

Dear Hynes Families:

I would like to thank you for your cooperation and flexibility as we missed three days of school due to the weather and water pressure issues. This newsletter will share two important changes due to those issues and it will also bring forth several reminders.

- 1.) Third quarter progress reports will be issued for students in grades 1-8 on Wednesday, February 21st. This date has been moved from the originally scheduled time of February 7th and the reason is due to the loss of instructional days from the freeze.
- 2.) We will make-up one of the freeze days by converting the post-school fair holiday to a regular instructional day. Therefore, Monday, April 23rd will be a regular school day with all normal operations.
- 3.) The Mardi Gras holiday will begin on Friday, February 9th and run through Friday, February 16th. Classes will resume on Monday, February 19th.
- 4.) The student council will collect beads for a bead drive to assist St. Michael's Special School Joy Center. The PTO will collect stuffed animals and trinkets for the fair. Please sort these two very different type of donations so that they can be easily forwarded to the proper receptacles. Put the beads in the zipper bead bags and the trinkets in a different container.

On behalf of our entire school, I'd like to wish you a safe and Happy Mardi Gras season.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Douglas