

O Come Let Us Adore Him



Just as the Christmas Star led the Magi,
*may the light of this miraculous season guide you toward
peace, love, joy and contentment.*

Throughout the year, we strive to bring you the very best publications possible, and during this Christmas season, we express our thanks for your kind support and our hopes for a very special holiday, abundant in love and good cheer.

We hope you enjoy the letters to Santa included in this edition, made possible by the many businesses, organizations, churches, individuals and industries delivering you a Christmas Message during this blessed season.

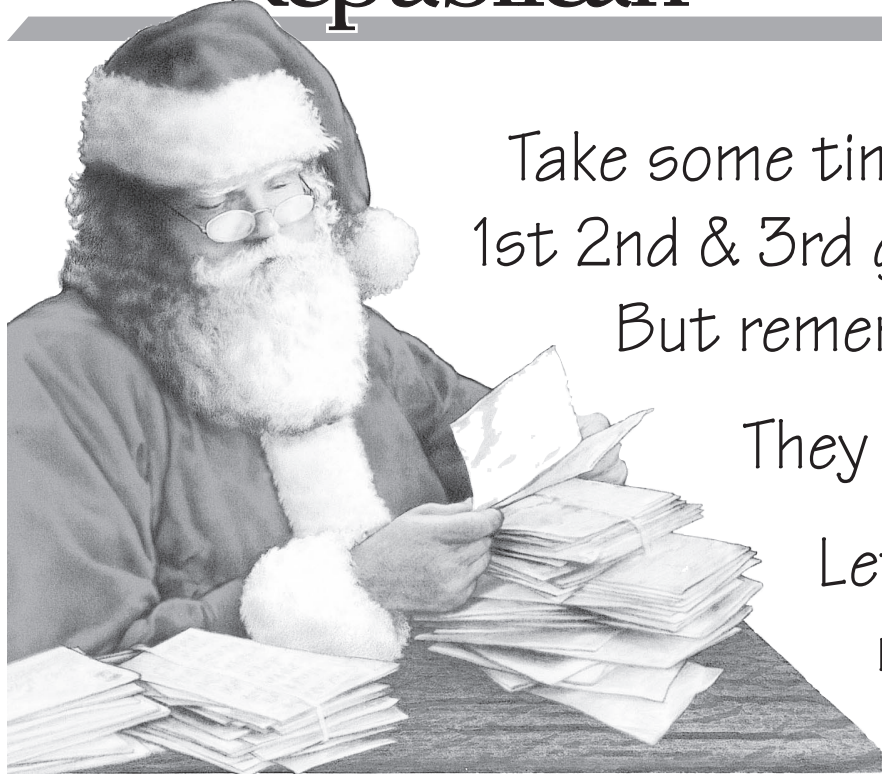
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Take some time to read the enclosed "Letters to Santa," from local 1st 2nd & 3rd graders. They will fill your heart with joy and laughter. But remember, they are just learning to spell.

They were typed exactly as they came to us.

Let the Christmas Greetings from area merchants remind us of the caring community in which we live.

Owensville Elementary First Grade

Kelly Smith, Teacher

Dear Santa,
all I wat for Christmas iz a Tblit ab I wat to have a good drthbay I love you Santa Fum Zoie B You are so nis and ven nois owas his and you owaz giz uz praziz
Merry Christmas,
Zoie B

Dear Santa,
Tucker nerf gan is naga scop gun thank you Dear Santa
Merry Christmas
Tucker C

Dear Santa,
HOHOE git uxt sirvrn cougew. tgl dbenn nbj iu I myu aoll
Merry Christmas,
Hayden D

Dear Santa,
This is Dennis H itied te Be geeD can you Please get Me a hoverboard An dA Bds And 3ds gAMes.
Love,
Dennis H

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want an iPad. I have done good in school. I am nice to layleaonna. I am nice to Mrs. Smith. Please and Thank You.
Love,
Lily M

Dear Santa,
LOL=s I hope that I bin good I like the elffs. I like my tree. u are cool. I have been good in Mrs Smith clas. thank you. I woot a LOL please.
Love,
Sophia T

Dear Santa,
Dear Santa Whtil I want 4 CHristmas is a tBlapl to tacke over Christmas I Love You Santa
Merry Christmas,
Landon M

Dear Santa,
it is Bo i ned a phone and 3rodots Pleas and thank you Merry Christmas too Santa
Love, Bo N.S.

Dear Santa,
this is BrAyden. I went a phone for Christmas. Next i went a xbox vos cmod. thin i went a tome gun. Plese Dear Santa. i have been good. in Mrs Smith Class.
Merry Christmas,
Brayden O

Dear Santa,
I wont a Irman toe and i wont aporuv clos and I wont ol dsolpdcors.
Merry Christmas too Santa,
Brock R

Dear Santa,
Aaron1 hover 2 nerf3 LOL gam 4 cepc 5 I I lef you Mrs Smith.
Merry Christmas,
Aaron S

Dear Santa,
it's Brenner I wont A xbox:1s Blakokps: u call the will hlepq
Merry Christmas,
Brenner S

Der Santu,
this is Jayde Wi am good in mrs. Smith class i wunt a hoverbord pleas and thank you.
Merry Christmas,
Jayde W

Dear Santa,
I wut a pop chos set. and taBlit anDA fone anDA lexrit skoor A ex Box Plastasin.
Merry Christmas,
Zane W

Dear Santa,
I want a Fingerling Ferris Wheel and I want my own tablet please and Thank you.
Love,
Layleaonna Y

Dear Santu,
I have been good in this michael I have ben good in school I wunt a hivr bord
Michael F

Owensville Elementary First Grade

Cassidy Smith, Teacher

Dear Santa,
May I have a smart wach I Have Ben good at school But not at home I'm sorry my sister messes with me But I love you Santa Ho Ho Ho merry christmas I wish that I had my elf Back Can I have a lol & can I have a phone. please
Merry Christmas,
Leighton R

Dear Santa,
I have bin nis and I want a babedol becus they are o sunn and stuf annal becus they are engley and a Appl woch becus they are osum and a fonb.
Merry Christmas,
Nora C

Dear Santa,
Will you please give me a woodin train. Bcos I Bin Goo.
Love,
Spurling H

Dear Santa,
I want Marie Figers because they are cool please and a Nintdo swich please and lego please! I've ben good
Love,
Braxton J

Dear Santa,
May I Plese have ol Polrid cmra Plese I had my bad days but someTimes I Bin good Love you Santa Ho Ho Ho Love you.
Merry Christmas,
Jordyn C

Dear Santa,
I'm sorry I was Bad All Thes yers I promis I wull Be BeDr. All Thes yers Can I hAv Pok'emom Toys PleEs.
Merry Christmas,
Sylas B

Dear Santa,
May I please have a christmas game and a baby alive toy because I have bin good this yere and I help mommy with chestyn whin he is crying and may I have a fone and a LOL.
Merry Christmas,
Paislee B

Letters to Santa
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Thanks for being a bright spot in our year. We wish you and yours a very merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous 2017.

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Peace Be With You

May your heart be light with peace, joy and contentment at this special time and all year.

Your support and friendship make us grateful to be a part of this warm and welcoming community. We wish you all a beautiful holiday!

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Jackie Johnston, Teacher

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I bet your verey busy SAntA. I hope your rede for Chrismis I hope the rander are reded for Chrismis. I hope your feeling good. For Chrismis can I Pleas have a figit spinr Pleassess! I bet the elvs are vary basy I hope the rarber!

**Merry Christmas,
Kat B**

Dear Santa,

how are you feeling? I howp you are feeling good. Becus in 28 days! And I am happy theat you came to my hows last yere cud I have a presint? a hover board

**Merry Christmas,
Josiah G**

Dear Santa,

how are you doing Santa and how are the Elf's doing I would love ants in pan'ts, Face painting set, stuFFed animal. Thank you!

Grace B

Dear Santa,

how Are you Downen I chid to Be god I wut a dog and a Rc cAr and Ps4 and logcodvAs

**Merry Christmas,
Sylys C**

Dear Santa,

How are you feet line. I bet you wre good I wut. LOL bollBnow PS4.

**Merry Christmas,
Dorothea R**

Dear Santa,

I hopa you got a lot uv sleep. for ur fit vuet wut I wot RS car, dog 4 and a tablet.

**Merry Christmas,
Emmett P**

Dear Santa,

I bin good please can I have a toy bistan a hover boaral. ah a Rc car and bout to Santa?

Merry Christmas, Lane M

Dear Santa,

How are you fullng If you leke chockli cukez I and I mekeing. I wut a PS4 and a sumet Bot gez and sum DeEgez.

Liam W

Dear Santa,

How Do You Do Here i sum Her Are sum thhns I wuat hoverboArd Rc cAr iPoD Ps4

**Love,
Gavin M**

Dear Santa,

I ha Bin Good yer dis. Yer I Hoap you HaP thissa for me Pio data can you vime a the BoA Bot mashen can you giv a sam pokeym,on and a PS4 and a phone. PokemiP.

**Love,
Brandon M**

Letters to Santa

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Merry Christmas & Many Thanks

THIS LITTLE SANTA IS HERE TO SAY,
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Owensville Elementary First Grade

Cassidy Smith, Teacher — Continued from Page 2A

Dear Santa,

I want a LOL Please. becs I have Bin good.

**Merry Christmas,
Ellie B**

Dear Santa,

Santa I Love you I want a BaBy becus I liked them. I bun good.

**Merry Christmas,
Quinn K**

Dear Santa,

I wnat a remot cinuchrl tran please. becus I love trains. PS. I hav ben good.

**Merry Christmas,
Brahm W**

Dear Santa,

can I please have a bat and a cic bol becus I like sqprs and I have bin good.

**Merry Christmas,
Will B**

Dear Santa,

I want a pekshoo that wen I pis his han he ses peku. I bin vire good thes yer.

**Merry Christmas,
Max A**

Dear Santa,

I want a toy please. I am sorry I tuochd a elf.

**Merry Christmas,
Bentley K**

Dear Santa,

May I Please HaF BaspAl and Ploke-poN kards. I was Good.

**Merry Christmas,
Blake W**

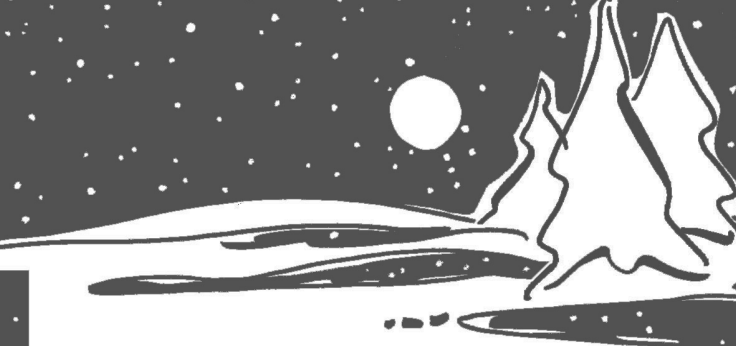
Dear Santa,

may I please have a camra for christmas love you santa Becuses I Bin good Ho Ho Ho.

**Merry Christmas,
Liam K**

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Silent Night

May this holy season blanket you and your loved ones with warmth and contentment.
Merry Christmas from all of us.

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Blessings At Christmas

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12th Christmas

The 12th annual Living Christmas Tree presentation by First Baptist Church of Owensville started with "Carol of the Bells" by the Bell Choir (photo top left). This year's tree was decorated in blue and silver after 11 years in red and gold. Duane Berry directed the concert on Dec. 8 and 9. More photos from this event can be found at www.WardenPublishing.pixieset.com.



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Santa's helpers

Volunteers with years of Operation Christmas experiences were joined by "awesome newbies" to help with the wrapping of gifts and packing up of food boxes. Joanie and Larry Tayloe (above) put the finishing touches on food boxes and personal care products for 169 families. Judy Schaeperkoetter (top) sets out stocking-stuffers collected for the event. Jan Crowe helps Lisa Eckert cut wrapping paper. Helping with boxing this year were OHS vo-ag students including Tracy Machelett, Isaiah Decker, and Dustin Nocht (top, right).



A VERY MERRY SEASON TO YOU!

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Happy Holiday!!



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It's that magical feeling of Christmas, and we hope it fills you with enough joy to last all year!
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Joy to the World!

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Owensville Elementary First Grade

Michelle Schauf, Teacher

Dear Santa,
I wish u cud santa elf.s for all uv yor had wrk.

Love,
Addie C

Dear Santa,
I HoP you can Oo theis santa I HoP to git a iPad Plese and Thac you. and Plese a LoL home Thac you

Love,
Aubrey M

Dear Santa,
you hAve ben werking hAde every yey but cAn you mAcke me a iPod i hoP you hAve a grat yeyer

Love,
Trace L

Dear Santa,
You working horde But can you make me a Minecartf to y

Love,
Marcus K

Dear Santa,
I No you work Hard Rhindeer and your Elfs work Hard too. I Hop you Have good Feit Arond show I wut Mow Hou cer fot christmas.

Love,
Ricky R

Dear Santa,
I love Sat Pe get Diet Bike

Love,
Braydison V

Dear Santa,
I wish you can see me and Jasper i want a target Gun!

Love,
Ryder H

Dear Santa,
You wrck sowe hard Giving us presens so we can have fun this christmas you can not give us presuns.

Love,
Emmaline D

Dear Santa,
Dear Santa I wt trersu X ukho

Love,
Chevy S

Dear Santa,
You wrk n haihve rd so sins fore ive maspresin love you santa and we love you satA

Love,
Nycolas H

Dear Santa,
We all eeP yer wrk I will geteeg togs for kis eeven if I can help you on crismi nit I will a blue Boseeglav and DrtBiek for crismis.

Love,
Cord T

Dear Santa,
I wut good this yer. I want a remot kontrol cor.

Love,
Brock B

Dear Santa,
For crismis I want a new Brbes huos for crismis and a giid pikmi flip to and a dog and a beeted Blackit and tow sets of skipper Babay sitter Dolls a babay and a kid sets and a Purse. Thakc you for our Presits santa.

Love,
Allison E

Dear Santa,
I woot a dog.

Love,
Luvuy,
Lukas W



REJOICE

With joy in our hearts, let us light up the world with the strength of our kindness, love, caring and nurture our bodies with our excellent food.

Owensville Senior Center



Owensville Elementary First Grade

Beth White, Teacher

Dear Santu,
I have bin rele good I evin clen the tabl two nites. I hope for a lol big suyprise. I hope chipe is wrceng rile rile hrd. I hope for a horse and a ipod with hedfones.

Merry Christmas,
Tinley S

Dear Santa,
I will want a scabord I will want a guitar. I will want a mikrfone. I will want a elf on the shelf.

Merry Christmas,
Kayden S

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs Claus bin? I hope she is doing good. I wont a Dawr ranjr remoot control toy.

Merry Christmas
Dason M

Dear Santa,
I would like a helmet, a stuff chicken, and a guitar.

Love,
Mason M

Dear Santa,
I have ben good. May I have exdra candy? I hope The elfs have bin good. What I want for Chistmas is a LoL suprise and I Phone five. I hope Roodolf has bin good.

Love,
Haley G

Dear Santa,
I want some Books, a Bounsy Ball, a fire truck, and a star waRs Dark VaDre tent for Christmas.

Merry Christmas,
Adyn B

Der Santu,
How are you doing? Can you tell my elf to be cute not wherde? Now to the Christ-mas list. Can I have a Brbeye RV, a new bike, Brbeye close, and cool shades. Bye Santal!

Love,
Jorja J

Dear Santa,
Haw has Dansr bin? I hope that the elfs have binbise! I will Leve 2 kooces on Christ-mas eve. I want borbes and a dremhaws.

Merry Christmas,
Kendra M

Dear Santa,
I would like to no what the elves are makeing. I would like a nintendo switch and mario cart & delux for Christmas hope you come.

Love,
Carter L

Dear Santa,
I have been a good grile so I woode wont a glowin and singing mrmade. I will give you kooces and milke.

Merry Christmas,
Kyle T

Dear Santa,
I have been good I would want a new makey. I osow want a new set of shopcins.

Love,
Zoie W

Dear Santa,
I would like a hatchimal and a Star wars stuff anml for Christmas.

Merry Christmas,
Jewel D

Dear Santa,
I have been relly good this year so can you please get me a LoL doll, a Phone, and a Brbie Play set? Bye Santal!

Merry Christmas,
Lilyana R

Dear Santa,
I want a scabord and a new fone and a snowbord and bey blads.

Merry Christmas,
Eli D

Dear Santa,
I hope is got for can you go to HeNdo I want a monster truck.

Love,
Ayden W

Dear Santa,
How have you ben? I have ben good. I would want a pare of skates, a piano, a Elsa musik box, and a singing Elsa doll.

Love,
Emmeline G

Letters to Santa Continued on Page 7A

Greetings!
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Owensville Elementary Second Grade

Aimee Grannemann, Teacher

Dear St. Nick,

How is Rudolph. He is 10,000 year old. I would like a lunch box and a Book and a toy dRt Bike and batRes. PS wotch out For the mistletoe this year

**Your friend,
John M**

Dear Santa,

How is Mrs. Claus doing? Are you going to use Redolph this year? Have the elves been working hard on presents? For Christmas can I have slime, roller skates, coat, and a beanbag? I will make sure to leav out carrots and cookies with milk. Merry Christmas!!!

**Your friend,
Clara B**

Dear Santa,

How are the reindeer and the elves doing? This year I want a keybord and a traxxis.

**Your friend,
Tanner M**

Dear Santa,

How is Mrs. Claus and the elves? My family is leving you cookies and milk. This is what I want for Christmas a toy robot and a key bord!

**Your friend,
Joel M**

Dear Santa,

I wondr if you are going to use Rudolph this year. Can I pleas have a doll, huvr board, ds, tv, slippers, tablit, reindeer stuffed animal, mimun Robot? Merry Christmas!

**Your friend,
Meredith**

Dear Santa,

Have you and Miss Claus bin rile bise with the elves? How has Camoe bin? Is he making my toys? Can you tell him I want a havrbord, a tablit, some clothes for my JoJo doll, toys for it to, and like u closit, a toy car, and mabe some litte toys. I will leve food for you and the reindeer. I will leve you alon so you can get it rede. HOHOHO.

**Sincerely yours,
Natalie B**

Dear Santa,

How is My Elf doing? How do you make toys? For Christmas I want aiPad, LaPtoP, and PS4. Merry Christmas!

**Your friend,
Ellie M**

Dear Santa,

How are the Reindeer doing? Are they doing good? Leave a note on one of my presents. I want a nerf rivel knos, a Shrinky dink rshrinka-suras playset, and I survived tool box book.

**Your friend,
Grayson L**

Dear Santa,

Have the other reinder let Rudolf play with them? I would like a LOL Doll House foR Christmas. Plese! becuse I think I have Ben good Santa Claus! Anyway are you redy FoR Christmas? Caus you Have the Hold World to Deliver Prezents in one nite.

**Sincerly yours,
Hayden C**

Dear Santa,

Hav the elfs bin bizy making toys? This Christmas I rily want a tablit.

**Your friend,
Preston K**

Dear Santa,

How fast does your sled go? I would like a Real Alive cat. If you do give me it then I'll name it fluffy. Do you like your Reindeer? Where did you get the Reindeer?

**Sincerely,
Isabella B**

Dear Santa,

Did you have a good va-cashn? What I want for Christmas is horse jumps, shlike truck and tralor, Shlike Barn, and trishnls Briors.

**Your friend,
Leah H**

Dear Santa,

Are you going to yoos Rudolph? I only want one thing and it is a huverbord. How do you deliver all the presents in one nite?

**Your friend,
Connor H**

Dear Santa,

I want a drum set and box-ing gloves and a pachting bag.

**Your friend,
Hunter D**

Dear Santa,

I would like sum puppy toys, Drt Bike, huvr brd, lamborgene, gta 1 gta 2 gta 3 gta 4 gta 6, robot, socr game for xbox.

**Your friend,
Tucker S**

Dear Santa,

How have your elves Ben doing? I want a share the Love shrt and a camra and a drone and a lunch Box and a ZeBru Fuze Jacket and a Led Lit.

**Sincerely,
Silas D**

Dear Santa,

Have the elves Ben biz this year? I waNt a huverbord aNd a drtbike, aNd a gocart.

**Your friend,
Noah H**

Dear Santa,

Have the elves been note? can I hav a Rudolph, im-prwoveD huvr brd, and a Dog man Bull of the wild? Has Mrs. Claus been note?

**Sincerely,
Rylee S**

Dear Santa,

I hope you do not get sick this yer. I hope you can give me a Xbox and a zombie Apo-colypse game. I want a pie in the Face game and a spider-man x-box game.

**From,
Chris W**

Dear Santa,

How fast do your raindeer fly? I just want a huverbord, tablet and hair gel.

**Sincerely,
Lucas S**

More 2nd Grade Letters

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May All
of Your
Christmas
Dreams,
Come True



**YESTERYEAR'S
ANTIQUES &
COLLECTIBLES**

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Owensville, Missouri



Season's Greetings

May peace, love and harmony visit your home this holiday season and linger all the year through. With gratitude and warm wishes to each one of you.

Owensville Lodge #624, A.F. & A.M.
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We Know You've Been GOOD!

We're making a list of all the people we want to thank and your name is on it! We hope you get everything you've wished for this Christmas, and we thank you for being so good to us this year.

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Food sources

Thousands of food items were donated locally again this year for the Operation Christmas 2018 campaign. Owensville Elementary School's collection topped 8,400 items and Owensville Middle School total was 2,580. OMS students Brynn Wright (far left, on right) helps load out items along with McKenzy Echols (in back, by door) and Logan Slinkard (back, right) and Kevin Million with their principal, Teresa Schulte. Volunteer Paul Hefley boxes up food stocks (below) as students Kaydin Carr, Josie Wilka, Ella Gehlert and Katrina Davison, OMS staff member Scott Rassmussen, and volunteer Roger Jett gather items from the school's office (below, and below, right). Volunteers Larry Tayloe, Jett and Andrew Michel collect items donated by LSC Communications employees.



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Your food donations

Troop 22 Boy Scouts and Pack 22 Cub Scouts collected food stocks in November which begin the Operation Christmas drive. These items (top, and above) are sorted and counted along with additional donations collected at schools, churches and businesses. Individuals also make donations including an area man who delivered 1,000 cans of soup last week. Those are boxed by high school students and volunteers to create the finished collection which served 169 families.

Season's Greetings

FRONT ROW (left to right): Brittany Coppedge - RN Director of Nursing, Crystal Ray - Administrator, Alexis Strothkamp - Administrative Assistant, and Katie Strothkamp - Admissions Coordinator.

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OHS, OMS, OES choirs perform

Owensville High School's choirs and band presented their winter concert Dec. 9 which include members of the Owensville Elementary School and Owensville Middle School choirs joining the older vocalists. Philip Giacomelli, director of the high school bands, goes over the order the OHS choirs and their guest vocalists will enter the gym for their performance. The OHSTroubadours (below) performed "Have You Heard" and "Mary Did You Know" during the hour-long concert.



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A Time to Celebrate...

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LETTERS TO SANTA
from GOOD GIRLS & BOYS
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Owensville Elementary Second Grade

Jaysie Stigge, Teacher

Dear Santa,

How are you Doen Santa? my far it color is Blue. I wut a claw machine for crimis I No i riDiD it 5 tims Bot i rile woit it for crimis Pleas, Pleas santa can i have the claw machine pleas Santa

Love,
Brandon L

Dear Santa,

How is the reindeers I hope your reindeer like ceris My name is Madi T and I am in secit grad I'm in OES school and what I what for christ- mas is a cavis with a patbrush and a holdr thane for the covis.

Love, Madi T

Dear Santa,

How many elf's do you have? Also hi my name is Hadlee. I am 7 years old. What I want for Christmas is to have fun! Also I want the best Christmas ever! So plese make my wish come true.

Love,
Hadlee K

Dear Santa,

How is Rudolph and the reindeer. And my name is Barrett and I'm in second grade. I want the lego police truck stain I will send you the one from six flags.

Love,
Barrett C

Dear Santa,

How have you been since last Christmas? You can bring me an Elf on a Shelf but please don't wake up Grandmas. Can you bring me a new Apple tablet. My old one doesn't work. I also want hair supplies. Please bring clothes and shoes for my little nephew. I would like a music player and headphones.

From, Cassidy B

Dear Santa,

How doe's Rudolph make his nose glow? And is Rudolph real? Santa I'm Lillian K I am 7 I want a electric scooter.

Love, Lillian K

Dear Santa,

how is Rudolph and the elfs doing. My name is molly I am in second grade. Now I will get to the thaings I went for Christmas a Jonbo teddy bear glow in the drak glue

Love,
Molly M

Dear Santa,

How is cupide? Are you doing good? I am doing well. I want a trampoline and kickball battl felid v gess hoo?

Love, Nolan J

Dear Santa,

How are the elf's Santa? My name is Dalton I am 7 year's I live in Missoari. One thing I want for Christmas is a P52 a gran thef aoat.

Love, Dalton P

Dear Santa,

How do you make magic? My name Garrett and I go to school. I want a bow and arow that you can shoot a deer with.

Love,
Garrett B

Owensville Elementary Second Grade Teacher
Jaysie Stigge Continued on Page 3B

Merry Christmas

"For unto you is born this day in the city of David, a Savior which is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:11

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Owensville Elementary Second Grade
Jaysie Stigge, Teacher
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Dear Santa,
How many elfs do you have. I an Jaxon and I like soccer. And I want a elf on the shefs and my paveints to be a milleinnare please.
Love,
Jaxon L

Dear Santa,
Is it hard to unwrapp a present with ovenmitts on? My name is Cohen, and my favorite coler is blue. Mostly all I want for Christmas is a pelot gun, that's it.
Love,
Cohen D

Dear Santa,
How may elfs do you have? I'm in M.S Stgge class and in 2 Grade. I want to be a vet wene I grow up. I want the beste Chrim evry!
Love,
Lylan K

Dear Santa,
How did Christmas come to live? I like cats! bo you like cats too? the elfs are cute! an I wunted like to see woon reindeer. I wuned lik magick and a elf wunt I can tunch and it ginxs to staw for afr. thack you. I love you. XOXOXOX an I wunt slin losns Plens and LOL an the puns plens plens plens pleeeeeeens pleeeeeeens plens plens plens pleeeeeeens plens plens pleeeeeeens plens thank you. you are the dust. I love you. I love you.
Love,
Kylie B



Dear Santa,

Owensville Elementary Third Grade
Christa Savoir, Teacher

Dear Santa,
How are you Doing? What I want for Christmas is a camer. For my mom a coloring book, some magic cards for my dad. my sister would like a stuffed fox and for my other sister a coloring Book too. Thank you!
Love,
Kinley P

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas! How are things in the North Pole? I want an IPod, polarid camera, a ball that you sit on, and a tree house set. Thank you for my gifts last year. I loved them.
Love,
Kyleigh M

Dear Santa,
How are you? Thank you for the gifts last year. Can I have two Mario figures and a fake light saver, please?
Love,
Daimeyn R

Dear Santa,
good luck delivering presents. Any way, for Christmas I only realy want two things, a new phone and new beats (not the food the head phones.) just one more thing, a punching bag. Have a nice Christmas!
Sincerely,
Georgie W

Dear Santa,
How are your reindeer? I hope thay are good! I want Blue tooth head phone and an I phone. and I want for my sister is a new phone and for my mom and dad a merry christmas. Thank you!
Merry Christmas,
Tyler M

Dear Santa,
I want a happy family and I want a play stashone 4 and a iphone 8 plus. I want a bike I want it to be white, Blue, Black. I want a TV flat screen. Lego Batman Set. for my play stashone 4 I want Coll fo Duty. Please bring my baby brother his own toy so he will not Play with mine. I want \$500.
From,
Treylynn S

Dear Santa,
How is every one doing? I loved the presents from last year. This year I want four things. A 3D deer target, deer blind orange hunting vest, toy hunting set. Merry Christmas!
From,
Khai K

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas! How are you, Mrs. Claus, and the reindeer? For Christmas I want: Art supplies, Clothes, Books, and Anything you can thing of that I would like! Thank you so much!
Love,
Brenna P

Dear Santa,
Have you had a nice year? This is what I would like for Christmas. Shopkins, mini backpack, and slime. I realy hope this will happen! I would also like all puppies and kitties to have homes. I want veterens and homeless people to have homes too. Thank you for the presents last year!
Sincerely,
Ava S

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? I would like to have a X-box one with Call of Duty Black Ops 3. I would also like a gift card to Wal-mart. I would also like to have a coat and blanket to stay warm. Thank you for my presents last year.
From,
Garrett K

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I will have reindeer food for the reindeer. I want a blue truck and a trailer with a bobcat and bricks. I also want a cow set and a toy car. If you are able to, I would also like to have a stuffed animal.
Merry Christmas,
Samuel B

Dear Santa,
How are you? I would like to get some slime supplies, a desk with a chair and a home for home less people. Also a lot of presents for my family. Thank you Santa Claus.
From,
Tristyn W

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I would like some Transformers and army books. I would also like Farming simulator 19 for an X-Box one. Can you bring my mom cappuccino Keurig? I hope you can bring me my toy and thank you for my toys last year.
Merry Christmas,
Hunter L

More Letters to Santa
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But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord." (Luke 2:10-11)

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Good news, the child was born in a...town diner

This year's Christmas play, on Friday and Saturday, included all the usual characters and plot twists for a night of entertainment at the Owensville Community Theater. Chosen by the Owensville Regional Arts Council the play, "Good News" was set in a local diner during a snow storm at Christmas. The cast included (top photo, from left) John Gaska, Letha Ellis, Lori Angell, Tristan Heflin, Emily Reed, Linda Eubanks, Ken Ellis, Mark Lough, Wesley Eubanks, Julie Sieber, Ryann Bethune and, seated at the table, Chantel Littrell, Kayla Blankenship and Julianna Bayless. Not pictured above were actors Dina Schoenfeld, Terry Flanagan and Tony Alvarez. Caught in the snowstorm are both locals residents and travelers stuck in the ditch waiting for a tow truck. The persona played by Reed goes into labor. As luck would have it a doctor, played by Flanagan (second from left, bottom photo) is also stuck in the diner by the storm. In the play Ken Ellis's character (photo right) gets to propose to the owner of the diner, played by his in real life wife, Letha.

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Owensville Elementary Second Grade

Kayla Lowder, Teacher

Dear Santa,
How Are the eLfs bowing I Am rele iksidyd For Christmas I wob Like A bike, A helmit, A ere soFt gon, A knife, A hathit, And A now Shows, And A fire strtr, And A hovr knife.

Love, Blaine D

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I'm in 2 Gured! I want a LOL Speris Doll, barbie dall, LOL speris house, Thank you!!

Love, Charlea B

Dear Santa,
How Dus youe raDers Ders Flyi sow Fast. It is sow aMas-ing! How Das yoru? EIFs and you make all thost tos. Be Crimes. in thm my mom to the me that it taend you 2 hours roome I lik my hats can you bn ng bring me loa Maigris alok? a truck

Love, Leighton C

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? I hope you are doing good at the north pole. I hope you can make everyone toys, and I have two christmas trees up and one has white lights.

Love, Tucker C

Dear Santa,
Wat do the rand looke like? I'm happy its omost crismis. I want a pet parit, elf on the shelf, and a nerf busooka.

Love, Dylan D

Dear Santa,
I Hope you brening my a lot weF tous and a dron.

Sincerely, Darren G

Dear Santa,
How are the Reindeer doing? I wold like a gient stufed UNECORN! And the 2018 Barbie doll! I thank thar is one at Oensvill Walmart. And on Chistmas you will get a good report from Eley! And tell her I will miss her!

Love, Kinley H

Dear Santa,
How are you? I love my teacher. miss Lowder is amasing. She awas puts a smill on my face in the morning. I want a tele bike without training wels and with a kick stand, L.o.L. under raps, L.o.L. Bigger supurise, a snow glob with my name on it, Brooklyn Boxing girl, 284 Bolits, a crossbow, cross bow arrows, my own Blind, a deer camra, and a real kitten.

Love, Brooklyn K

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer How are you doing we have a tree and it has lights and I am in 2 Graid and I am 7 years old. I whant fancy nancy stuff I whant fancy nancy shows and totos and I whant my mom and Dad to be heathy for Christmas.

Love, Lucy J

Dear Santa,
Are the reindeer ready for Christmas? My name is Maky-nzi I have Crhistmas decore (decorations) up! it was hard work! Mana got some presents we will wrap them tomorrow. 21 or 22 days untill Crhistmas! 21 till Crhistmas evel 22 days untill Crhistmas day! I want a book about wolves, a pomsky, and a stuffed wolf.

Love, Makynzi R

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? How are you doing? How are the elfs doing up at the north poll? I would like a phone, a teal phone case, and a lava lamp.

Love, EllieMae K

Dear Santa,
Hal are you? Hal are you felen? Where do you live? i am in secend grad i luv 2 grad. I wunt a homent a hotweh trac and 3 carddord boxes

Love, Jasper M

Dear Santa,
How fast can your rain dear go? Are you ready for Crist-mas. I would like a Hot wealls mega gaRoge and a X box 1.

Love, Blaine S

Dear Santa,
How much snow stormse has there been? Im have been good this year, I want for Christmas is all lava lamp, Hot wheels, and slime.

Love, Braxtyn R

Dear Santa,
Are you ready for x-mix? I'm ready! Are the reindeer ready? So can I have a pink barbie truck, a barbie, an road glide? Plesse oh plesse!

Love, Kodi S

Dear Santa,
Are you rebte for Christmas a Hrse, Basekt Ball, yonucone, a Game, Font Ball Have a good chistmas You sent me a ELF on the shelf.

Love, Emily T

Dear Santa,
How are you doing this year? My house has a christmas tree and christmas lights. May I please have drone with a camra on it and a phone with a orange case and a pet raddit with a cage that nothing can get in it.

Love, Kastin W

Dear Santa,
What is going on Santa? Santa our teacher is vevey nice. Santa I want a book, a toy, a maker.

Love, Fozia B



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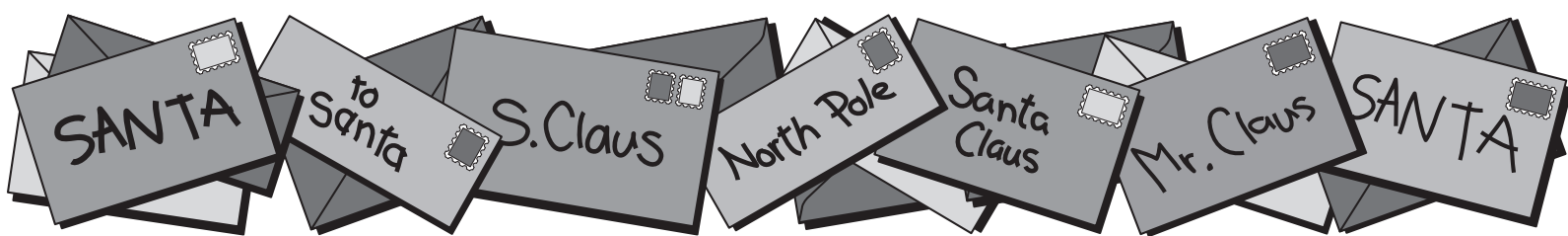
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Owensville Elementary Second Grade
Sarah Gehlert, Teacher

Dear Santa,
How are you? For Cricmic I want a elf on the shelf, a set of big sister doll, a set of littel sister LOL, a pet LOL set. Love you Santa! 7 old

Love,
Riley L

Dear Santa,
myh name is Everly I Like dogs. I want a LOLs and dolls. How are you? are the rain deers ok? What's your favorite color?

Love,
Everly S

Dear Santa,
My name is Bristol I am 8 and I am in 2 grade I love LOLs I wish I hav one LOLs Dolls.

Love,
Bristol P

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am doing fine. By the way can I have a Xbox giant gummy worm, a giant gummy bere and an iPhone 10. Thank you!

Love,
Addison S

Dear Santa,
How hav you been. feling and her is my list evr. sis chrimis a jarAssic world logo set that coms with the inDerotrand. a Hot and golvrs. Ples and a bot monrobot. ples.

Love,
Dylan S

Dear Santa,
my nam is Robert I am 8 yez oD. I wunt \$200 DOLR. and I wunt a Toy car. and I wunt a Drt Bic. I Love you!

Love,
Robert P

Dear Santa,
Can I ples have sum jewelry for my mom and can I have a car for my Bruther and can I have a make up for my sister. and a Buch of cammo stuf. Haw eer you doain. and fror Crismis I wut a bunch of play-station gifts cards.

Love,
Chase H

Dear Santa,
How are you? Good? If you are good I'm glad. I want a I phonx and an Edmundfitx-garold poster and ifltawer p.j. Thank for Taner the elf on the shelf!

Love,
Lily S

Dear Santa,
I am in 2nd grad. I like jo-josey I like to sing. a lot. How are you? How are the rander? want I want for cresses is xbox1, new shoes. How is Mrs Claus? Are elf is doig good to. I also want Dog man a tale of two kitties.

Love,
Josey W

Dear Santa,
I want avR and a canputr I love Chimes I love presns How do you But all those I bon't no how to spelel How bo you get urawn the wold so fast Les heer mor of you

Love,
Logan Q

Dear Santa,
How are you? for crismie I want a tlablet for crismise

Love,
Carmen R

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is Zoe. I hard your name is St. Nikils. I want a JoJo doll and a Bie Hatchimal.

Love,
Zoe H

Dear Santa,
Hi santa my name is An-nalee C I love snake's. Can you pleas get me a phone? I have blue eye's. I have drdey blond hair. I like hech hog's and kit-tens.

Love,
Anna C

Dear Santa,
My name is Maci I wod like a BaBy alive Potty BaBy. I Have Blue eye's. I have 6 JoJo Bow's I Love To Do gymnastics To. JoJo's Bumarag and newsogs. will bowing gymnastics. and I have Blond hare.

Love,
Maci A

Blessings of the Season
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Ciara Rooney, Teacher

Dear Santa,

Hello! You look great. Merry Christmas! How are your reindeer doing? Are your reindeer girls? I would like a metal detector, a iPhone 8, And a fit bit for my mom. P.S. thank you for the presents.

**Your friend,
Bo B**

Dear Santa,

Hello Santa! How was your day? How was Rudolph and the other reindeer and Mrs. Claws and the Elve? I want a elf for Christmas. My brother wants a nerf Gun and A Rmote control caR. I want A reindeer too. I hope that you have a marry Christmas!

**From,
Thomas B**

Dear Santa,

I have Been good This year. I am talking good care of Red this year. I would like a PS4, a new nerf gun, a nintendo swiTch, a Nintendo 2DSXL some new nerf bullets. Can I have The Fortnite game for the PS4? For my Nintendo switch I would like some Mario racing games. Same For The Nintendo 2DSXI

**Your friend,
Finn C**

Dear Santa,

How are you? Could you please go to our Nana's house? for christmas I want a new sled, snow boots, and my brother wants a Nerf gun. I wish you a Merry Christmas!

**Your friend,
Molly E**

Dear Santa,

Hello! I hope your having a great time at the North Pole. My favorite thing is that red suit of yours and that white beard. It's very stylish. For Christmas I want a lot of art stuff like Color Sharpis, a camera, and a painting board. And have a Merry Christmas to all families. Please and a Merry, Merry Christmas to you. P.S. tell Mrs. Claus, the Elves, and Redindeer I said hello.

**Your Friend,
Emilee H**

Dear Santa,

Hello! How is Mrs. Claus doing? I already wrote my letter but there is a few things I want for my family. Mom wants a day off with her family. Dad wants a new phone. I want to get Grandpa Dennis a glasses case. papa Joel wants a picture of a Dirt Bike. I want to get grandma Cindy an Elf on the Shelf. Please send down next year I forgot to tell you me and Emmy wants a new outfit for school we will make you a batch of cookies.

**Sincereley,
Eleanor S**

Dear Santa,

Can I get a computer for Christmas? Can I also get a computer game? Jackson wants a toy truck and blocks. My mom wants a wallet for Cristmise. She also wants a car. My dad wants to spend time with me, mom and Jackson for Christistmas.

Your friend, Ben S

Dear Santa,

Hello! I've been very good and a little bad for Christmas. I really want a hover board. And I miss you so much XOXOXOXO. How is Rudolph and comet and Dasher been? Merry Christmas Santa.

**Love,
Bria S**

Dear Santa,

Hello! I hope you have a great Christmas. I want everyone to have a Merry Christmas. I want a chameelean and a Elf on the Shelf. I also want an xbox one and a camo pellet sniper. I want everyone to have joy and peace. I want an Iphone 6 and beaf jerky.

**Your friend,
Carson F**

Dear Santa,

Hello! Are you having a good time? I like your big white beard and coat. For Christmas I want a hoverboard. And why do you live at the North pole? I wish others a Merry Christmas! And I won't forget to leave you cookies. And why do you were red? What is the hardest toy to make?

**Your Friend,
Jonah G**

Dear Santa,

How has it been up there? I have been nice this year. I want an xbox1, mini dirtbikes, and a tractor. I want a monster truck supercross the gamme, farm simulator 19, and my mom a new tv please. P.S. What's your favorite cookie?

Your friend, Ross J

Dear Santa,

Hello! How are you doing at the North pole? Is Comet being good? I hear good thing about him. This year for my sister Ellah can you get her a dollhouse and a babydoll? And for me I would like lot of glitter and glue. And a hover board for me. Please get Ross some toy drit bikes and Brenner some connectic sand for his toy dirt-bikes. P.S Have you practiced your Ho 'Ho 'Ho voice lately?

**From your friend,
Halle T**

Dear Santa,

I hope you're having a good day. I like your red coat. I need some high heel ankle boots. I wish you a merry Christmas and many others. And others what they want and need for Christmas. I will leave you 10 cookies. I hope my brother has a safe flight.

**Your friend,
Taylor L**

Dear Santa,

Hello! I hope Zack, Rose, Rudolph, and you are doing great! When is your birthday? You are amazing. I want to live in a mansion with a maid and a big bed. I hope you have a Merry Christmas.

**Your friend,
Kensli P**

Dear Santa,

I hope everyone has a good Christmas. I want beef jerky a Iphone Galaxy please I want my whole class to have a good Christmas.

From, Miles F

Dear Santa,

Hello! How are the reindeer? Rudolph is my favorite reindeer. His nose glows. That is awesome! Can I please have a x Box Ones, alot of toys, and alot of lego sets? oh I almost forgot... can you make this unforgettable Merry Christmas for every one?

**Your friend,
Morgan S**

Dear Santa,

Hi! Are you having fun making toys? I am so excited for Christmas! Are you? I would like a camera that pictures come out of the top Please! And I would like to say merry Christmas to everyone. P.S. I would like a long skirt to thank You!

**Your friend,
Brooke T**

Dear Santa,

This year I still want a doll houe for Christmas. I want my friends and everyone to have a nice Christmas. What cookie would you like for chritmas?

Your friend, Kinley T

Dear Santa,

I hope you have a great time with your reindeers. I want to know all your reindeers. I hope you're having a great time with Mrs. Claus. I want to know how you fly. I want everyone to have a great time on christmas Eve. I want a doll house and Barbies.

Love, Paisley W

Dear Santa,

Bindy and the Ink Mushine game for me. Minecraft 2 for Cheyanne. tomadr 2 for my dad.

Lucas P

More Owensville Letters to Santa

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Owensville Christian Church

Christmas Sunday Times (Dec. 23rd):

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Keep Christ In Christmas

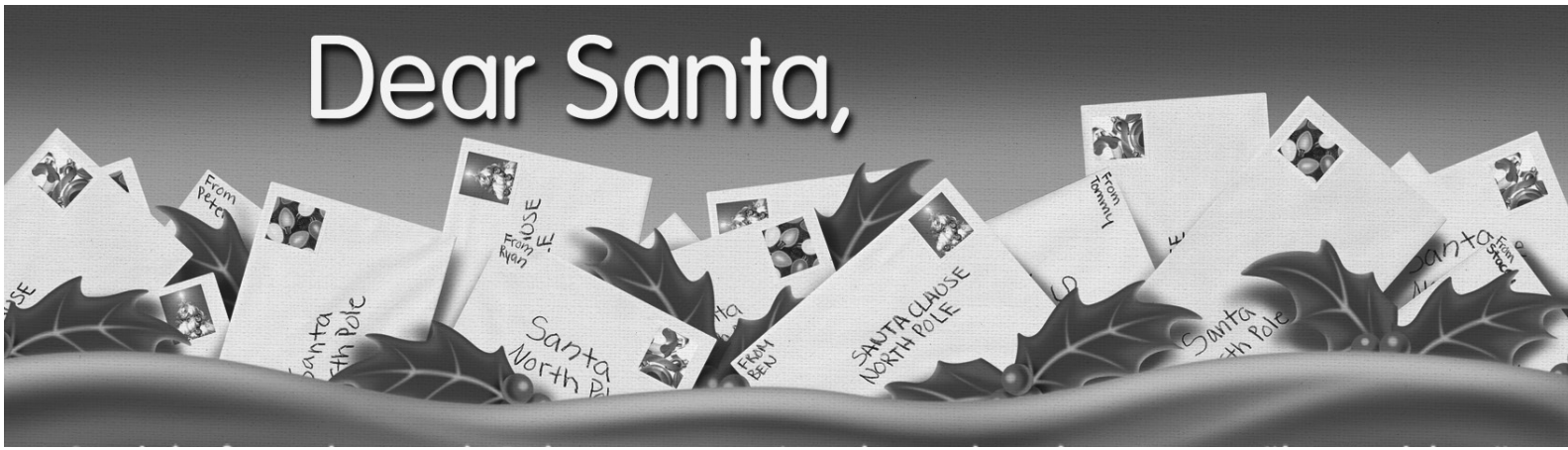
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Knights of Columbus
Owensville Council #2547
Owensville, MO



Dear Santa,



Owensville Elementary Third Grade Tracy Thomas, Teacher

Dear Santa,
for xmas I want a PS4 and spiderman, gold of war, call of duty 4, minecraft, call of duty WWII, Resident Evil 7 i Biohazard, rocket League. Tiny snake that stays small rolex and fit bit yongnuo's yn450 mirhoorless camera 4'3 sensor androides, iPad, Pro-Apple, iPhone9 and Eflenses 4K Jack septiceye case. Pances, Jacksepticeye mench hat and back pack Markiplier merch of shirt, hoodie XL kid size giant mickey mouse toy and stuff like buzz light year, woody, potohaed and a buzz light year Blanket

Alex B

Dear Santa,
I would really like a ipod touch and a ps4. I would also like some basketball shorts and sweatpants. A new traxxa rc car. Another thing I want is a fox motocross hat. Also, I want is some hoodies and a couple of fleeces. The last thing I want is a camera.

Your friend, Brogan C

Dear Santa,
I wunt at my momes hows. I wan't a PS4 and Farm simulator WWE2k 19 and 4 seferison 4. At my dad hows. I want Farm saimullator WWE2k19 and I want 4seferison4.

love sincerely your friend, Charlie K

Dear Santa,
You are the joyful person ever can I have a smart watch for kids. a groot fitbit cub a Aquaman Deluxe shark play set a elf on The self Book & elf set with Blue eyed girl elf and a Brown eyed Boy elf. Kano coding comporter. nintendo swich, a sing and dane parerit a realy rad robot Tha spy's for you speack for you and does things for you. A light up dooreis Balance Board for my my life Boy doll. Creat creatures and DC Aquaman Trident. and a light up Balance Boad for me. and a Rock'em Sock'em roBot game. I also want a DC Aquaman Poster and a Pare of HeadThones

From, Brennan N

Dear Santa,
I would like a laptop please and some ear Buds pleas I have tried to be good this year. and have had a Lot of exsiersise and I whold like a new spring trap plushy and a nightmare foxy plushy and a witherd foxy plushy.

Your friend, Christopher H

Dear Santa,
I wunt a claw mash a phon, a Easy Bake oven, camra close pants, DVD, TV, LOL Sprisis, nail-set, Phen case,

Love, Merci B

Dear Santa,
Heres a few things I would like for Christmas an brand new tablet case and cat stuff I want my stockings full and play store gift cards a book I would really want is 9 from the nine worlds and also I would want a couple of lego sets and dont forget to give my sister saida her stuff too so as long as where not on the naughty list please give us what we want.

August H

Dear Santa,
I've been very good this year. I want a tot of movies. A whole box full. I also would like a Nintendo switch. Please send me a new elf me dog ate the last one.

Brody R

Dear Santa,
Can I pless have my familly and frides for Christmas with school going on I barley git to see them. so that is why I wut to see them

Love, Brooklynn M

More Owensville Letters to Santa Continued on Page 2D

*Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas!
From Our Family to Yours*



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Our very best wishes for a merry and magical Christmas, and happiness that continues to grow all year long!

Happy Holidays!

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Music is in the air

Maries R-2 students have been filling the air with music the weeks before Christmas. The elementary students (top) hosted their winter concert on December 7. The middle school (above) and high school (right) choirs performed on December 14. The Maries R-2 Bands (below) performed on December 11.



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A band tradition

Milly Green of Owensville (left) and her daughter, Bonnidette Lantz, St. Louis, pose for a photograph in Jamie Isom's Flipping Good Times booth during the Dutchmen Band Booster Club's 26th winter craft sale held Dec. 1. They have made sure their visit to the sale together, which coincides with Lantz's birthday, includes the tradition of getting a photograph made at Isom's booth. This was their third year attending the event. Patti Durbin's Pink Zebra stand was a popular stop for shoppers at the event. The soy wax dots are scented with fragrance oils and may be used in simmer pots or to create candles.



PHOTOS BY DAVE MARNER



Merry Christmas



There may be a chill in the air at the holiday season
But we're filled with much warmth and you are the reason;
So to our many good friends both far and near,
We bid a most joyous Christmas and a happy New Year!

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Christmas in Rosebud

Benton Leach (left, top left photo) is not too sure about this man with the long white beard as his sister Addison counts the items she wants for Christmas at Rosebud's annual Christmas celebration at the Big Red Barn on Dec. 1. Abby Mueller (above) is part of the Owensville Christian Church's Youth Group puppet show. Seven grandchildren of Jeff and Rhonda Bohl, pose with Santa for a group photo. Wendy Plumb, with the Scenic Regional Library was in character for her reading of "How the Grinch Stole Christmas." More photos from this event can be found at www.WardenPublishing.pixieset.com.

PHOTOS BY DENNIS WARDEN



Merry Christmas & Happy New Year !
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This holiday with all of you!

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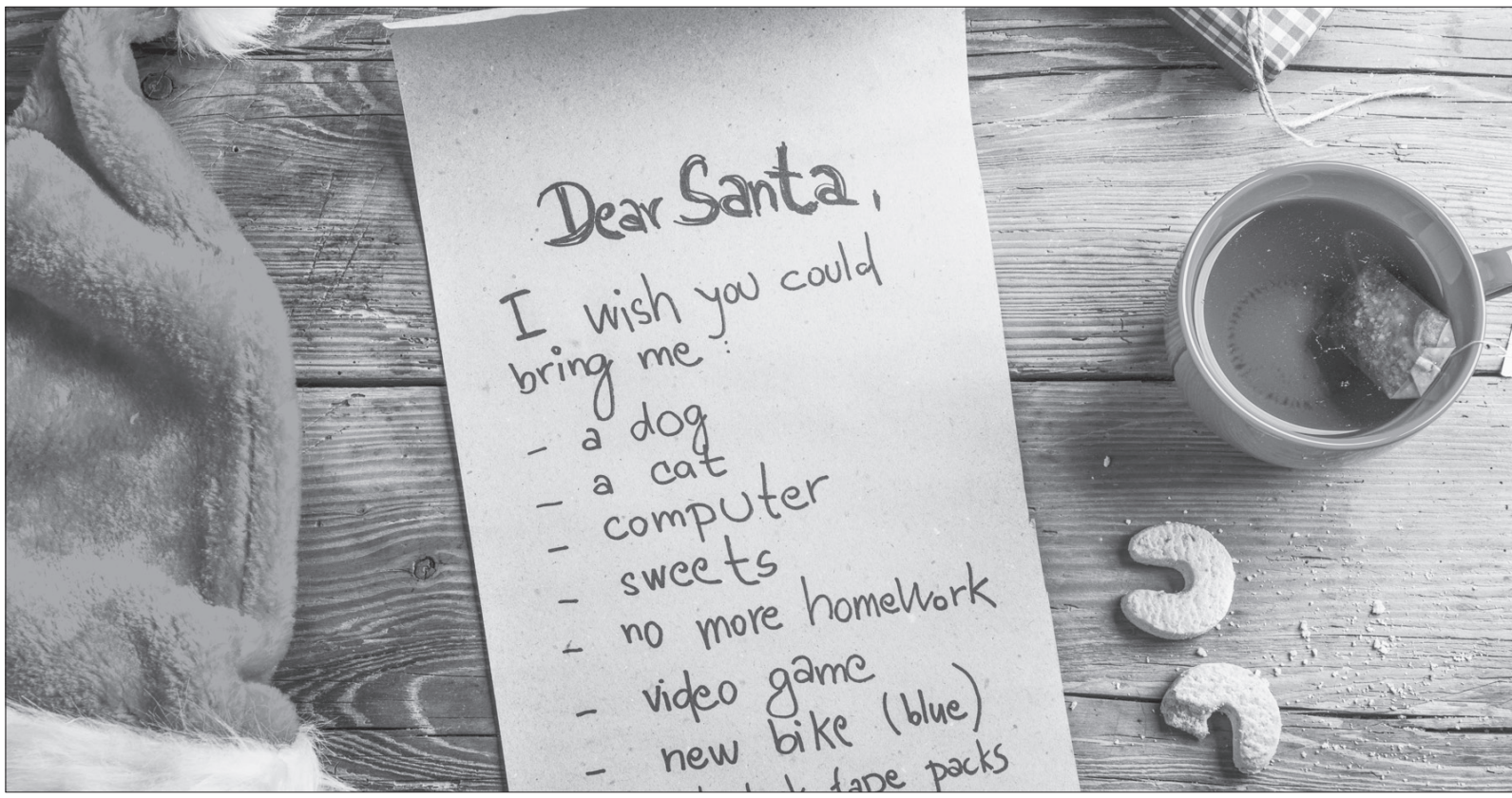
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As we celebrate the Miracle that took place in a simple manger so many Christmases ago, we are filled with a sense of peace, joy, contentment and love that we want to share with all of our good friends and neighbors here in the community.

We wish you and your family all the blessings this holy season holds. Thank you for your kindness, friendship and support. Merry Christmas!

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Dear Santa,
I wish you could bring me:
- a dog
- a cat
- computer
- sweets
- no more homework
- video game
- new bike (blue)
- tape packs

Take some time to read the enclosed "Letters to Santa," from local 1st, 2nd & 3rd graders. They will fill your heart with joy and laughter.

But remember, they are just learning to spell. They were typed exactly as they came to us.

Gerald Elementary First Grade
Laura Link, Teacher

Der Santa,
Win I Set the cookes up you eyt them up. mey I hav a Bok'emon set and a Pokemon ball?
Love,
Schylan R

Dear Santa Claus,
I Leve JeLe kake and ChocLit ChiP cucez. I wuD lic A TABLiT ThaT I sA Min-cRAFT AnD All MincRAFT Gamz PoP PU
Love,
Aliya R

Dear Santa Claus,
Haw is Yur day? I will like if you giv me a hurburd and conner a toy. I will be gud have a gud day and I will love a ex box and I will giv ya colet cuces.
Love,
CJ P

Dear Santa Claus,
How was your day i wod like a nitindo swich and how is msis clos and how is rodlPh?
Love,
Isaac D

Dear Santa Claus,
I think I have been very good this I would like a lego man and legos to build a castle and a police officer please.
Love,
Gabby P

Dear Santa Claus,
Is Rudolph speshl? Santa Pes ca you gif me a hachamal?
Love,
Eli R

Daer Situ,
Wut conD of Cucese Do you like? Wut or the renDer Doowine? I wut a eLF on the shelf.
Love,
Roman C

Dear Santa Claus,
Do you like cookies? Becus I hope you Do. Do you like milk? Becus I hope you Do I will give you oreo coockes and milk I wuD like Joorey I wuD like a another eLF with my eLF.
Love,
Olivia L

Dear Santa Claus,
How is RudolPh? I woud like a exx box and a Sonic lego set.
Love,
Robbie R

Dear Santa Claus,
What is your farit coockey? Santa I what a hold Box of LOL Dols. hay, can I git eight cler glus. I what a if on six.
Love,
Khloe E

Dear Santa Claus,
I wod Lik art stuf. Wt cind uv coues Do you Lic?
Love,
Kira D

Dear Santa Claus,
Ho is your wiF? I wunt slime cler GO Dols 5 shaacs 1 darit 1 DoL haos 1 Fon and a HunDurd 1 PixLe 1 Dimind.
Love,
Teagan H

Dere Santa,
Hwo mines efs do you have? I woud like a dimind. to synta
Love,
Landen P

Dear Santa Claus,
What chooeyS Do you like? Whaoow is Rudolph?
Love,
Arie T

Dear Santa Claus,
Haw if Rudolph? I whunt a cat. I am goen to nam it oolof.
Love,
Aubrey P

Dear Santa Claus,
What time Do you go owt of your shop at Crismis? Cod i git a maginex caricter?
Love,
Samuel E

Dear Santa Claus,
Are you reel? if you are can i have a playstashin and i will make you some cooki's. Can i see RudolPh? Wher do you live. Can the pultr exspres pick me up at RosBod 202?
Love,
Colten D

Dear Santa Claus,
I leve Penut cookies And milk I wunt a Clay set, chaptr Book, Elf on the Shelf.
Love,
Vanessa S



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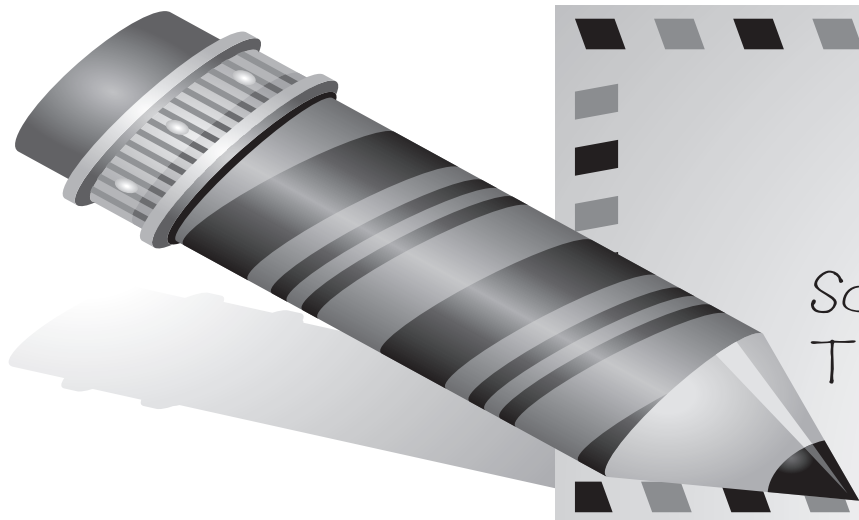
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So we're not just stringing you along when we say,

Our gratitude and best wishes are on the way!

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Gerald Elementary First Grade
Jenise Stockton, Teacher

Dear Santa,
how Are you? how mAny PresNts have you gived? I would Like for ChristmAs the NeNteNdo Swich AN I PAD Pro ANd merer. I Like You Sana! I hope u get presentS to thes yeAr I Love You I wANT A rescue Pet ANd A real DOg Ps How is Ms Claus

From,
Elizabeth G

Dear Santa,
I want a car and trucs and a skatboyd and sled and a bike and a clismis shrt.

Love,
Kaidyn L

Dear Santa,
How is The Presis goen? Do you like the Klor reb?

Love,
Dakota R

Dear Santa,
I wat a now TableT. I wut a now imajines bat boty. Coulb you breg a now dog for my sistru?

Love,
Rylan BT

Dear Santa,
Santa NRF LasRTaG eReF aNeN mY Chisimis Lit ANd A PS4 ANd the Gam FiNTNit ANd the Gam MiNcrat ANd A Dtio ANd AMi Chat FiGRS WiFeRe MiNch at MIMP ANd A dog MiN Books ANd A Kodode GAm ANd A pet the kat Book AnNd a FiPuZoo

Love,
Jace D

Dear Santa,
haw is The ran diers haw is Ms. Claus haw are you Doweng I waNt H toy car haw is YouR EIF Doweng haw is the NrthPI

Love,
Lydia B

Dear Santa,
How are the elfs doing and merry Christmas and I Love you!

Love,
Mallory S

Dear Santa,
I want a bitty baby For christmas. and bitty baby sTuF. how is SnowFlak Duwen.

Love, Madisyn S

Dear Santa,
I want Sam HoT WHEels ANd suM PoKMoN KRS ANd suM BROGAMES ANd CAN I get suM diNoToys ANd How Are your raiNDeers. Are THEY gooD?

Love,
Logan H

Dear Santa,
Haw are you DooiNe? I WhaNt a brbe van. Hawn are your ReinNbear? I whaNt a brbe erem Hose!

Love,
Katie R

Dear Santa,
How are you? And one more kitten. And I wunt two of the things that I saw on my dad's Phone. And I want a Phone for Christmas Plesze. And I Love kittens!

Love,
Peyton R

Dear Santa,
I want a Now We. I want a New Culreg set. I want a Now Pool. I want a New BaBy.

Love, Alivia V

Dear Santa,
Hi, How are the rarder? I want cow boy boots. I want a noo laso. I want a tableT. Thank you Santa.

Love,
Stockton S

Dear Santa,
How are you doow Santa? How are your elfs? I Have Ben goD Santa. I want a tablet. I want ex box 1. I want new soos. I lik to have a book can I have an elf on a shelf? Thank you Santa!

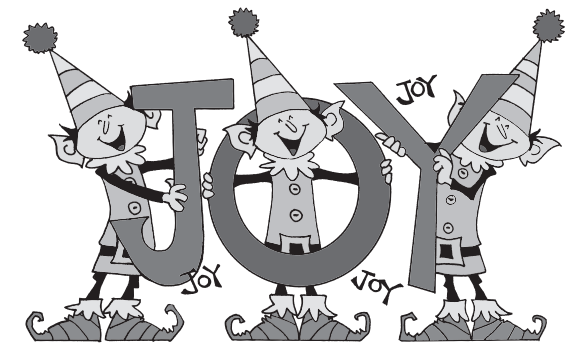
Love,
Kaydence P

Dear Santa,
Hao is uor roDoF bowin and I wo Far Christmas is hoW PakP tauoy

Love,
Charley T

Dear Santa,
So mach I Love Yaas an Eou. hao yero BaBe? Bin merry. Christmas a senta sec ht a is rele! I want to bavy a kinttn Fer crisms Plez Santa PleR PleLL

Love, Lillian P



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December 2018 Christmas...



No matter how often we sing them, the simple words of "O Little Town of Bethlehem" always transports us to the night on which the Christ Child comes to earth. Through a quiet, gentle tune, and pictures painted with words, we enter the time and place where God's Son is born into human history and the Word becomes flesh. The prophet, Micah, tells of a great ruler who is to come from Bethlehem.

Two thousand years ago, Bethlehem was situated in a country occupied by foreign troops and administered by Roman officials who had little interest in the humble people who lived there.

In Luke's gospel, the Roman Emperor, Caesar Augustus, ordered a census, requiring Mary and Joseph to travel about 90 miles or so from Nazareth to Bethlehem. The town is overcrowded, packed with travelers arriving to register for the emperor's census.

Bethlehem becomes the center of our universe at this time of the year. Bethlehem is where everything comes together, where a child is born and laid in a manger, a child who will grow strong in faith and obedience to God. He will love, heal, teach, and mentor. He will die our death, and in return, give us the greatest of gifts, eternal life. Hope in the Messiah is a hope for peace, and Micah is celebrated also for his vision of peace. Micah explains, "They will beat their swords into plow-shares and their spears into pruning hooks. Nations will not take up swords against nations, nor will they train for war anymore." St. Luke, who records the message of the birth of the Messiah, also records a song about peace that is sung by a choir of angels after baby Jesus is born: "Glory to God in the highest and peace on earth among who his favor rests." Luke 2:14. People who don't know many other hymns, know the words to Christmas carols.

The name Bethlehem means "House of Bread." On the night that Jesus was born, the village lives up to its name. Jesus, "The Bread of Life" comes down from heaven to enter human history in

Bethlehem, the "House of Bread." Jesus, our Messiah, fulfills all that God requires of the Savior, the Anointed One. The Christ Child gives us roots, a past rich in tradition and a place to plant our feet. There is a permanence in the child given to us at Bethlehem. Through the Christ Child, we become heirs in the long history of God's people.

As we wait anew for the birth of a baby in Bethlehem, we recall that we are also awaiting the coming again of Christ at the end of time. Through Jesus, we have a future filled with hope, both in this world and the next. Through this gift, we know that nothing can ever separate us from God's love, not death, not the present and not the future. The manger is the place where we can lay down the hopes and fears of all the years, knowing that they will be borne by the one that came for that very purpose. Merry Christmas!

God's Blessings,

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Glenn Hollander, pastor
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Gerald light parade

Old Whitey, (far left) one of Gerald's first fire trucks, led the Christmas Light Parade through Dec. 15, carrying Mr. and Mrs. Claus (below). Entries in the parade included businesses, the school, individuals and churches such as the Gerald Community Church of God (photo, bottom left). The parade, sponsored by the Gerald Area Chamber of Commerce, traveled down Main Street and ended up at the Gerald Depot. More photos from this event can be found at www.WardenPublishing.pixieset.com.

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Merry Christmas!

Gerald Knights of Columbus
Gerald, Missouri



Santa comes to Rosebud with a lama and a pony

Santa and Mrs. Claus (top) pose for a photo with Viola Mae Rademacher as her mother Christina takes her first picture with the jolly old elf on Dec. 1. Rosebud Police Chief Mason Griffith was patrolling the community wearing a Llama Christmas sweater. Krystal Rapps (above) holds her god-daughter Avery Helling with her daughter Kyana Jones, as she pets a pony at the petting zoo for the Dec. 1 Rosebud celebration.

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Seated on couch from left: Norine Garcia, Idabel Brandt, Mary and Charles Feagan.
Back from left: Sadie Kohrmann, Donna Ruth, Renee Terrill RN/Director, Alice Garrison, Mildred Schmidt, Doris Schneider, Mary Graham, Mildred Beckler, Gladys Koepke, Esther Pfeiffer and Rachael Green.
Residents not pictured: Linda Watson, Allen Secrist, Ken Limberg, Ruth Mealer, Mary Baker and Virginia LeClaire.
Staff not pictured: Norma Nelson, LeeAnn McLaughlin, Amber Stockton, Brenda Stockton, Renee Losh and Kim Eberlin.

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Gerald Elementary First Grade
Kristyna Higgins, Teacher

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Love,
Emily D

Dear Santa,
Can I have a bunch of germ-x that can open easy. I want my iPod back. can I also have a new kitten because my mom took cally to the vet so she can not have babys.
Love,
Abigail D

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year and for crismas I want a Phone a rabr band set. And I want Hat's and glav's. And I expshule want a McO Sients Cit at wallmart in the toy sechtins. And I want a new puppy. And elf snot.
Love,
Jordan D

Dear Santa,
I would like a drone electric car and a muh you make toys sa fast! santa love you
Love,
Eddie G

Dear Santa,
Iv Help aLot of pepele this year is RedoF Real is CalaB your worker Can I Plz Have 10 oooovBuks HuverBaord Splsh es candy Phone case math CDs tums Glue on Chest Hair Book o Fioks noteBook
Love,
Tommy K

Dear Santa,
I wish that i can hav a pet dog and a coce and a Pet fox and a present and a net elf on the sheif.
Love,
Aubrey K

Dear Santa,
I have ben good this year My. Name is Caleb L. What i want for Christmas is a boy. Elf on the Shelf. Ges school gerald Mrs higgins Room secand grade classroom. And a girl elf. And the boy elfs on the shelves name. Is Mr SPrinkle and twins Please. Boy and a girl
Love,
Caleb L

Dear Santa,
My name is Layna M. I go to G.e.s school. in Mrs. Higgins class I want a gril elf on the shelf I will name her Mrs. Cupcake. I think she will be fun.
Love,
Layna M

Dear Santa,
I would like to have Teletmbbies toy and a Teletubby house. How is everyone doing? Thank you for everything.
Love,
Jaelynn N

Dear Santa,
What tipe of pupy am i going to git atea cup pupy or a dall mashin or what avr it is Be hapy any way and thank you santa sososo much can I have a elf on the shef befor crismis?
Love,
Kayden S

Dear Santa,
I have Ben verry good this year can I have a snap of you on your RanDeer Please can i have sticy tac an slime an smelly markers an sticers an mostly evry thing ate chen needs toy elf a LittLe Live Pet puppy camra.
Love,
Makinzie V

Dear Santa,
Can I have sticky tak. Can I have JoJo Siwa hoody. Can I have Phone case. Pock sock it can I have a toy elf Can I have a toy cat Can I have a toy Dog
Love,
Adalynn W

Dear Santa,
Does Rudophs nose really glow? which reindeer is your favorite? I am happy for Christmas. I really want a 4-wheeler. Please don't give cool to anyone it will make them sad. Be careful and don't eat too many cookies or your reindeer can't pull you.
Love,
Dalton L

Dear Santa,
Santa I wunt a Pchr of rodoh. And I wish I kod see rodoh. And I wunt my own ruder to. And I wish rodoh was min. And I wunt a rele rander to. And a big stuff anymle rodoh. And I hope I can see him. And I rele wunt to see rodoh ples Santa. I rele want to see rodoh
Love,
Peyton

A Word From The Wise:
REJOICE!
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We Wish You A Merry Christmas

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A growing event

This year's downtown Christmas celebration in Owensville included the lighting of a tree, a parade, and the dropping of prize snowflakes by the Owensville Fire Department. An estimated 500 people attended the activities held Nov. 30. Santa visited (above) from his hut set up beside the community tree. Members of First Assembly of God Church hosted a cookie-making event (right) and put on a puppet show.



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Santa's visit

Local bicycle enthusiasts (above) parade up First Street Nov. 30 during the community Christmas celebration in Owensville. A carload of children—some good, some not so good—are pictured with Lori Thompson, after the parade. Santa, who made a visit to town riding in an Owensville Fire Department vehicle, stops to greet the crowd. Jaxson and Benjamin visit with Santa in his hut (top, left).

Rejoice in All His Creations Both Large And Small

At the Holiday Season, our thoughts turn gratefully to those who have made our progress possible. It is in this spirit we say...Thank You and Best Wishes for the Holidays and Happy New Year!



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In the spirit of the season, we're pleased to share these heartwarming letters from Santa's youngest fans.

Owensville Elementary Third Grade
Karen Rohlfing, Teacher

Dear Santa,

May I Please have 1980 baseball cards, cardinal and Blues bobble heads, and all the cardinal and Blues merchandise you can get. A Blues blanket, a Green Bay packers helmet signed By the Quarter Backs, a vega scooter, a mini Foosball table, babe ruths Baseball card, a baseball signed by the cardhals, a bunch of super hero comics, and a hover board.

Sincerely,
Tucker S

Dear Santa,

I would like to gat Ryans world

giant egg. I would like to get monopoly fortnite

Thank you,
Rayden B

Dear Santa,

I would like to get a fuzzy jaket for christmas and please make the jaket really, really, really fuzzy please. I would also like for you to have a happy New year and a merry christmas.

Thank you,
Piper K

Dear Santa,

I would like a hoverbord. I don't

want to ask for to much stuff because I want every body in the world to have presents and I want slime thats all I want for christmas and for every body in the world to be happy. Thank you.

Love,
Kristopher C

Dear Santa,

I would like an Xbox-1. I would also like a Hoverboard. And an Alexa. finally a watch and a phonel you can get me more if you want. HO, HO, HO, HO Merry Christmas!!!!!!!

From,

Andrew B

Dear Santa,

May I have new clothes and a diffrent phone case. Oh and I would love a bigger suprize LOL Doll. May I have the movie Grintch the new one. Oh and one last thing new slippers.

Sincerely,
Jillian B

OES Third Grade
Christa Lawton

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A VERY MERRY SEASON TO YOU!

Have a Very Merry Christmas!

Wishing you and your loved ones much peace, harmony, joy and contentment this holiday season.

We know we couldn't have asked for better neighbors than you ~ thanks!

Owensville Area Ambulance District

Have A Jolly, Happy Christmas!

As another holiday season approaches, we'd like to extend our gratitude and best wishes. It's been a privilege and a pleasure serving people like you. Happy Holidays!

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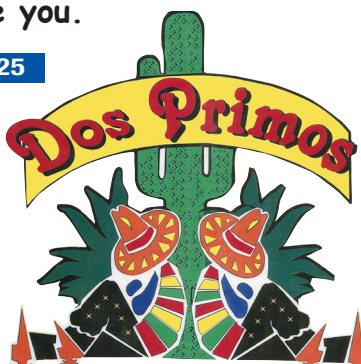
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Owensville Elementary Third Grade

Karen Rohlfing, Teacher — continued from page 2D

Dear Santa,
May you please get me a hover board and clothes and lots of squishies and I want the movie Jumanji. May I please please please please have a phone I just rilly want a phone but if I donet get a phone I want a tablet cause my old tablet dose'nt work. I rilly rilly rilly want a camra to, but not the one that has to take films and all of that. I only want the ones that are normal. May I pleas have some converse and new shoes. Can I pleas have a heavy baby alive. Can I have a boy alive. Can I please please please have a controller that go's to our P,S,4 so I can play just dance.

Sincerely,
Kabren K

Dear Santa,
I would like a hoverbour Jordan cloths fortnite clothers new phone a gold necles a gold watch and red and white Jordan shoes. bluetuth specker and a tablet slime and a Xbox-1. Also some new cowboy boots cowboy cloths I would also like a new fourwheel a smart phone and a smart watch and a go Pro and a squishies

Sincerely love, Killian C

Dear Santa,
I wold like to get... slime and squishes and fake nales and a electric scooter andbows and hover bord and clothes , + shose
Merry Christmase!
Jolissa Y

Dear Santa,
I would like to get Slime and Squishies and fake nales and some decrashans for my room. You are the best I love you and I reely what a Phone for Christmas

Sincerely, by
Shae A

Dear Santa,
Will you Plese Plese Plese Get me a Wii and new blue Jeems and Amazon tablet and a move cald blue the imaGe move.

Frum,
Hayden H

Dear Santa,
I love Christmas, every Christmas I wish for squishies and this time I wish for slime, and thoghs four menards tracks I hope you have a good time

Love,
Kaylie Hinson

Dear Santa,
I would like a computer, bath +bodyworks, clowths, bike, yoyo, and puzzel box. I hope you and Mrs. claws have a MaryChristmas. I hope you engey your vacation off of making toys and delivering toys. It must be hard wrok making toys for all the good little girls and boys. Sant thank you for the elf on the shelf. In the book it said it is cciend of like a scout or a spiey. I hope you have a Mary Christmas.

Love,
Cecily G

Dear Santa,
I would like some slime kits and some squishies a hoverbard cothes a ipod some LoL dolls and my life doll stuff some flipa-zoos a new Lunch box and backpack

Love,
Abby

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a gopro, a slime contaner. Wolf light balance siut. your dicision.

Cinceierley,
Bentley L

Owensville Elementary Third Grade

Danielle O'Dell, Teacher

Dear Santa,
I love Christmas and I like you Santa. I like your clothing and yor my favorite person ever. I like presents because you come to deliver the presents. My favorite Holidays are Christmas and Holloween.

From,
Michael M

Dear Santa,
When you come to my house can you put this stuff under the tree a slim cit, some cand, sody, a big car, some pie, That is what I want for Christmas. My sisters want this for Christmas make up, sody, candy, and coffe. My brother wants one thang Santa can you git his car done for Christmas. My mom and Dad want a spa.

Adriane G

Dear Santa,
How are you're elf's and you're rainbeer? I bet you've been making toy's like crazy! you havf to make over 100 toy's for boy's and girl's. This is a list of thaing's I want babby's another babby alive. wakey takey charger, and a tela skoipe. I can't think of eney thing else I want. So have a mErry Christmas.

From,
Amelya C

Dear Santa,
What I want for Chistmas is a DS, littlest pet shops, horse models, beads and string, and a gold hoveboard. I hope you like the cookies we made for you. We also got carrots for the raindeer. Thank you so much! Also have a merry chistmas.

Your friend, Story S

Dear Santa,
How are you doing and how are you're elv's doing for Crimis I want some NerF bolittes and a skoip and a NerF MshEN guN.

From,
Dakota W

Dear Santa,
How are your elves doing? can I have. Fallout 7G, Wood carving kit, tent sleeping bag, 22 rifle and c bateres.

Love,
Bradley L

Dear Santa,
Your elf has done lots of stuff. And thank you for the chocolate. I have been so exsided for christmas. Today he throw toilet paper all over our christmas tree. If you don't now his name it is steve. Thing I want Lamerjin RC car hoverboard goldd new scooter new new nerf gun with bullet

Your friend,
Jax J

Dear Santa,
I relly want a PS4 because my couisin has one. My brother and I want a n.c. car. we also want a new colter for x-mas. PS haw expeny are they together.

From,
Ethan L

Dear Santa,
Santa and his elfs How are you doing? Well I am good. Are the elfs working hard in the workshop. I have got good grades. I know the people around the world is having a good time like me. They may be doing the same thing as us. I want lots and lots of slimes and puttys. I love you santa.

From, Pyper M

Dear Santa,
I really hope you can have the cookies and milk. That we bake and if you write back before christmas. we can bake the cookies of your choice. can I also have a remote control car please. I have been good and I would also like the Dog Man book sieries and as much money as you would like to give me and a xbox 1 x please. Also everything I like please.

Love,
Aiden C

Dear Santa,
I want a float a Boneroe a Peano a Fone a awisLeaFone a DoLLe a Box with. mits. a gome a tv a micrFone a teDyBare.

From,
Natasha S

Dear Santa,
How are you doing how are the elves doing will you tell them that I want: Binoculars Kody buzz I phone note book nerf guns a compass caNdy Books

From, Weston B

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Gerald Elementary Second Grade
Ashley Powell, Teacher

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I have done these nice things 1. I have bin nice. 2. I help shop. 3. I help brother read. My Christmas wishes 1. I wish to have a lot of presents 2. I wish to have a bike a 20 inch bike 3. I wish for a crazy sweter. I hope you like the Christmas cookies and milk
Love,
Jazmyn L

Dear Santa,
I have been nice this year. I have done these nice things. 1. helpful 2. nice 3. good friend These are my Christmas wishes. 1. Nintendo 2. Xbox one nzw Books 3. Call of Duty toys. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk.
Love,
Wyatt B

Dear Santa,
I have Been good. I have done these nice ting's. 1 I have benn filling other people's Buckets 2. I Ben cleaning up the class Room. 3. I cleaned the Bord till it was wite. these are my Christmas wishes. 1. I want a Leash for my Pupy. 2. I want a halter for my Pupy. 3. I want a Reail Life Pupy.
Madison H

Dear Santa,
I have Been very good this Year. I Have Done these nice things. 1. I Helped 2 Feapole at Walmart. 2. I gave my sharpener to colton to use. 3. I Helped my DaD clean a taco up. These are my Christmas whises. 1. PS 4. 2. Competer/yt. 3. fast fouris 7. 4. xbox one x 5. anoter tv. I Hope you enjoy the cookies and milk.
Love,
Hayden P

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I have done these nice things. 1. I feld sumwuns bucket today. 2. I havent tutcht the elf. 3. I've ben good in school too. and these are my Christmas wishes. 1. I want a haverboerd. 2. and a new Bike 3. and I want a dert Bike. oh ah I forgot to tell you sumthing. How are your randerer?
Love,
Pierce S

Dear Santa,
I gave my mom a hug. I told a teacher to have A good day. I hugged my sister. Play Station 4 hoverboard \$5,000
Love,
Bryce

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I have done these things I've ben good to the puppies. I listen to mom and dad. I learned my lesson. These are my cristmas wishies I hope for world peace. I hope for my parents to stop smoking. I hope to stop being bad. I hope you enjoy the hot chocolate and cookies we made you.
Love,
Coltan B

Dear Santa,
I have Been Pretty good This year. ive Done these nice things. 1. I Played with my sister. 2. I Shared my toys with my friends. 3. I Played with my friends. These are my Cristmas wishes. 1. I hope I get A new iPad. 2. I hope my family is there with me. 3. I hope I get a P.S.3. I hope you like your hot chooAt And cookies. Merry Cristmas.
Love,
Violet L

Dear Mr. C,
I have been very good this year. I have done these nice things. 1. cleening dishes. 2. Doing chow's. 3. Changing my sisters Diuper. These are my Christmas wishes. 1. slime 2. skwishes 3. makeup I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk.
Love,
Peyton S

Dear Santa,
I have been veary good this year. This year I will be giveing you cookies and milk. I hope you enjoy your veary tasty snak. I hope it is veary good. And I hope you Don't get a Belly-ak. These are some thing I wunt for Cristmas... slime, makeup, pop-cockit, swishey and fake nails. thank you Santa.
Love,
Haley B

Dear Santa,
I have Ben vary good this year. I have done these nice things. 1. I have done a lote fo chors. 2. helpet pepol. 3. Ben qiat most

fo the time during class. These are my Christmas wishes. 1. a huverBord. 2. Slime. 3. I have know Idea. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk.

Delya C
Dear Santa,
I have been vary good this year I have these nice thangs. 1.) help kids in need 2.) not planing enthang 3.) Doing my chors My Christmas wishes 1 hoverbord 2 LOL Dollhouse 3 Shopkins 4 Amarian girl
Love,
Abbey Q

Dear Santa,
I Have Been good this year. I Have done these nice things 1. Helped 2. Said Please & thank you 3. Said I'm sorry These are my Christmas wishes 1. Shirts 2. Colored pencils 3. Adult coloring Book I Hope you Like the cookies & milk.
Love,
Holly A

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Gasconade County Northern District Commissioner
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Sweet Tidings

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Merry Christmas!

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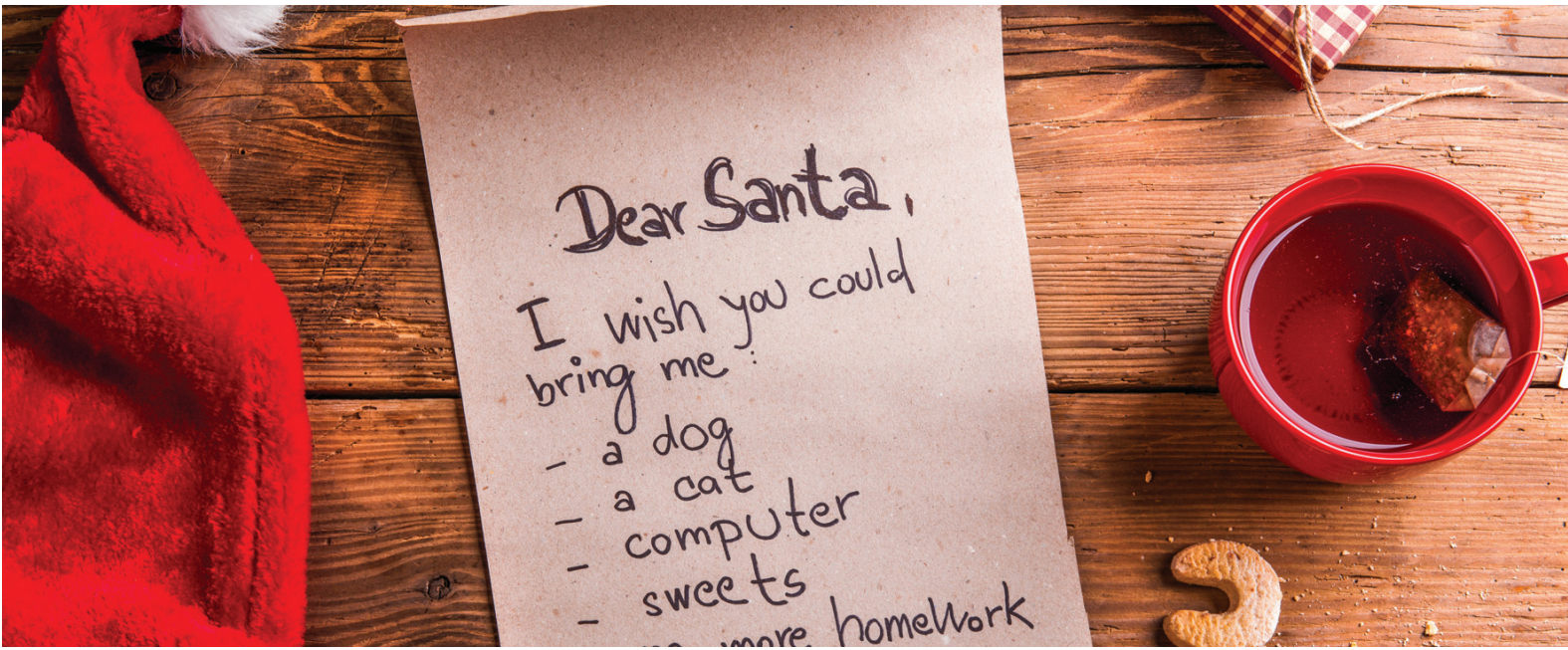
Christmas Is in the Air

Everywhere we go, it's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, and we can't think of a better place to celebrate than right here at home with all of you. Your friendship and goodwill mean so much to us, and we feel deeply blessed to be a part of this community. We wish all of you a merry, bright and blessed Christmas.

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Dear Santa,
My name is Logan K. I've been very good this year I've helped pack and unpack when we were moving I also helped my grandma pack stuff. I really want some x-box live gold (one year.) I'd like a youth shotgun. Also can I have the fantastic beasts siereis. Can I have a batch of Mrs. Claus's cookies?

Your friend,
Logan K

Dear Santa,
I Love you'r reindeer and you'r elves and how are you doing this year I wud like a iPhoun and a PoPsokit this year from Crismas. I Love you thank.

Love,
Lucy G

Dear Santa,
I dont want muche. I just want two nerf guns & a Intendo Swich. I want the two nerf guns to add to my caletchen. And the swich to play whith my brother's.

Your firnd, **Sam W**

Dear Santa Claus,
your sooo cool. That you can eat all those cokies in one night without Getting a tummy eake. I just think that is sooo cool. I want a yellow laPtoP case and a laPtoP mouse. With a yellow smile face on it and yellow keys for my laPtoP and a Polored ecsesory kit.

From,
Brinley S

Dear Santa,
How have you been? I have really been good this year I'll tell you two reasons why. First, I got along with my siblings. Next, I did evry thing I was supost to. Can you please give me a lego friends set?

Your friend,
Payton S

Dear Santa,
I want a BB gun and a machine gun BB gun. I want a car for my mom and dad. I want a remote contra and I want it to snow very hard.

Love, **Earnie H**

Dear Santa,
can you be nice and not got me on the noty list no afens but biwords add you like as 3,000 pounds or something and hold much do you way inyway if its over 300 pounds I don't blame you I mean you eat like 5 billeon cookies wich is like 50,000 ponds of cookies.

Mason M

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus doing also how is the reindeer doing also how are you doing I have been on my best behaveyour may I have legos. or a pop sockit mine fell off. may I have it pink.

Sincerely,
Riley G

Dear Santa,
I hope you have a happy Christmas. May I have a my life doll the science one if you can. May I have the magic tree house books. May I have some slime. Can I have the Barbie Dreamhouse? Can I have lots of Squishes? Can I have some

mechanical pencils? Don't eat all the cookies.

Love,
Liz G

Dear Santa,
Just so you konk I live in two houses. and how is Mrs. Claus doing. and how is the elves doing and how is the reindeer. and I rely want a unicorn bedroom set and I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Love,
Lilly R

Dear S,
Can I have a puppy? Our priple not going to but it's ok. I want a lol pet, lol doll, shopkins, num num's, a nutr shopkin holdr bceuse I have more a lot more, that big lol doll that is \$79.99, sqishe's, no srtis, just toy's just kiding =).

Love,
Eva S

Merry Christmas
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Luke 2:14

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Christmas Bells Are Ringing

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Dear Santa,



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Gerald Elementary Third Grade Katie Schaning, Teacher

Dear Santa,

I have been very good This year. I was nice so I fed th Stery cats I want an 5 LOL suPrise pets 2 LOL SuPrise Live pets scuff a laavs blue xboxex and to come with Fournite Season 7

**Love's,
Megan G**

Dear Santa,

I have been good this year. I helped my mom cean & helped my Dad put up the Christmas tree & put up Deceraiotian's. I would like to get, a hoverbord, iPone, iPhone case, 1 apble, xbox 1, pink controller,

**Love,
Kennedy W**

Dear Santa,

i have been very good this year i help my mom. Please bring me Pokemon tuB's the new wuns. and a nintinto swich. and a Lago nijogo oets. and toy guns. and a gaming char. and Binde and the pack manchin chaPtr 1. 2. 3. 4 and 5. and a DeadPool gam for a PS4.

**Sincerely,
Aaiden C**

Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I have cleaned up my house. And I have been good in school. I would like to get sweat pants, and squishes for Christmas. And I want a Hover board. Thank you! =)

**Sincerely,
Payton E**

Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I Lost my Cosin. I HelPed my GanPa Pik up leaves and aso Help my ankle .S. I would like a Anozon eco and a elechit soter/Bike.

**Sincerely,
Cullen G**

Dear Santa,

I Have been very good this year. I Have been being nies please bring me sume clows.

**Sincerely,
Clara D**

Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I clan my room. Please bring me a Phone case and makeup. I need clothes to Please Santa.

**Love,
Jasmine D**

Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I helped my mother clean the living room every day last month. I want 5\$ squishes for Christmas I need a dog man book and I'll wear boot cut jeans thank you

**Sincerely,
Jillian P**

Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I take my dog out. I want a Play Station 4.

**Love,
Lex B**

Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I DiD Dishes I want a computer a gaming chair and arcade Pac man.

**Sincerely,
Carter J**

Dear Santa,

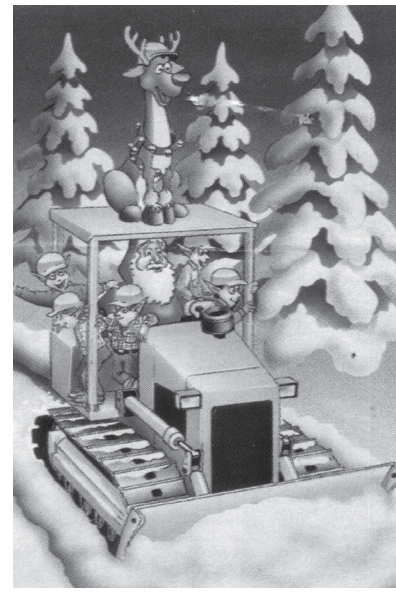
I have been very good this year. I help my brother Do hoom-wrck. I need winter clos and a sot and boot's. I would like a x box 1.

**Love,
Angie H**

More Letters to Santa Continued on Page 7B

BEST HOLIDAY WISHES

Holiday Greetings



Wishing you a Christmas filled with all the things that make this season special.

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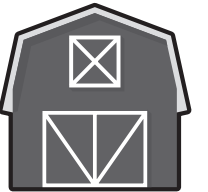


At The Holiday Season

It may be cold outside, but our hearts are warmed as we recall the many kind people we've helped us this year. We're deeply grateful for your support and wish you all a very Merry Christmas.

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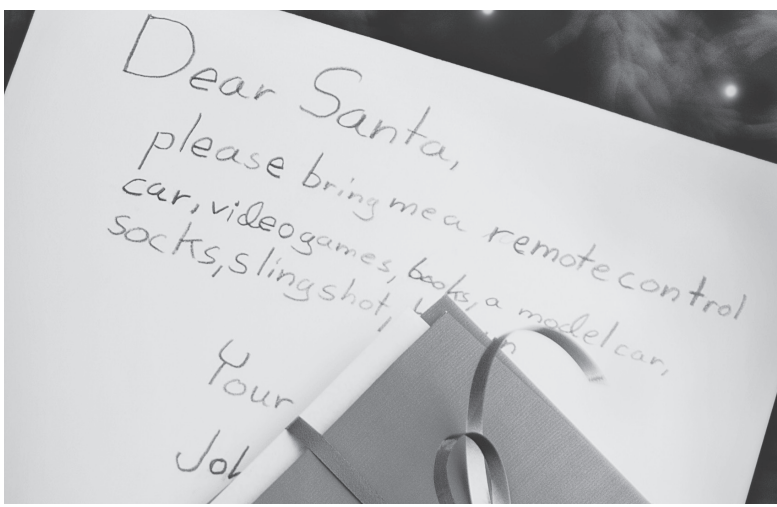
Christmas is a magical time of year for young and old alike. Take time to relax and enjoy the blessings of the season.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

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Gerald Elementary Third Grade
Dawn Rice, Teacher

Dear Santa,

I want a now. Barrb hase and a ps for card for Dezmyn and moma. New car I Love Chrismis I. Hope you hav a hale jole day Santa 20,000 dolrs if you can go to my hose. It will be so moch fun be avle to see you and. Can I hav a now bick and kile's now front teeth. Dad a now bick.

Love,
Anieya B

Dear Santa,

I want a ulrechrec get ae. And a cutrule ariplan. And a xbox. And an ipont. And a Helment. for my rolorblads. And a web shotre. 50,000 dolors. A batmoebele. And a for welre.

Love,
Braxton P

Dear Santa,

Owjamt jaly alin flood siklopo whith the flood sparten. and the footank forms black white cheso I want 4 flood spartens. and s jackeis. and 10 Gruntso and 2 brutes. and 3 ele tese whith sardes. and 14 Good Guys hormel ones. XOXOXOXO

Love,
Zaylen K

Dear Santa,

I want a LOL home. I want a hach anaml. I want a LOL boll. I want a Mrsis Clos jress. 1,000 \$. I want a ges shirt. I want a ages cote. I want a welle life younucrn. I want all the LOL clechen.

Love,
Izarra S



Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas

—And help yourself to our gratitude and best wishes!

Your friendship means the world to us. Thanks.

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Hang'n by a Thread

Dear Santa,

Can you get me Farming simulator 2019 can you also get me Dirt4 can you also get my brother Quincy Call of Duty Blak Cops4 can you also get my brother Quincy NBA2K19 can you also get my mom a new coffey cup and my dad a free roofing matrail for one year.

Love,
Jaxton W

Dear Santa,

I want a tablet and my mom wants a tablet too. and my sistr wants a tablet too. and I want a hose becacese we bowt have a hores. and I want a Fone. and I wish you a maarryry cresmes.

Love,
Dianna C

Dear Santa,

Santa I want. a now fone. an a now. taBet an this. time give a. Bage of candy. I thank you. Santa Cass. I thank far. Love you

Love,
Mackenzie

Dear Santa,

I want a prank kit. and are you alrgik to cats. and penut butter coccies.

Love,
Matthew T

Dear Santa,

Rad Bad UDchin 2. BatMan Toys.

Love,
Zayne T

Dear Santa,

I want a fon. I want a pistashn. I want a fihse pod. I want a foler.

Love,
Lucas K

Dear Santa,

Can I Plesse have a boxerobot, slime, pompoms, a big dore of Dorerbls, a pishr of rdof, a toy clook a Amcarkin Doll house, a fragr of rell foody 1,000,000,000,000 \$, a fasey tint.

Love,
Aubri W

Dear Santa,

I hope I get my new hous pletey room. So I can get my own room. I also hope evre kid is owkay. I love christmas so much. I love you. I want a elf on the self next year. I want a LOL glam series. I wish for 1,000000 \$. I hope all the homelis peaple are ok. I want a reale life unicorn. You are the Best best best best santa ever.

Love,
Brailie C

Greetings of the Season

We're reaching out to all our good friends
To wish you a season of joy without end!

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And we ask for His good graces, too
That we may share with all of you
The message of that first Christmas Day
As we send this note of thanks your way!

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PEACE

Hallelujah!

At this season of His holy Birth,
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for peace on earth;
And send a message of hope
and joy your way
For a truly meaningful Christmas!

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To Look A Lot
Like Christmas!*

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In every way.
May it open the door,
For good tidings and cheer...
Merry Christmas to all
And a joyous New Year.

Jahabow

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It's time to join family and friends
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We hope your holiday
season is the best ever.

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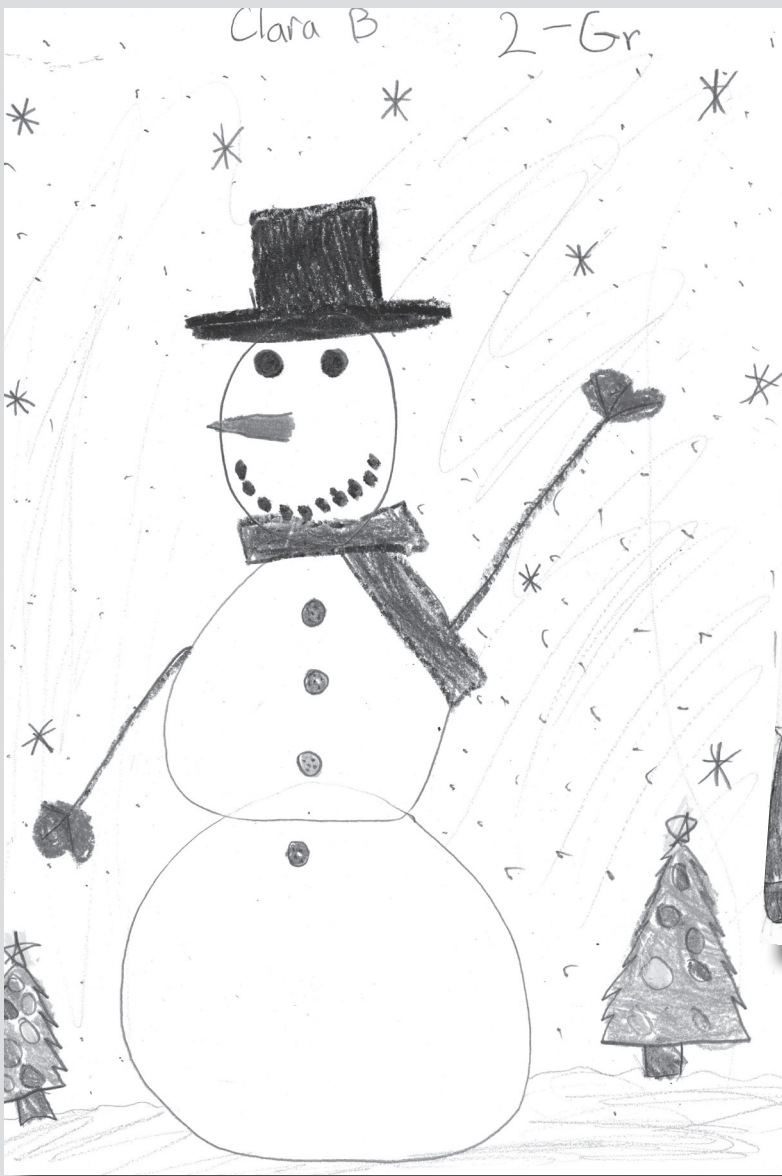
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OES Second Grade Artwork

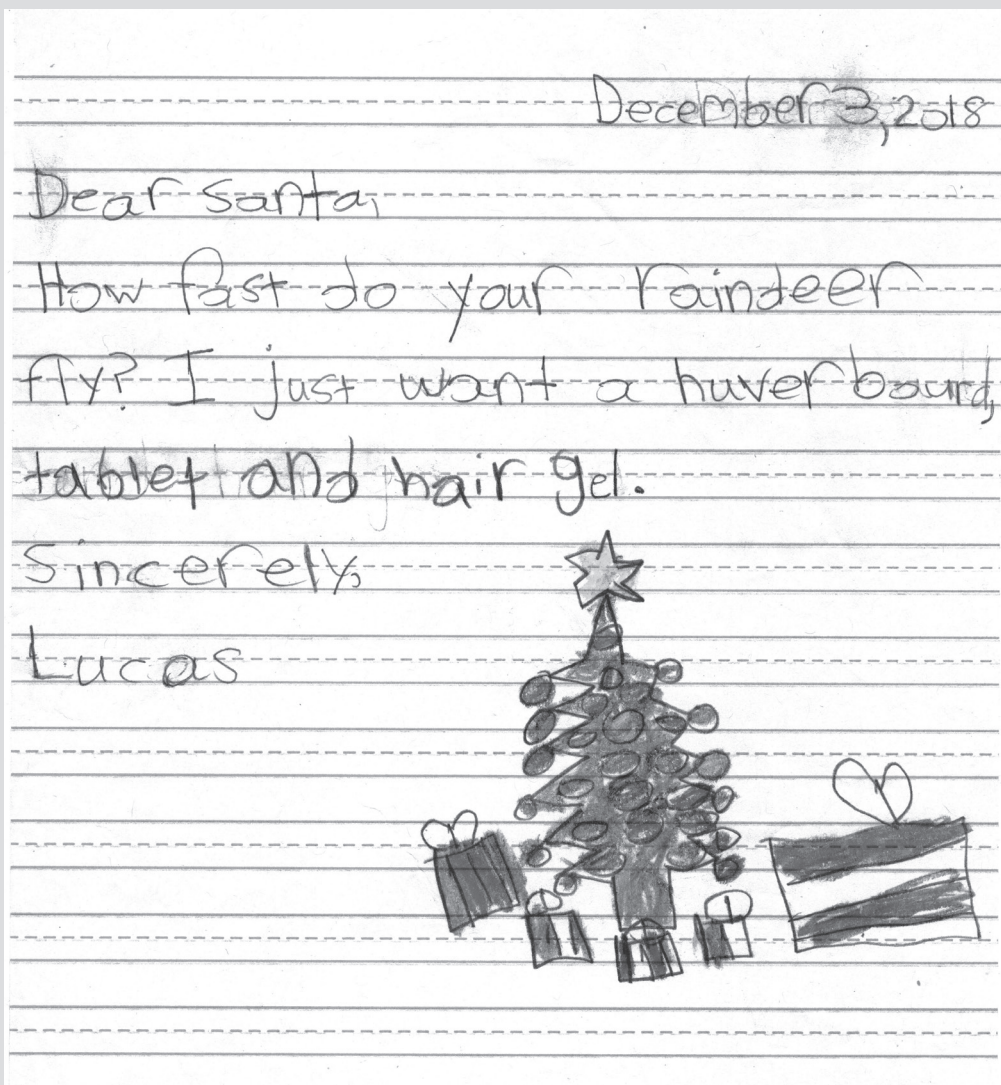
Students from Aimee Grannemann's second grade class submitted artwork with their letter's to Santa. Here are three.



by Clara B.



by Hayden C.



by Lucas S.

Merry Christmas

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Lights, camera Christmas

The theme for this year's 4th Grade Christmas concert, Dec. 11, revolved around seven short Santa Claus movies. Bailey Schoening (photo top left) was Rudy in "Lights Camera Christmas, Take 2." Westin Kramme (left, middle photo left) was Prancer. Alyvia Wilson was the assistant director in "The Hero." Miguel Marquez (left, bottom left photo) played Melton the Snowman in "The Holiday Blues." One of the "Tussling" elves, next to Miguel, was Bryce Kramme. The choir was directed by Erin Sassmann. More photos from this event can be found at www.WardenPublishing.pixieset.com.

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Santa's friends

Katherine Criswell visits with Santa during the Dec. 1 Breakfast with Santa event held at Masonic Lodge No. 624 A.F. & A.M. in Owensville. The event raised \$600 for Operation Christmas. A holiday-decorated pancake was among items on the menu that morning.



PHOTOS BY ROXIE MURPHY

Christmas greetings from Post 6133

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 6133 held their annual Christmas Party Dec. 1 with members and their families. As is their tradition following the drawings for gift baskets and Christmas cards, children at the event are invited to the front to receive Christmas wishes and a \$2 bill. VFW and Auxiliary members continued their Christmas tradition of sending care packages with holiday treats to servicemen and women related to local residents who are stationed overseas.



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New coats from Masons, Shriners

Local Masons and Ozark Shrine Club members donated 200 coats to area school children this winter. The project including funding from the Missouri Masonic Home's community assistance program.

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