
- **Media Club & PE-TV:** We released our first newscast last month. Kudos to all involved in this project and a special shout-out to Mr. Mitchell, our sage behind the stage, and Tom Messner for his guest appearance. More great news coverage to come from this group!
- **PTO Spaghetti Dinner Huge Success!** Thanks to our PTO for hosting a fun night with Santa last month for our families. Lots of smiles, fun, and full bellies for all!
- **Instructional Technology:** Recently, our district was approved for Smart Bond Phase 2 money. This means that our fifth grade students will be receiving Chromebooks for use in the classroom at a 1:1 ratio in February. Our faculty and staff have done an excellent job of learning various ways to enhance student learning through the use of such technology, and we are excited for this next step.
- **Progress Reports & SchoolTool:** On Friday, January 25th, interim progress reports go home with all students for the second trimester. Please know that all parents and guardians have access to their child's records online through the Parent Portal on SchoolTool. At the elementary level, this includes report cards, progress report grades, attendance, and discipline records. If you do not have an account, please contact Mrs. Nugent, and she will be happy to help (643-6404 or snugent@perucsd.org).

With Peru Pride,


Matthew J. Slattery, Principal

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