





# South Abington Elementary School January 2023 Newsletter


### Important Dates

- **January 9<sup>th</sup>**  
PBIS Blowout for December
- **January 11<sup>th</sup>**  
PTA Meeting— SAE Library @6:00 PM
- **January 16<sup>th</sup>**  
**No School** in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- **January 26<sup>th</sup>**  
End of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter *(this may change if we have additional snow days)*



### Important Information & Reminders



- This month, we are taking time to review our PBIS tenants with students to ensure they understand our expectations with regard to behavior in all areas of the school as well as on the bus. We always ask students to be **Respectful, Responsible, and Ready** each day. We kindly ask that you remind your child of these expectations as well. Students are doing an excellent job so far this year, but a friendly reminder never hurts.
- If your child buys a school lunch and/or wants to purchase ice cream on ice cream Fridays, please be sure his/her lunch account has proper funding. You may add funds using [www.schoolcafe.com](http://www.schoolcafe.com) or by sending funds directly to the school. If you send funds directly to the school, please ensure the check or money order is made payable to "Abington Heights Hot Lunch Fund" and includes your child's name and school ID.
- With a shift toward winter weather, please be sure your child dresses appropriately for outdoor recess.
- We are kindly asking that all students arrive to school no later than 8:30 AM. As per our school handbook, the doors open at 8:20 AM, and the school day officially begins at 8:30 AM. Arrival after the front doors are closed is considered a late arrival. Students who arrive after the front doors are closed must be signed-in by a parent or guardian.
- A written parent/guardian or doctor note must be provided when a student returns from an absence. This note must be received by the school within 3 days of the student's return to school.
- If you are interested in volunteering at the school during the school day, you must complete the volunteer packet and submit all required clearances to Mrs. Kover. Volunteer information is available on the District website.



### Art announcement from Mrs. DeRenzis...

Artist of the Month for students in 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>:

**Claes Oldenburg**

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