



# Morningstar Learning Center Newsletter

December 15, 2017



## Important Dates

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| Dec. 22 | School Holiday Party      |
| Dec. 25 | MLC is Closed             |
| Dec. 26 | MLC is Closed             |
| Dec. 29 | January Billing Processed |

## Director's Desk



**Stephanie's Office Hours:**  
Monday- Wednesday 8:30am-10am

**Lori's Office Hours:** Thursday and Friday 8:30am-10am

Or by appointment

## Warren Miller Performing Arts Center

The WMPAC has released an exciting line-up of family-friendly shows for the upcoming winter season. Tickets go on sale Dec. 1, 2017.

**MARK NIZER 4D:** Juggler extraordinaire - January 6 @ 5:30

**JAMES SEWELL BALLET:** Ballet that's never boring - March 10 @7:30

**CHE MALAMBO:** Unforgettable Argentinian cowboy dancing - March 31 @7:30

We have heard reports from around the community...

### Flu season is here.

We care about the health and well-being of our students and staff. Please review MLC's Parent Handbook on symptoms and illness policies and as we work to keep MLC as healthy as can be.



## December

Happy Holidays from the **infant room**. We are so excited for the Christmas season. Our kids will be having lots of fun with projects and singing Christmas songs and reading all about Christmas. We are also asking parents to please bring in a mason jar for a project we will be doing in class this week.

The **Toddler room** will be learning about Christmas this week. They will talk about Santa and his reindeers and learn the letter "S".

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas in **Preschool** class! Students will be creating ornaments, cookies and discussing how they celebrate the winter holidays. Staff will share our family traditions for celebrating Christmas.

During the month of December, the **Spanish Class** will learn the seasons and weather (Las estaciones del año, y el clima). Click on the title of each song below to be directed to its YouTube video:

### Las estaciones del año;

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U7W5oKx6g2I>

### El clima:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CGImwvqwycc>

This month the **Dance Class** will be learning ballet with a focus on The Nutcracker. Click below for Coloring Sheets:

[The Nutcracker](#)

[Sugar Plum Fairy](#)



## PARTY TIME!

Our staff is planning a Pajama Holiday Party for our students on Friday, Dec. 22 from 4-5:30pm. Parents are invited to attend! If you would like to help, here are some things we need:

- **Parent Volunteers**
- **Cookies and frosting for decorating**

*Please talk to your child's teacher or Stephanie Kissell or Lori Van Eps if you are interested in helping out!*



### Substitute Teaching Opportunity!

MLC is looking for substitute teachers. We offer competitive pay and childcare discounts while you are working! Please contact Stephanie Kissell if you are interested.

### SPREAD THE WORD!

### Need a babysitter?

Ms. Mindy Rebholz, an Infant Lead Teacher at MLC, is available for babysitting. She is experienced and comes highly recommended. Email or call: minlee83@hotmail.com (815)-674-3266