

Elmwood Happenings 12/8/2021

Greetings Elmwood Community,

Extract from

Christmas Bells

~ Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

I heard the bells on Christmas Day
Their old, familiar carols play,
And wild and sweet
The words repeat
Of peace on earth, good-will to men!

1. The Elmwood Marching Royal Pride participated in the annual Bowling Green Holiday Parade for the first time in many years. With over 100 units from dance groups, floats, marching bands, and other organizations, this parade boasts of being one of Northwest Ohio's best! The EMRP played two different Christmas songs, and had some really wonderful television coverage on WTOL 11. They will continue this tradition in the future. They represented our school and community with great honor! The band also marched in the Perrysburg Holiday Parade on Sunday, December 5 through historic downtown Perrysburg.



2. The winter sports season is underway. Girls' and boys' basketball, along with our cheerleaders, handle the basketball court, and wrestling team handles the mats. Best of wishes to all athletes this winter season. Our secret tool to help us win, is our Royal Rowdies. This is our student section who provides support for the team and demonstrates good sportsmanship on the sidelines. The student's enthusiasm helps carry our teams to victory.





3. Congratulations to the Advanced Parliamentary Procedure Team (Part of our vocational agricultural program) as they placed 2nd in the district contest. They advanced to the State contest and will be competing again in a couple of weeks! So proud of these kids and the work they put into preparing for this event!! This program is under the direction of Mrs. Lawrence.



4. I enjoyed reading to Mrs. Hoffman's third grade class this past week. I love the opportunity to read to a group of students.



Maybe Christmas, he thought, doesn't come from the store. Maybe
Christmas... perhaps... means a little bit more!
~ *The Grinch*, by Dr Seuss

Tony Borton, Superintendent