



During this crazy year, we've continued to bring you the very best newspaper possible and during this Holy Season, we express our thanks for your kind support and our hopes for a very Merry Christmas, abundant in health, love and good cheer for your family.

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

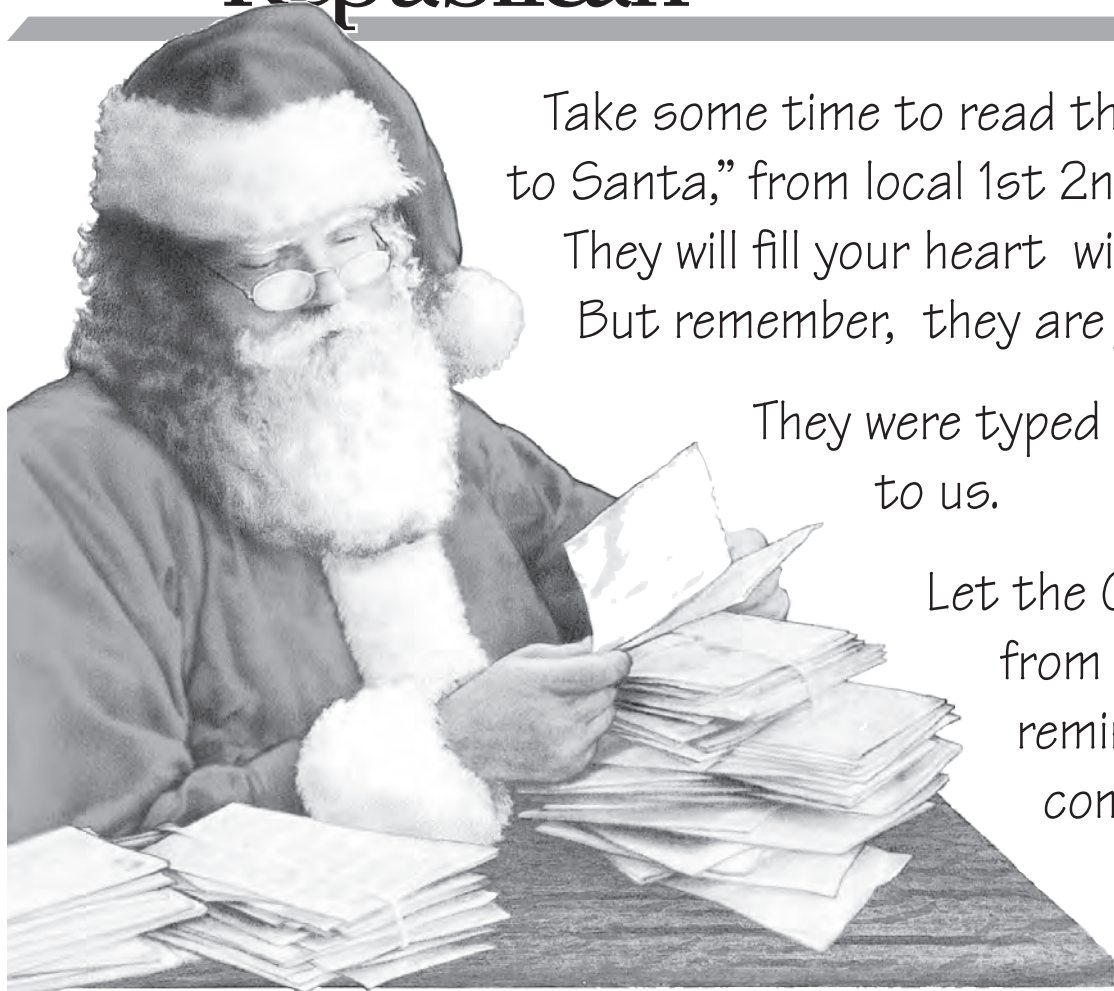


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Take some time to read the enclosed "Letters to Santa," from local 1st 2nd & 3rd graders. They will fill your heart with joy and laughter. But remember, they are just learning to spell.

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,
I want a pet fish and one amaruin girl doll and legos please and thank you. I should get these thang for christmas becus I've got my work dun.

Love,
Bella D

Dear Santa,
I been doing My good Wrck very good. I got a sockre becaus I been good. I want a Pony Please and thank you.

Love,
Elyse H

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want Klows. legows. and toy tucks I have been nice to people please and thank you

Love,
Joseph B

Dear Santa,
I want a wache slime and a hamster. Weeks I am gode Please and Thank you

Love,
Karson B

Dear Santa,
Can I hav a Friend Plese. A now water bottle thank you. Can I hav sum slime please. Please and thank you. I shod get these things because I hav doin good at skool.

Love,
Madison T

Dear Santa,
I wunt b divree with A 10C. I wunt A PIAY House for me Anb My stAff. I wuNt D boll for my sistr Dnb me.

Love,
Kylie C

Dear Santa,
I would like to christmas a doll r and Barbie, house and same dry erase markers please.

Love,
Josie C

Dear Santa,
I would like Pokemon, Minecraft, and, toys for my haw cat Please and thank you I make good choices.

Love,
Luca P

Dear Santa,
I Neeb a jump rope. I Neeb lows. I Neeb erarings. I Neeb a hat. I Neeb. I need a book. I need a neckless. I need a alarm clock. I need a notebook. I need a mulpKayshen chart. and I need a Dino Toy for my brother. Thank you.

Love,
Stella S

Dear Santa,
Can I have a jump rope. can I have nail polish. can I have stuf for spirit. Thank you santa.

I love you,
Lucy S

Dear Santa,
I wunt Science ProJeCts And legos A And Bordgams I dsrv thes thang cus I help.

Luv,
Charles P

Dear Santa,
I want cow deer hutinu and shop I bin nisu to my frens Please and thank you.

Love,
Trace R

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like bord gams\lagos rc car I have been good because I have Please and thank you

Love,
Cooper V

Dear Santa,
I want Legos sets. Kraft Stuf and a LaaP. BeKus I hellP my mom KleenuP. thank you.

Love,
Paisley H

Dear Santa,
For christmas I want a tractr CD th Pickr and a bugebeg I have been nice to friends. Please and thank you.

Love,
Mason J

More Letters to Santa

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Happy Winter & Merry Christmas

May this season of frosty fun fill your days with laughter and happy memories!

LESA LIETZOW
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Blessed Be The Day

At the birth of our Savior we wish you and yours a season of enlightenment, peace and joy.



JERRY D. LAIRMORE

SOUTHERN DISTRICT COMMISSIONER
GASCONADE COUNTY

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Happiness
Harmony
Health**

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Merry Christmas!

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Megan Shockley, Teacher

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How fo you and mis cas and the radr and the UF's i wat a SABCD froc ciym and a gitr iF you can? ttot i Fol Bot Hiaa a cocis is Dder Old? Pls Hd You AF MCis. Ho Ho Ho Ho. And I wot to Lor Het.

Marliegh

Dear Santa,

jangle frtid on your cukes. Haw is miss clos dunen? How is wruoof dunen? I want for crimis I want a top. Thack you.

Paizli E

Dear Santa,

You elf is dowing a vare good jom at trevins house. Jangle frtid on yor cookes. I wut for crismus a mreo snugle and a snugle buk.

Trevin N

Dear Santa,

hao is Miss ies CKloos! hao is the red nos rader. I want a Peek rader and a black llab and a dog bon For my ckeot pupe.

Brooklynn P.

Dear Santa,

I wut a PS4. Ha r you Den
Jasper H

Dear Santa,

I wot A mosta truk
Cole B

Dear Santa,

I wut a rodolf red nos der
Mason A

Dear Santa,

I wunt a cat and a Dog and a teDe and a Buc sef and a Pak uv Fack niLss
Hunter G

Dear Santa,

Jagol frted on Yr Kcacea. I waut a snokn Mshen.
Mason N

Dear Santa,

how are the elfs. i went a hover boered the old minecraft and santa outfit.
Liam B

Dear Santa,

I wunt a soocer Ball and a FootBall how are You dooing rite now i hope you are dooing good.

Elliot B

Dear Santa,

can i Haev a ruodolff stuft anmol and its nose glose? and can i haev a For weler.

Trad C

Dear Santa,

i will lev you cocese bekus you go to evree hosis and giv Kismis Loe Ye thank You.

Brett S

Owensville Elementary First Grade

Beth White, Teacher

Dear Santa,

I am so ikstied or christmas I have been really good. I wunt a braslit, a chokr and some ear-rings. You are the best Santa. I will give you some cokes and milk and some carrots for the reindeer. Have a good day.

Love, Elise F

Dear Santa,

I allwas wont a Borbe hous. You are the best santa. I wont a nisehort. I love christmas and I wont a paint and a paintbrush. mere christmas to all

Aisha S

Dear Santa,

I ben really good to day. I HePT my friends. I hope you remimbr me. I growe. I want a go kort for Christmas and a Norf Gun connection and a Pupie. Merry Christmas.

Jayce A

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? i have been good this year. For Christmas, I would like 300 Lago set's. I will set oawt cookee's and milk.

Apollo K

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a nrf gun, a pupey, and a 243. I will leave you sum cookies and milk and sum carrots for the reindeer. How are the reindeer doing and how or the elves doing to? I hope you have a great day for evrey time.

Greyson C

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? I have been good this year. How are the reindeer doing? For Christmas, I would like sum high heels, a techer stick, and books. I will leve you sum cookies for you and carrots.

Hanah L

Dear Santa,

I have been very Good this yer. For Christmas I would like a unucorn Onesy, a elektrik skoot, unucorn Helmet, a Evie and Mal doll, and a pug christmas swedr. I will bake milk and cookies for you.

Georgia K

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? I want a 3030 rifle, 3030 shels, a 22 mag, and some 22 mag shels.

Gus B

Dear Santa,

How dus the reindeer fly? I have bben good this year. I wunt

the new dinosaur toys, a NrFgun. I Have cookies for you.

Isaak B

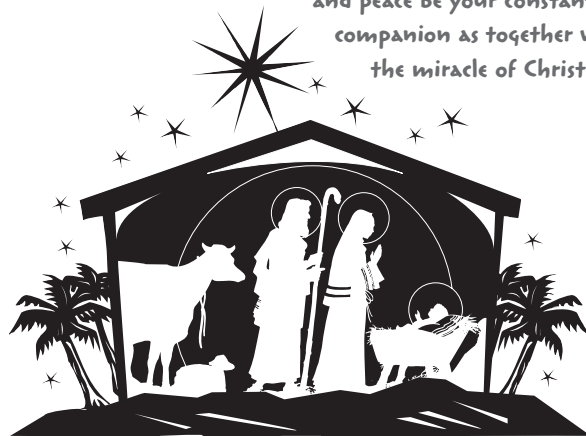
Owensville Christian Church



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LET FAITH GUIDE YOU

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from John and Lisa Kamler



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Beth White Letters to Santa

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Blessings of the Season

We joyfully celebrate the birth of Christ. May peace and goodwill surround you during this season.

New Hope United Methodist Church

1 mile West of Owensville on Hwy. 28
Sunday Worship 10:40 a.m.

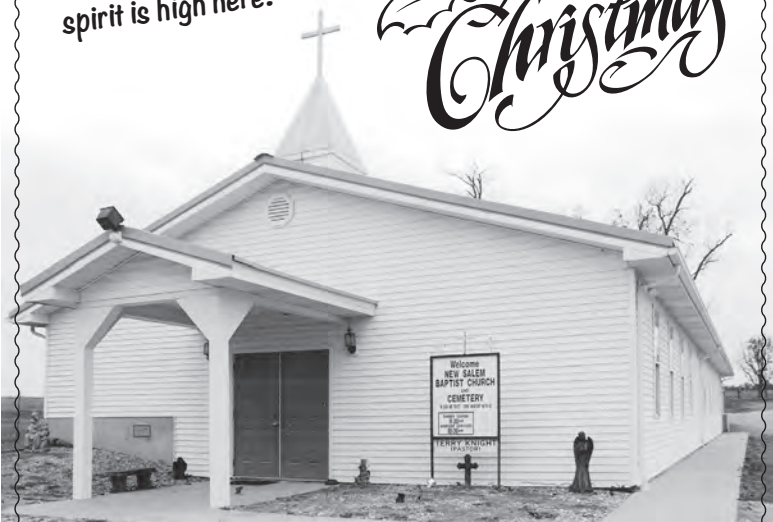


Woollam United Methodist Church

1451 Highway Y Owensville, 573-437-2896
Sunday Service 9:30 a.m.

Come and see for yourself...the spirit is high here!

Merry Christmas



May your heart and home be blessed with the true spirit of Jesus this special time of year.

New Salem Baptist Church

Pastor: JOHN (JACK) KURRELMAYER

Services: Sunday Worship...10:30AM Bible Study...9:30AM
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Happy Holidays

Wishing you peace and joy at this wondrous time of year. We look forward to seeing you again soon!



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Merry Christmas!

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As we dash toward a new year, we can't think of a better place to celebrate the holiday season than right here. Thank you for being such great neighbors, customers and friends. We wish you all the best!



City of Owensville
437-2812



Greetings of the Season

May you and yours experience the true nature and spirit of the holiday this Christmas. Many thanks to all our friends and customers.

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Attorneys at Law

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Community support

Food donations for Operation Christmas came from local churches, business, schools, and families like Debbie and John Adams. The Adams family dropped off a truckbed full of soups, a tradition John said several years ago he hoped would remind his grandchildren of their many blessings.

PHOTOS BY DAVE MARNER

Scout collection begins campaign

Owensville Cub Scout Pack 22 and scouts in Troop 22 collected food donations Nov. 7 from area residents to benefit the Operation Christmas 2020. These thousands of items became special holiday boxes for 132 area families comprising nearly 420 individuals. Following their delivery, the food stocks are sorted, boxed, and were distributed Dec. 18 and 19.



PHOTOS COURTESY SCOUT TROOP 22 AND CUB PACK 22

THE SPIRIT IS BUILDING!

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All around town, north, south, east and west,
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* Friday, December 25 Closed	* Friday, January 1 Closed
* Saturday, December 26 Closed	* Saturday, January 2 Regular Hours

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No matter what, keep trusting, keep believing, be strong, have hope. The best is yet to come!

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And persevere they have in the OHS choir program

Owensville High School's vocal music program has had an unusual year in these COVID-19 pandemic times. Director Philip Giacomelli said his numbers are down around 35 percent from prior years due to students learning remotely, having moved, or just getting caught up in a quarantine status at any given time. So, their winter concert performed Dec. 10 was appropriately called "Perseverance." Students in the Troubadours, Concert Choir and Chorus performed together and separately through a set of numbers prepared as part of their academic curriculum and not necessarily Christmas songs. Performing together (above) on the Lewis Capaldi song "Before You Go" was the trio of (from left) Kylie Yoder, Lauren Shields, and Katelynn Bertram. Juliana Watkins (top, right) sang and played "No Matter What" by Kerrie Roberts. Continue reading on in this section and see how choir and vocational agriculture students helped with boxing day for Operation Christmas.

#Blessed

We hope this Christmas finds you surrounded by peace, love, harmony and joy.

Thanks for making our year so special!

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DIANE THOMAS

With Pride At The Holidays

We don't like to brag, but we're proud to be a part of this country (and Owensville) and we pledge our commitment to serve you in the year ahead. Happy Holidays, everyone, and thank you for your goodwill and support.

Owensville
V.F.W. Post 6133

MERRY Christmas!

~ From Our House to Yours ~

And many thanks to all of you from the bottom of our hearts.

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Wishing You Peace

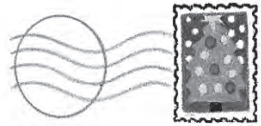
'Tis the season to celebrate life and remember all the good times we've shared with loved ones past and present. As we celebrate the birth of our Savior, we give thanks for all the blessings he has bestowed upon us.

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Owensville Elementary First Grade
Jaclyn Johnston, Teacher

Dear Santa,
How are you? I hope you're healthy. How are the reindeer? I've tried hard to be good this year. I would like a 9sb and a phone and Gta the Game is very Fun
Love,
Draydon G

Dear Santa,
I want a American girl Dolls. I want Baby Doll stat. and Baby Dolls. I want Brolls. shrs. pans. sox. hoverboard. chromebook. fone. loth bed. toes.
Campbell

Dear Santa,
I hope you are doing wel? what I want for Christmas is an electric scooter and a under water camera and a american girl doll
Adalee

Dear Santa,
How are you santu clas? I hap you are no cod but I wish that you cud lev a nat to pla geta flv.
Max B

Dear Santa,
I wot D zoon ball I want a hover board
Love,
Brantley C

Dear Santa,
I hope UN No MI NAM I Wot. A Desh computer RoBox makaf.
Marshall K

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa I hope you're elves are wrckeng hrd I hope they are I want a hoverbord and I want american girl doll and I want chrome book.
Bella C

Dear Santa,
How are you I have ben good I want a drone and suba gear and rc bot. thank you! P.S. I also want dirt bike
Luf,
Clayton H

Dear Santa,
How are you and the reindeer a go cart and a nerf gun and a rse bot and a P55 and a nooist. and a For welz and a haver badrd and a scooter and a metal detector.
Clayton S

Dear Santa,
How are your reindeer for christmas, I want a hoverboard and a noow bike and helmet I hoop Thats not to much.
Averie D

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa havU I bin gud? are your reindeer being good? I want a x Box.
Love, Deacon S

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I hope you're healthy. How are the reindeer? I would a ps5 and scuba gear and a computer, and a hoverboard and a pc and a underwater camera and a rangar
Love, Tucker

Dear Santa,
How oAr you GowG SanTa I WoD like Jurassic World legos! and a GroN But iiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiii rile wuuuuuuunnnnt wiY it aware much for Santa
From,
Jackson

Dear Santa,
Can I have a hot wheels track and a new bike. Also a Frisbee. Thank you!
From,
Blake K

Owensville Elementary First Grade
Beth White, Teacher (continued from page 3)

Dear Santa,
Hi SaNtal I have BeeN Good aNd thak you for the Gift. For Christmas I would Love a soNic costum and I Love SoNic Boots too, and soNic toys.
Love, Jackson L

Dear Santa,
Id love if you came to my hows. I want chokers and flowrs for my mom. How are the randers doing? I allso want a bike. Ive bin good today. I love crismis.
Baylee B

Dear Santa,
How are the elfs doing? Plesse say they are good I cae abot Nice list or node. I wont A Mine craft Pig and a sheep. I will give you Milk and cookes.
Leo A

Dear Santa,
How are the elves doing? I bin good. I wnt a xbox, TV, and lagos.
Desmond R

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer goin? I wunt a ginepig ples. I wunt earrings. I wunt to see the reindeer ples. I neded Fury boots. I wunt a Big cote like Hanah so me and her could have the same cote. I wunt a swetr. I am being good For you.
Sophia C

Dear Santa,
hoi are the reindeer Doing? I wod like lagos.
Daven D

**Joy, Peace, Happiness
Good Fortune ...**
We wish you a list full of blessings this holiday season

**Lyn-Flex West, Inc.
and Employees
Owensville, MO**

**Rejoice,
for He's Born!**
Wishing you exceeding great joy as together, we celebrate the birth of our Savior. Merry Christmas.

GASCONADE COUNTY TREASURER Mike Feagan

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FROM OUR HOME TO YOURS**

May this holiday season bring serene, loving comfort to you and your family. Thanks to great people like you, we always feel right at home.

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Owensville Elementary First Grade
Mrs. Jenkins, Teacher

Dear Santa,
Mare cristmas! Are your elfs bisee? For cristmas I want a cross bow and a drome and a army helmit. Have a good cristmas!

Love,
Logan M

Dear Santa,
My Name is Frank. I have Been good this year. PLease Bring me a Dirt Bike! I am 6 years old. How are The eLves doing?

Love,
Frank C

Dear Santa,
can I heve a panda. my name is Nolan. I am 7 yes oLD. Can a heve Lagos? can I heve a flam thrower? Thank you!

Love,
Nolan F

Dear Santa,
I am so excied about Christmas. I would like a Barbie this year! I love you Santa!

Mayola V

Dear Santa,
My naMe is Ella I am six. I want a cat stuff animol. Can I Please have Legos and a boxs uv Plado. Pleasa and thanks and i want a cat and slime and MackUp and soft blankit and a soft Pelow.

Love,
Ella M

Dear Santa,
my Name is Lynnon. I have been good this year. What is your Favrit Cookei? How are the eLFs? I want a barbie House and I want a barbie. I hope you have a good christmiss. I rILly want a toy unukurn PLeze.

Love,
Lynnon B

Dear Santa,
I want a DRit Bike, for Crismiss. I Dont have a Drt Bike. I Bine RiLe Good this yere. I'm 7 yers olDe. I'm Haapy to see my eLF. He was dRinking my SR UP.

Love,
Jase S

Dear Santa,
Hi My name js JasmiNe I am 6 years old I want a mic rofon. I want a foN. I Love you.

Love,
Jasmine

Dear Santa,
my nome is Series S. Please bring me a dirt bike mThank you. I am 7 years old. I want legos minecraft and a drone for Christmas. I also want a rc car.

Love,
Series S

Dear Santa,
My name is Charlotte I'm 7 Years old. I have bin good this year. I have bin clining My cloisit out. Can you PLeese give Me a hors?

Love,
Charlotte S

Dear Santa,
I want a Lego set Pleas. Im 6. I wut mine craft and army legos.

Love,
Wade B

Holiday Greetings



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

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year from

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Happy Holidays!

From our family to you and yours we offer best wishes for not just the Holiday season but for every day, now and in the New Year.



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from all of us

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Here's hoping your home and heart are filled with joy this holiday season. With heartfelt gratitude from our flock to yours.

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Hope Your Christmas Is a Classic

Wishing you a merry Christmas trimmed with your favorite holiday traditions.

Thanks for making this one a vintage year for us!

Randy McKinney
573.426.6465



OHS vocalists put on Dec. 10 'Perseverance' fall concert

Owensville High School choir director Philip Giacomelli extols his students to finish strong on a number during their Dec. 10 "Perseverance" concert. Giacomelli said he was proud of how his students have overcome adversity since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic last spring. Several awards earned in the spring of 2020 were presented to choir members following the show. Award recipients told him they wanted to receive them during the concert since their spring performance was never held due to schools closing.

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Christmas in a pandemic

Charles Buehlinger, who has long put out an excellent display, would have been proud of this effort (below) put on by family members in his memory on West Monroe. St. Peter's United Church of Christ sold cookies in a drive-through sale (above) on Dec. 5. The lights on the downtown Christmas tree were strung with care but few were in attendance for the lighting on Dec. 4 as the choir-sing was limited to three students and a small crowd of family (bottom, right). The event was broadcast on social media platforms as a virtual tree-lighting ceremony.



Merry Christmas

Here's hoping your holiday season is a whole lot of merry and bright! May your Christmas and the New Year deliver an abundance of health, happiness and good fortune to you and the ones you love.



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FROM SANTA'S INBOX

LETTERS TO SANTA from GOOD GIRLS & BOYS from Owensville and Gerald Elementary Schools

Owensville Elementary Second Grade
Aimee Grannemann, Teacher

Dear Santa,
Have you been working hard this year? How are Rudolph and the other reindeer doing? How is Mrs. Claus doing? I would like a gingerbread hand sanitizer, a Na Na Na surprise, a Elsa doll, Anna doll, 5 twisty girls, 6 twisty pets, a sugar and spice hand sanitizer, new crayons, and new white envelopes. Oh and Santa I would like a Rudolph toy. I am baking very scrumshesh cookies and hot chocolate a candy cane 2 oreos and milk. You maybe could take the hot coco to go. p.s. please leave something for Remi.

Your friend,
Leah R

Dear Santa,
How are you doing at the North Pole? Am I on the nice list? Oh and how is Mrs. Claus? I hope your little elfs are doing good. Are you going to use Rudolph with the reindeer? I am going to give you some cookies and hot chocolate. Oh I want a robott puppy for Christmas.

Love,
Ally S

Dear Santa Claus,
I'm going to leve out some carrots, candy canes, cookies, and milk. Plaese give me a pixey, a Bike, a toy princess car I can ride inside, dog man, cat man, a snow hat, a ipod, camra and a camra case, elf on the shelf, Little mini foods, a puppy, a giney pig Pete the cat books, a little pack of germ X, and elf pets. Have a good Christmas.

Your friend,
Luna A

Dear Santa,
Am I on the noty or am I on the nice List because I've been good to my brother and my sister x do. I am waiting for you and all of your Raindeer. I want a cube xbox 1X with all of the gams. I will have All of my carrots for Rudolph and dasher. I have All of my oreos for Mrs. Claus and you. Thank you!

Love,
Xavier P

Dear Santa,
Are you using rudolph this year? Can I get a rc car that comes with batteries? I will leave carrots and cookies and milk.

Love,
Damien H

Dear Santa,
Can you bring Rudolph the Red nose reindeer out this year? I wunt 5 Plushes agen. I miss Sumthing it is a sleight. I forgot I want a Dog man book.

Love your frend,
Parker A

Dear Santa,
Do you bring big toys? I will leave out some cookies and carotes and candy canes for Rudolph. Hers what I want for Christmas: a new skate bord, Hoeverbord, new bike, toy WW2 planes, toy WW2 stuff, xdox one toy Bugatti Chiron, and more Dog man books.

Your friend, Tate D

Dear Santa,
This year are you going to bring a elf to dilver presents? If you have time I would like an Art kit. I think I've been good this year. You will get cookies and hot chocotate. and Rudolph will get a carrot or two. Have a jolly Christmas this year!

Love, Ragen T

More Letters
from
Grannemann
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Dear Santa,

Owensville Elementary Second Grade
Jaysie Walters, Teacher

Dear Santa,
Do you lik milk and ckces? I need A blanket and I wat for a now coat

Love,
Lila R

Dear Santa,
Do raindeer like candy canes? I need new shocks. Can I have a pet turtle and I rele want Ms. Clas to Dliver my Turtle.

Love,
Mason S

Dear Santa,
Do I get to see you next year? I would realy want a P's game and need socks please. Your job must be redy hard Bye!

Love,
Brycin W

Dear Santa,
What can I feed the radeer? I need close foor my hool famly. I want 3 noo tablit's. A rowbowe dog. Add I love witer. War are snowball and snow flacke? Haoo do you see us? Do you have speshl eyes? I Love You Santa and his elf's. And I want a pet frog a lizrd or a tadpool I rilly want a Lizrd.

Love,
Blazily B

Dear Santa,
Haw are you and yor deer and Elvs doweg? I riley need a new blue knife for wrk for day oof. I rily need new hed fons. I wunt a dron that is rmot ctroll. I also wunt a blue rabiit. Thek you for delivering thos present's.

Love,
Rex W

Dear Santa,
What do you like for Christ-mas? I really need a new fishing pol for my Dad. I really want a new bike for me and new boots.

Love,
Mason S

Dear Santa,
Want do you want Santa Claus? I need a fone. I want a woch. Thank you for delivering for the presents.

Love,
Ella N

Dear Santa,
Wat would you like for Chist-mas? I need pit viprs and a xbox controlre. And for you to have a good Chistmas thank you.

Love,
Colt S

Dear Santa,
Do you like eggnor and suger cookies? I need a new pair of ruber boots. And pair of wood cuting glovs and I want a pair of hedphones.

Love, Atticus B

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa can I ask you a ques-tion? Do you like suger cookies? Do your deer like carrots? Can I have a glow up blanket please?

Love,
Braylee M

Dear Santa,
What do you want for Christ-mas? I need a new pear of shoes. I also need a new pear of socks. I also want a big scooter that turns into a scooter that you can sit on.

Love, Zander H

Dear Santa,
How are you doing good or bad? So my elf is home. I need snow boots and fruit. I want new books, some chapter book, and new stuffs, and slime kit. Have fun dont get sick. have a good night merry Christmas.

Love,
Avalon B

Dear Santa,
Whet wod the rander like to eit? I ned now soys. I wunt my mom to be happy. Santa I ned spgede strops. Thank you for evrething Santa.

Love,
Adalynn O

Dear Santa,
Wat do you want Will You make me a skootr that is minecraft magnta with pink flams. Will you make me esesum phone? Will you git me jenge? Thank you Santa.

Love,
River T

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa what are you doing? i want a hover board and a roku TV and a race car Lego and a toy car. I Love My ELF's like BILLY BoB Carly and Sparkls.

Love,
Sawyer S

Dear Santa,
Do you like coockis and milke or somthing elths? What do you want? I want a Jump Rop. Santa Claus thank you.

Love,
Devyn S

Owensville Elementary Second Grade
Aimee Grannemann, Teacher (continued from 2B)

Dear Santa,
Are you gonig to use Rudolph? Santa I am good all the time. I will like a roboot please Santa, and a Smrtwatch please Santa, and my own cheetahshoos with 1 butin, rolerscates with a cheetah soot please. I got sum Christmas cookies for you and carits for the reindeer too. Oh can I hav a cheetah neklis also?

Love,
Symone R

Dear Sant Claus,
I just wanted to tel you a cupol things. I will leve a cupol treats for yor reindeer. I have been prite good so can I get awsum presents? Ples fixx my mom's ornaents? Can you breg more ornaents? Can you breg a tree for my room? Can you get me a phone? I want a PS5 for Christmas, a little toy bike, and a rell eletric bike.

from, Grayson K

Derar Sanrta,
I am 8. how old are you? I'm just asking for these things but if you can't I undstand. Blak puppy, fake nails, clos, apple watch, shoes, no mask, toy's, tv, hair diy, to Go to Clairei's.

Love, Addison R

Der Santa,
The littlest stooken is for Twinkle. the stooken with lol's is for Milk's. The boy stooken is Ratchet's. Can I have a elf? I want a grl elf. Pcan Chamelion and a pet hampstr? Can I have I Phone 12 ples? I'm guna lev out hot chcolate and milk.

Love, Kamillah R

Dear Santa Claus,
Can I have a Rc and a tabblit? Can I have a coling Book? Is Rudolph going to fly your sleigh this year? I am going to put 3 cookies out. I am leving carrots. I am going to put some milk for you.

Your friend, Carson P

Santla Claus,
How ar you Doing? I wunt DogMan. I wunt Catman. I wunt Batman. I am going to lev out carrts milk and cookes.

Love, Kayden B

Dear Santa,
I want a baby cat!! I want it to be my black cat!! Is my elf cuming to my hausel. decus i bon't have my elf i was kind to uthrs. Will you get the dogs at my hause a bNg dogs bone? I will lev milk and cookes and they are dekrated.

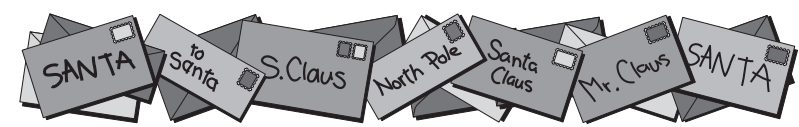
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"Thanks be unto God for his Unspeakable gift"
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Virtual tree lighting in HUB

Owensville's historic uptown business district, branded The HUB, was virtually empty by design Dec. 4 for the virtual Christmas program which this year included three All-State Choir members now in the middle school program. All State Children's Choir members from last year (from left) Joleene Braun, Cece Clancy, and Ella Davidson performed for an event shared on social media platforms due to COVID-19 pandemic concerns. The event, which normally attracts hundreds of children and adults and includes elementary choir performances, was viewed live by parents and immediate family members only. The Owensville Fire Department's Santa (below) had the honor of lighting the tree.

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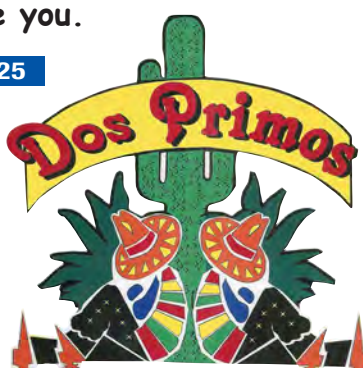
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Love,
Kendra S

Dear Santa,
I wish for joy for everone. I have had a good year. I'm wishing for a Barbie camper. I hope your reideer get lots of carrots.

Love,
Ariebella I

Dear Santa,
Do you wuNt a joke? Why did the chichene crosch the rod? To git too the varn. Want a Fitbit and a cpetr and a xbox!!

Love,
Ciris B

Dear Santa,
I hope your ok. I'M ok chew is And yoda are too oh and can you get me for christmas i a Robot that draws a REaL pet cat, and are car.

Love,
Riley S

Dear Santa,
How have the elfs been? Why wont the toy lit PaPPer cross the rode? It will get stuck in the crak haha! I would like some horse Posters. Happy Holadays.

Love,
Kinley S

Dear Santa,
are you oF in the noth Poll? At honv tod me you at brafisk with himm. Santa i ben good can you get me Zeldo brath of the wild and bedy in the ilnRmshen?

Love,
Wyatt H

Dear Santa,
How are you guy's. Nook nok how's there orange how. Please don't peal me lol. I want 2 cart's and 3 huvabords. And 100000 lol's. And 5 pack's of shopkins.

Love,
Ollie R

Dear Santa,
How are the raindeer? I like the smart wach I got. Can I please have hey doods? I have been riely good.

Love,
Kambria K

Dear Santa,
How ar the elfs at the north Pole? Santa, I will give you a Jok it is Kold Why did the chicen cros the rod it is to get to the other side and also can you give me a xbox one and a new phone a cum-puoder, and a fortnite guns Pleus.

Love,
Trevor C

Dear Santa,
Is rude off fliging ok? I ven gooder then last year. My broth-ers Bithday is by christmas. I would Love some make up and a barbe set. I would Love a colering set. Me and my famliy is going to make cookies and gite milk and lots of carites for the rain deer.

Love,
Blair B

Dear Santa,
How are your elfs doing? thank you for the toys last year. Can you give me 4 wwe wreslr's. And more Fortnite toys. I will progly make you cookes.

Love,
Bentley C

Dear Santa,
How was the Elf's good or Bad? Why Did the cat sleep in the moRing Because the cat fRgot it was Chismas. I wish I can of those RanBow color's.

Love,
Harper S

Dear Santa,
How are you and the randeer doing? I hope you are doing good. thank you for the toy last year can you get me some animal toys?

Love,
Easton S

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Tell the elf and Mrs. claus Merry Christmas. Can I have a slime kit and a smart wock and can it be rose gold?

Love,
Kennedy R

Dear Santa,
How are you and your raindeer? I love the barbie doll you gave me! Thank you so much! I love it! For Christmas can I please have a remote control car, 2 ball chap stick that are pink and teal, a craft kit and a drawing set? MERRY CHRISTMAS! HAPPY NEW YEARS to!

Love,
Ella H

Dear Santa,
How are you and the elfs? I like the 4-willr you got me last yer. Santa can I have a harvr bort? Can I have a now par of under amour shos wite plles. Last thing a par of clos to mach my shos under amour clos to!

Love,
Cooper S

Dear Santa,
Hows JaheFeh and rodoF and santu an I wood Like a geFt For my Parens I woont It Reng tos lod ane alot and i wood like a drt dike and a storteht For bbB tanks

Love,
Jamison P

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— luke 2:9 -11

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Owensville Elementary Second Grade

Sarah Gehlert, Teacher

Dear Santa,

Hello it is so great to talk to you! There is the grinch at my house and he's tying all the elf's up!!! will you save them? I'm worried about the elf's!!! Can I have an apple iPad Please? And money because I want to buy some slime stuff?! Also can I Please have some air.pods? I hope you feel fine. By santa

**Love,
Briely**

Dear Santa,

Hello! santa. How is mrs. claus? By the Way my name is Ellie. And I want a PurPle BiKe because mine is Brokin. And a stuaft horse Because I love horses. And a scooter Because I don't have one. And I hoPe You have a good christmas Ho! Ho! Ho! #X-Mas

**Love,
Eleanor A**

Dear Santa,

Hi Santa thanks for the elf I named him Elf'e and I been very good but me and Dakota have been fiding for crismis I want a bunny because they are fluffy and Dakota want a PS5 and my mom wants to spend time with her family and my DaD wants the sam thing. I will giv you cookies bil!

**Love,
Faith W**

Dear Santa,

Hi how are you doing? How is Mrs Claus doing? Can I have a Dog for Chistmas I will be good Please Santa? I want a black and white husky. Because I Love Dog's so much. And I want a New Pone with a cans and a chrchr. Please Santa Please?

**Love,
Gia C**

Dear Santa,

Hi santa make sure the reindeer are ready! did you know I really like to ride my bike. I need a nintendo switch lite. Because my nintendo 3ds broke! And my xbox is not working very well By Santa! I will send another note next Christmas in 3rd grade.

**Love,
Kasyn B**

Dear Santa,

i want a bALloon ANd A PHoNe With A red PHoNe cAse ANd A rANdom toy. ANd A bLue iPod. ANd thAT's ALL. So do you Like cHocoLAtE MILk? ANd fresh cookies? So By

Love, Evan M

Dear Santa,

How are you Doing at the Noth Pole? How is the ringDeer? I want for Christmas? is a rolloRBlADEs, sTuf animal Becuse He has a red nose. I also collring Books Becuse I love collring and a Pant seat Becuse I waNt to Be a rTisT. I hlep my mom Becuse She is pregrit. I houp I can see you soon!

Love, Kayden G

Dear Santa,

How are the elves doing? I have been playing with my sister. I want a Phone. I want a Phone because I can call my mama. I want a rabbit because I want something cute. How are you doing? How are the reindeer doing?

**Love,
Jayden C**

Dear Santa,

Hay saNta how are you doiNg? I love you! Are you good? Hows Mrs. Claus? tell her I love her to. ANd I waNt a PHoNe. Because I waNt to Play with my bruthr Plese?

**Love,
Keith H**

Dear Santa,

Hi! I want a Phone and a bake shop for cookies and how is Mis Claus doing? I want Elsa toy and Why I want those Becus I just want them. Have a good Christmas. That is it.

**Love,
Karley J**

Dear Santa,

Hi! How are you! I am doing well! I want a Phone so I can talk! I want a rabbit because I want something cute! I want so gum so I can chew it! good-by!

**Love,
Emma R**

Dear Santa,

Hi it's nice to talk to you are the elves busy Making toys? I like riding y bike for Christmas Can I have a new bike becuse It's giting small can I have cheres becuse I don't have the game. Please eat the milk and cookies I leave for you.

**Love,
Colten N**

Dear Santa,

am I on the good list I ned a noww inr tod for my bike be cuz if I don't have a inr tode I can't ride my bike. I like to put up lights halw do you got all a ran the wrw? I like you.

**Love,
Garrett R**

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mrs. Claus? I hope you are doing good. I wold liek for Christmas is a puppy and a phone, slime, a notebook with the ocean with horse runing in the water.

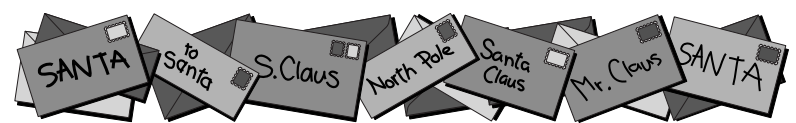
**Love,
Ayla**

Dear Santa,

Hey How Is The Baby? How Is Mrs Claus? How Are You Doing? I Am Doing Grat With My Home Wrce At School. I want A Dog And A Cat. becuse I Love Cats And Dogs. Cookies and Milk.

**Love,
Callie Mae J**

More Owensville Letters to Santa
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Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas!
From Our Family to Yours



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have yourself a merry little christmas!

To all of you who visited us this past year, go our very best wishes for lots of good cheer.

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And Best Wishes for the Coming Year
..... from

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Joy

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Wishing You a Beautiful Season

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Owensville Elementary Second Grade
Ciara Rooney, Teacher

More Owensville Letters to Santa
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Dear Santa,
What are you doing? How do you go around the world in one night? How big is your beard? I want stuff for Baseball so I can Play in the field. I hope that people can have a good christmas!
Your friend, Chesten A

Dear Santa,
Hi santa! How are you doing? And have a nice christmas. How do you deliver all those gifts? I want a riding horse. Should I leave carrots? What kind of cookies do you like?
Your friend, Garrett B

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! How are you and your reindeer doing? I like your red suit. Can you try to make Covid stop? Can you also try to make everyone try to save water? Can you make me a keyboard? Like a piano keyboard. Can you make me some Nerf guns. Do you want me to make you some cookies? Merry Christmas!
Your friend, Sophia B

Dear Santa,
I wan to Foknite figure I want the ravenl come and I guns and the Pick ax. I want a ps4 fully armored Halo costume, and Gold vBux card I also and a Rine want a computer Robot.
Your friend, Evan E

Dear Santa,
Happy Merry Christmas! can you get me a Yultan for Christmas Beawse I want to play with my Dadu I want a Phone A i-Phone a lavn and more no cord head phones. I also want a toy horse for Christmas. Please Santa And a rea horse please
Your friend, Bridget F

Dear Santa,
I ho, ho hope you have a Merry Christmas. How do you delive all of those presents? I like you sait. You are handsome. I was ho, ho hoping I can get more makeup brushes and Covid to go away. I also want a tablet. Thank you! If you can give me them I like your beard to.
Your friend, Katlynn G

Dear Santa,
How are you and the Reindeer doing. Is there covid at the North Pole right now? I like your reD suit and hat. How do you fit all of the presents in the bag and get all of the presents around the world? I would like you to give the home-Less People Food. I want a RC car.
Your friend, Barrett K

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas Santa! How are yo doing this Christmas? I hope you are ok. This Christmas I would like a dirtbike and a Nin-tendo switch. I hoe evryone stays healthy.
Your friend, Liam K

Heartfelt Wishes for a Merry Christmas

We've loved every minute of serving you this year. Thanks for your kind support!

Bogeys

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Dear Santa,
Some people are going through a rough time. But how is Mrs. Claus doing? I really wish for Covid-19 to go away. I really want a PS5. because it is the latest play station. Anyways how is Rudolph and the other reindeer and elves doing.
Your friend, Archer M

Dear Santa,
Hey! Merry Christmas! and a Happy New Year too! I like how you go HoHo! How do you deliver all the presents in one night? When did you marry Mrs. Claus? I watn an x-box and my Broth and I a Basset and my Daddy wants a Blood Houd. and I watn a Beagl and a hoverboard. thank you!
Your friend, Addilyn M

Dear Santa,
I need jeans to wear to school. I need socks to wear to school. I want a controller. I want a nerf gun I hop you have a nice a Christmas. I hops the elves have a nice shristmas. I want a puppy. How can the reindeer fly?
Your friend, Logan M

Dear Santa,
Hi! You smell like candy canes. I like it. Can I have a laptop in case we go virtual? I Ho Ho Hope you have a jolly Christmas. All I want for Christmas is you and a new hoverboard. I wish covid goes away and a Hatchamul. A puppy... of course a Husky.
Your friend, Jolie V

Dear Santa,
Hey Santa! Where did you get your belt? For Christmas can I have one of the bells off the sleigh? How are you? Can you make covid go away pleas? And can you make my uncle Zack get better?
Cody R

Dear Santa,
I like your white beard. What do you call a reindeer that crosses the road? A roaddeer! Ha! Can i please have a P55, nintendo Switch and a media roo just for me and my dad my ps5 and my dads xbox-X.
Your friend, Brock S

Dear Santa,
All I wish to have is A CAAt I also want a LOL, a dog And a doll I also want a book And Pig Makept the 3 Little Pigs.
Your friend, Aubree

Dear Santa,
I Love you guys so much. My elf is silly. You guys are so nice to us. We love all the presents you give us. You are so nice about Christmas. I love you.
Your friend, Reagan T

Dear Santa,
My family needs a new home! I want a computer. I want to know how you Fly. I also want a art stuff. I have evrething on a list.
Your friend, Ayden T

A Most Welcome Season

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and on earth peace, good will
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Family fun in Rosebud

Children attending the Dec. 5 community Christmas celebration in Rosebud had the chance to view and interact with goats while waiting for Santa's arrival with Mrs. Claus. Jamie and Matt Tumbrink provided the animals for the event put on by the Rosebud Area Enrichment Association.



*Wishing
You All...*

a
**Merry
Christmas**

and that the *happiness*
of this holiday season be
repeated every day
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Rosebud continues community Christmas celebration

One of the few community Christmas celebrations which did not get canceled this holiday season was the one Dec. 5 in Rosebud. The event at locations along U.S. 50 included a parade stepped off by Rosebud police (left) which included area ambulance personnel and volunteer firemen. Santa, who arrived with Mrs. Claus, arrived on a horse-drawn wagon for their visits with area children during the mild early-December afternoon. The event was promoted by the Rosebud Area Enrichment Association in conjunction with local businesses and residents.



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Luke Zelch
Donaven Zelch
Caleb Zelch
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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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Letters to Santa from Gerald Elementary Students



A Word From The Wise:
REJOICE!
May you revel in the gifts of this magical season.
Dr. David Groenke
Sharon, Terri, Jessica, & Allie
Gerald, MO

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 Ms. Todisman, Teacher

Dear Santa,
Hi have You Got aNe SNoeN We have Got No SNoeN thak uw FoR Mi ELF I see You Gave Me A Note and it sad I Ws Gud thak eW FoR Mi ELF I PRoMis I WIL NevR tuch A ELF
Hadley K

Dear Santa,
How are you dowing and How are the randeer and How many elfs do you have and How is Mrs claus gowing and How are you dowing and I hrt the test meishs and I faoude my elfe and are school elfe come.
From, Nathaniel F

Dear Santa,
Dear SanTa, ma I have a big PuP And Will You Ples Tel Your eLF NoT To riT on mY Fas And can I have A spidr man GAmE And can You Fly?
Jase T

Dear Santa,
I Whud like to ask You a Kupo of quaesin one myfamily is Whising for Jingoos to come back But roLo Wuss so much fun he playd The best games but Jingos Was so rily fun I Whish That We Cood tuCh Jingos I Hope That I and my Famley a lot of gifst
From Harper W

Dear Santa and Mrs claus,
I have a fo kashis to aks you How are the radeaR thene? How is Mrs Claes uP there How is the rox uP there How is the samoun I HoP Lat I Bid good Lvis Yer I HoP Lat I Bid good so I kin maBe git a gif lvis yer
From, Ava S

Dear Santa,
haw are the eLF, doing, do you have ine snow yet, haw are The Rander doing haW is Mrs Claus doing haw mine eLF do you have haw are you doing dus FroSide The Snow man liv with you I hop I hav a god Presninx.
From, Isabella D

Dear Santa,
Do you have a christmas tree Yet?? How is yor reendeer How is yor elves? Do you have a big christmas tree or a smOL christmas tree
From, Kade S

Dear Santa,
Haw many raeer do you have? haw many elf do you have? Do fose liv will you Yes ro No I hop that I am on the good list yes ro no. I like you. I love we getting a elf foun you somotim sone. I was waing a top to play with.
From, Bryli B

Dear Santa and Mrs. Claus,
haw are your randeras haw are your elfs? haw are you? haw is Mrs. claus? is Roodoof Sick? have you got snow yet? haw emne elfs do you have? haw mene randerers? do you have? do you have siblings? I hog I get an elf
From, Danni L

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! I Wt for Christmas is A Hot Lees trAk wiF A MoNsr truc and A cor And tuNLu.
From, Lucas T

Dear Santa,
I lovu you and Mrs Claus she is very ckeot cans he do my har and I wunt a soenst.
From, Wyatt H

Dear Santa,
I HoP I am an the got lst Do yua have a shomsh Do Yue have cisms cis cop pas to et I hoP I git cane.
From, Kayla F

Todisman Letters to Santa
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MAY YOUR HOLIDAYS GLOW!
HERE'S HOPING YOU HAVE THE WARMEST OF HOLIDAYS. THANK YOU FOR WARMING OUR HEARTS WITH YOUR LOYAL SUPPORT.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS!
The City of Gerald and Employees and the Gerald Police Department

December 2020 Christmas...

A child was born, it was that simple. Yet, that birth was so different. The angel's message was to the point. The baby was the Son of God! The mighty God of all time and eternity's Son was coming to live with us. In the past, God had spoken through the prophets. But this time, God was coming to earth in the person of Jesus. That, my friends, is the wonder of Christmas. It's a face-to-face encounter with the Holy One. An encounter with God, who made all things. Almighty God! The miracle of Christmas suggests that we can look to at least three directions to encounter the Holy One today.

First, the shepherds looked to the sky to hear the angel's message. That's a good place for us to start, also, especially since "feeling down" is one of life's more common experiences. It happens to all of us to some degree or another, ranging from simple discouragement all the way to depression and despair. Christmas invites us to "look up" when life is "looking down."

Christmas suggests a second direction in which to encounter the Holy One: look around at the everyday world in which you live. God's Son came to earth in a manger, the last place we would expect to find him. Sometimes it's hard to visualize meeting God in everyday life, like in an through the people that we encounter on an everyday basis. But, God comes to us in all places and at all times.

Thirdly, look beyond. Because God wants the whole world to know that he is there for them, too. God is where people are starving and hungry, where people are powerless and homeless, where people are ill or dying, where people struggle for freedom and justice and human dignity. It is when we look beyond that we hear Jesus saying to us, "As you have done it for the least of these, my brothers and sisters, you have also done it for me."

Christmas is an encounter with the Holy One that continues to happen to us as we look up, look around, and look beyond. In the fullness of time, God fulfilled his promise and came to earth as an infant human being, in the person of his only Son, Jesus. In doing so, God so completely identified with us that we are completely identified with God!

His name will be called Immanuel; God is with you. May God be with you this Christmas. May you continue to see him among those that you encounter.

Merry Christmas!
God's Blessings,

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Gerald Elementary First Grade
Jenise Stockton, Teacher

Dear Santa,
I have been good I would like some BBGuns. I would like a nerf RC tanke mega. I would like a the squad DC for Fs lg and a computr Don't crash your Sleigh
From, Kasen S

Dear Santa,
I hAve beeN so good! I wou like I wut A I RoBot EIF THAT FLYS HAPPY
From, Affton N

Dear Santa,
I want all Fozin Toy For crimis and I LoL and a whole PaP Petoll Play set.
From, Mckenzie M

Dear Santa,
I have been a amaazing. I would like a BBgun and new shoes, and show Pantø and A Stuft animal grinch Merry Christmas.
From, Braden D

Dear Santa,
I have been so good. I would like woke toke Thank you
From, Damian C

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I would like a mini gun I would like a P.C I would like snow Happy Holidays.
From, Jase G

Dear Santa,
I have been so good very A NeW BAK PAK. Happy Holidays.
From, Raelynn N

Dear Santa,
I like doJo. I have been so good. I like A New BAKPAK. Happy Holidays.
From, Leah W

Dear Santa,
I have been good I want my Family to bee Happy. Merry Christmas to you.
From, Audrey M

Dear Santa,
I have been so good I Wode like a hubrberd and a Apple Wuth and a BeBe gun I LovE You
From, Halle H

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I would like a hot wheels track and 20 hot wheel Thank you Santa
From, Hayden G

Dear Santa,
I want to Santa CIAus. I WAnt A fon. I wAnt A Dog. I wAnt A Drt Bic. I wAnt A hAtchOL. SEE You lAtr.
From, Kingsley L

Dear Santa,
I hav Bn so guD. I would like las. i would like las hassi. I wo ala lak las exere.
From, Sapphira H



Dear Santa,
My nom is JamesoN HaG bo You no rL The kis in The lob bo u no me I thek Yo I wot a Fien HCU
From, Jameson L

Dear Santa,
hWone AfP YhVY hW one RebA You Do
From, Bentley T

Dear Santa,
thake you for bring a elf on Neflex I wach a elf movey and thars two movey and I have a huvrbod I got lots of cadey and ths is Ryleigh bYYYY!

From, Ryleigh H

Dear Santa,
Har are you Dooin. Har is Mrs Claus Dooln. Har aie You reindeer. My NaM is Braelyn. Doo You Has soe! I hoP we has a lat ms.

From, Braelyn H

Dear Santa and Mrs. Claus,
I what too asx you suM cWesmis is Your raDer ok? tel thiM and the lef and frostey Hi for Me and is it Snowen yet and Haw is Mrs. Claus by the Way and HaW Mine arn thar and Doo You Have 2 Dogs?
From, Lydia S

----- Gerald Elementary First Grade Ms. Todisman, Teacher -----
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Dear Santa and Mrs. Claus,
I have a Few wrs to say have you haD snowyEt anD I Jist wunt to wish you a mare ckrismis. anD I wunt to Be Yor FriD.
From, Lylah M

Dear Santa and Mrs. Claus,
Ka We tu yoe? I Lu Yo Sat u Son us Sat U l luvs at u so muss out u satu Kaye tu sef to mon so l u l Luy O Satu.
From, Klarissa L



Hope all the traditions that make Christmastime merry and bright are a part of your holiday season.

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We Wish You A Merry Christmas

'Tis the season for us to say,
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May it be filled with joy and contentment,
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The First Noel

Like the shepherds in the fields on that holy night so long ago, our faith is renewed and our spirits lifted as we celebrate the Miracle of Christmas.

For your generous spirit, we are deeply thankful.

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'Tis The Season!

In this season of happy thoughts and warm hearts, we extend a special "thank you", to all our good friends for your confidence, loyalty and support. A very Merry Christmas to all!

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Gerald's Parade of Lights a hit

Mild weather on Dec. 5 provided the perfect backdrop for the Gerald community's Parade of Lights festival. Inflatable Santa figures adorned several vehicles and utility carts. A car patterned off the National Lampoon movie "Christmas Vacation" was among the highlights of the event held in the downtown area. High school students in the homecoming court also made an appearance.



Merry Christmas
PEACE • LOVE • JOY

*To all my neighbors,
Merry Christmas!*

*I wish you a shot in the arm for 2021 and more friendly get togethers in the New Year.
Yours ~ Carl Nappier*

*Merry Christmas
& Happy New Year!*

Thanks to everyone who has donated to restore this historic theatre. To show community support, please send your Christmas gift to P.O. Box 33, Gerald, MO 63037

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Goodwill,
cheer and friendship,
Twinkling lights here and there,
The signs of the season are everywhere.
As we welcome this time of peace, joy and fun,
We extend our best wishes to each and every one
Who has made our year a resounding success...

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**Merry
Christmas!**

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Gerald, Missouri**

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Merry Christmas
&
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Santa in Rosebud

Santa's knee was in high demand on Dec. 5 at Rosebud's ninth annual Old Fashioned Christmas celebration. Each child who visited with St. Nick was given the opportunity to retrieve a stuffed toy from his sack with help from Mrs. Claus. More photos from the Rosebud event will be available at wardenpublishing.pixieset.com.



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Ms. Kandlbinder, Teacher

Dear Santa,
Merry cresseme I wus good I will Chiy to de good mor can you git mi mom dims and can you git cand for mi mom. Santa can you git mi sidra Brgey has wif Brbers and a milit little gooles. Ples. Santa can you git mi dada now disel redrsand a get an. Ples and can Y git me a mick raft gata5. Ples and can Y git me reg. brd

Love,
Isabella M

Dear Santa,
Merry crismis I'm sore I was a little note I want to have a no scotr Ples and a noe bic with a set Ples and thannK.

Love
AJ G

Dear Santa,
for cHrismis I wunt a ghon, gocer, huverbod, tabLit, Le-chiscodr, for my mom weL char,

Love,
Abigail C

Dear Santa,
Merry Cresseme i whas a litte notey i'll try to be good can i hav a good cresseme and a barbedalls an a dogman books and sum dodl picshrs an sum uonuc orn backpack an a natenowswech.

Love,
Astraea A

Dear Santa,
Can I hav a X Box 3 and 2 and and a nuw ther elf on the shelf for my class and a book Kubey Pleys and thank You

Love,
Wyatt T

Dear Santa,
I Love the colrlr Book And how did You No abot My Math test And efi was good this very can you get me A NiNtendo Swhich And Merry crismis oh and Can You get sum games for the NiNtendo swich

Love,
Bryce C

Dear Stanta,
Please bring Band-Ads for elfy in case he gets a scrach again. I would love a huver-Bord seat, a Nintindo, some L.O.L's, na nana suprise's, a huver-Bord gopro and some of elfy's magic so I can hide and fly like him.

Love, **Reagan B**

Dear Santa,
I want a tablet this year. I want avomg doll and the famly. I want a i phone 11. I want the nowest dog mam book. I want 2 flex doll. I want a stuf anumo that is a cat. I want a apol woche and the choger.

Love, **Katharine C**

Dear Santa,
I wish for a oxleis and close for all of the dog man book's I'll leve a carit and Penatr buter and I wish for world Pese and a hovr brold Go Kart.

from:
Carter P

Hi Santa,
I don't care if i am in the naghtey list or nice list because if i am on the nice list I would like X box 360 or ps5 or i phone or all dog Man books. Merry Christmas.

Love, **Christian W**

Dear Santa,
MeRe cRismes saNta you or the Best Setu you or the Best I Love Setu You ar the Best

Liam B

Dear Santa,
I Wish I Cold See you for Crismas. Wen you are Geving awt Presents. Wut I for Crismas is a fone and o hors and a younickorn and a elsu Playset.

Love,
Lillyana P

Dear Santa,
I Wut UniKonRn things, PIS Lip gos ouR i Konrn things BakasenK L hos Bod set,

Love,
Faith H

Gerald Elementary Second Grade
Kristyna Higgins, Teacher

Dear Santa,
How is the norfpool I rilley want sum presens this yer ples santa ples ples ples prity ples santa I Love you as a frind Santa I want a fone at lest ples prity ples.

Love, **Madison F**

Dear Santa,
I am rilly looking frwrd to crismis. and is roboof bowing ok. I hopp you and the elf's are good. I have a cuwastin is the noth poll still standing

Love, **Laina R**

Dear Santa,
I want to no how are you Doing and how is Mrs clos Doing and How are your reDers Doing. I wish I can see the noth pool. I Love Christmas Chrmas is my Favit holDay ho ho ho ho ho ho ho ho ho ho ho ho ho

Love,
Dorothy A

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa oh are your rander? expshlt bltsen because we are siging a sogs abowt

bltsen. does He bouge a lot? oh are you and Mrs. clos? I have been a little bad. have a good crismes.

Love, **Vivian B**

Dear Santa,
Waer is Jack the elf I think it a little over do for him to come. How miny presints do you dlivr a niht. A Billon I don't know. I have one mane thing on my christmas list a Bike. But I don't cair.

Love,
Chase H

More Letters to Santa From Higgins class Continued on Page 7C

happy holidays!

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Gerald Elementary Second Grade

Dawn Rice, Teacher

Dear Santa,

I want you to find out the pepel on the nise list. and I want a dtidowswh. and a laptop. and a new crismus tree. and all the dog man books. and a volcabnit, and a fosbal tabll. and a vandey cher. and and a bebe gun. and a desk cher. and a ecch eru pack of bladas for crismus and I want you to have a good crismus I want this to be a good chrims this yer santa I like crismus I love the candy that we have I love the admit calinder I wonder what we are down this yer sata I want you to tall your elf,s

Love, Hunter B

Dear Santa,

I wud like a huvrbod I wud like a fone I wud like a tablit I wud like a cat I wud like a toyhoure I wud like a musk I wud like a good cot I wud like a hat I wud like a new babae I wud like a xbox 4 I wud like a kit I wud like a good day I wud like a toy I wud like a uonkorn I wud like a sweshrt

Love, Julia B

Dear Santa,

I want a amarck dall fror crismase. and a hufrdod. and lol srpriys o.m.g. dalls remixe. ra bore hi cheer the blay are the purple and a tra toy fro shefe and slime and I will mak tdg ber fro the ragders. and a stoking foler ur goodes and the rest to be a srpiys. and these are the steuf I want for cismue. p.s. I wnt a pupe ples.

Love, Swoosie S

Dear Santa,

Can I have a Ranbow hiy and a tomu-goche to, and a 1,000 calin slime, and a new kite, oh and a pineapple, pool and privit play house, i phone 11, laptop, ipad, a doll, a unicorn, a poopse, pet fish, a new pet puppy, Krodrey class, by

by Aella W

Dear Santa,

I will Like A is to see you Santa AND will Like ANeDer Lego! ANd I will Like A Dog. Ples! SAnTA i will Like A TaitLe PLes! Ok PLes PLes PLes!

Love, Fisher K

Dery Sata,

I reley want my ony Tinoswiche for crismus. Plesy and, I have wadine for evre and, I have din wadin and, I osoe want a toey sord plesy and, I want a scoodre to and a toey. Play set but for Hot wels.

Stockton S

Dear Santa,

I wut a ps5. I wut a hfnbard. I wut..... my mom a cof cup. I wut guche. and I wut a Drt Bck. I wat 10000. and 1000 wut For s the nae hal are the uFls doing

Parker H

Dear Santa,

I weud like sum green and tan toy Arme min namud ley eaue. and green and tan Arme tanxe andf Arme P dns.

Sinele Ashton D

Dear Santa,

i want a toy truck and a pawer weels truck and a Hot weels set and tense of Hot weele cars and thats it.

CJ S

Dear Santa,

This is what I for Christmas: spla toon and other nintendo games hot weels xbox ps3 ps2 ps1 youtube happy and ranedeer elf's to mrs. claus even. the spere marble maz fr Alex ande Kemp

Love, Brayden K

Dear Santa,

Thank you for comeing I want cricmis to come can I please have a pakit of slime and covid to stop and a lot of klose and a nit gown with you on it. can I have a toy uinkorn and a pole that you swim in and a phonne and a comeputere. and pet PuFey.

Willow R

Der Santa,

I want a doort bick and a ps5 and a xbox and a Foortnit rifle and a helo nabre game haw ar the radirs.

Brandon A

Dear Santa,

I want a citin. and a hufr bod. and mackuD. and LOL's Slimsaree Packis. and staf to Play sooole and a gam and pate. and a crismus move. and a comdo bok. a tadlit. and iclos. and shosh. pjama. adas bor and a balis bian. onle sam cande. and a shorat.

Lillian F

Gerald Elementary Second Grade

Kristyna Higgins, Teacher (continued from page 6C)

Dear Santa,

he is nice givis people pa- reset for people he is a nice Santa how is The north Pole santa. You have to stay in your bed or he will tacke you. I like santa you are so nice. hope you are not sick santa.

Love, Gracie R

Dear Santa,

I want a nintendo switch game, And I Please need some new clothes how old are you and what does the elfs look like and how is Mss. Clause doing and how is the north pole doing.

Love, Barry O

Dear Santa,

can you please give me something for cristmas. Just any-thing. And I want to know if it's good with the elf's. Is it cold up there? IT's nice giving presents right? Just don't give me coal.

Love, Luke S

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want things to draw and paint. I want to paint the house pink for Mommy. I want a Christmas tree with presents for Daddy. My sisters want a baby and some cookies.

Izabella S

Dear Santa,

I want a Chucky doll for Chrismas hay and how are your reindeer to I wood say your reindeer are good and your Elf's and I also want a art set a big one.

Love, Gemma H

Dear Santa,

I wish For sumthing Good and spesh!! So hows the raeder. and what aboet Mrs-s Clos and the elfs. But how are you dowing, but the mele qeshte is have I ben bad or Good!

Love, Audrey L

Dear Santa,

I want a Police lites for a bike. I want a Police bilt. I want a Par of police bots. Hoe is your randdeer. HOe is your olfs.

Love, Karson G

Dear Santa,

Marry Chrismas. Snta Ples writ Back. doo you rilly have Elf's how how is Mrs clos dooing I hop shes Fine. Ples shar with

the Elf's if ther real. an add a ho ho ho marry chrimas

Love, Jaxon B



We Know You've Been GOOD!

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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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Choir, ag students box up food

Owensville High School students in the vocal music and agricultural education programs again joined forces to assist Operation Christmas volunteers with boxing of food stocks. Students buses to the Helping Hands Outreach Center provided the heavy lifting to prepare boxes for 132 families comprising 329 adults and 91 children. Among those helping were a group (bottom, left) including Alyssa Wehmeyer, Maelys Jardin, Haley Quertermous, Holly Riggins, Anna Heidbrink and Paige Bossaller making a circuit of the room filling food boxes. Brynn Wright (middle, from left) McKenzie Echols, and Teresa Schulte fill boxes.



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Volunteers spend rainy Friday afternoon completing first sort

On a rainy Friday afternoon earlier in December, volunteers began the task of sorting donated food stocks, stacking them together on tables at Helping Hands Outreach Center with respective food groups. The Dec. 11 "sort" was accomplished within a couple of hours. Several parents and their children joined forces in the effort along with local scouting leaders and their pack and troop members.



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Santa's Nice List

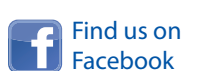
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Owensville Elementary Third Grade

Kailey Dietrich, Teacher

Dear Santa,

Me and my sister would really like a pool that I can touch but still jump into. I would really, really, like a bike with no training wheels. I also want it to snow on Christmas.

From, Kendra M

Dear Santa,

Are you doing good? for Christmas I want a hover board and a play store gift card and candy in my stocking

Love, Brenner S

Dear Santa,

I want a duck flying toy with a shot gun and when ever you hit it will go to the ground. And the next thing I want is deer target and a bow. One more thing that I would like to have is a turkey decoy. P.s. There will be cookies and milk for you.

thancks, Ryder H

Dear Santa,

What I want is a lot of things. I would like RC cars, boats, and plans. And I would like hot wheels and those tractors that are the size of hot wheels. And some poke mon cards and bablads.

From, Will B

Dear Santa,

I want a new hoverbord, drone, and a phone. How are your reindeer doing? How big is your work shop? I would also like a basketball hoop and a basketball.

Sincerely, Trinity M

Dear Santa,

For Christmas can I have a hoverboard? And for my other gift can I get a cozy, grey, warm, blanket for Christmas or a electric scooter for Christmas?

Sincerely, Gisele B

Dear Santa,

I hope your reindeer are ok. I hope you will be able to get to everyone's house. What I want for Christmas is a ipad, hoodie and a reindeer for y elves on the shelves.

Sinerely, Jewel D

Dear Santa,

I hope your doing good but can I for Christmas have a walke talke, a dog (optional) and a hamster (optional), and ps4, and bayel a phone.

Sincerely, Dennis L

Dear Santa,

Can I get a puppy for x-mas and witwce toq hat for him. And I want a houres with a gandug with a lether os a tall. And ded u die a anler shot gan.

From, Lukas W

Dear Santa,

Can I have a phone for Christmas? And can I have a Elf and can I have a big box of gum? And can I have a hoverboard?

Sincerely, Tucker C

Dear Santa,

Can I have a reindeer for Christmas so I can ride it to get more presents.

Love, Lane M

Dear Santa,

I want a elf for christmas. And a phone for Christmas and a makeup setr. Also a electric scooter, and a alw that can fly.

Sensuly, Zoie B

Dear Santa,

How big is your work shop? I would like a girl elf for Christmas. A silly girl elf becaus chippy isayn't very funny or silly

From, Jayde W

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Christa Savoir, Teacher

Dear Santa,
I am thankful for what I got last year. Also I want to know if you liked the cookies last year did you like the Gluten free cookies????????? How many elves do you have I think about 5,844. I think I have been a good boy this year. The number one thing I want please is covid 19 to go away and never ever come back! The number two thing is a bad mitten set. Another thing is a Harry Potter lego quitig match. Also some money so I can pay for my family members presents. And I know I said this last year but thank you for the hamster. I want a board game called Present Pile up. Also a big box of lego's. A if you cannot handle the corona thing a lot of comfy cool looking masks. A just so you know christmas is my favorite holiday.

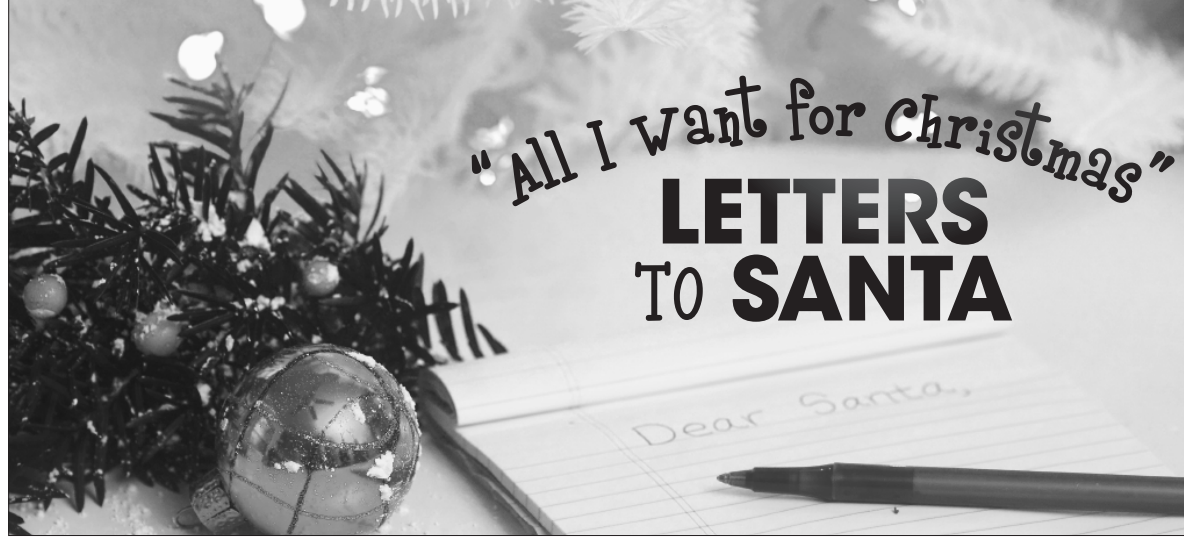
Love, Josiah G

Dear Santa,
How are your raindeer? Are they ready to fly for Christmas! Can I Pleas have hamals Pleas. I have Been good to my mom and I have Been good to my faily. I Love Chissasso much. I get right greads in school. So can I please get hamles Pleas I have Been a good girl.

Love, Ellie B

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I want Covid to be over d you want it to be over? I want a nitendo switch, Cuteschool supplies. I tv, panitiny supplies, drone, Mac book, slime supplies and a crafts. I want my family to be happy. I want some bracelets. I also want Legos and some books. I want a chalk board with chalk. I want a lamp. I want head bands. I will leave cookies and milk for you and I will leave carots for the raindeer

Dear, Jordyn C



Dear Santa,
how is rootoff? I hope hes doing good. If not I hope he gets betr. I will leve you some cookes. The chery is for rootoff tel him it's not as brite as his nose but it's close and if you where wunding it's a treat for him and all leve more for the riandeer. I hope it's not a bothere but I would like a mushety.

censerly from, Konnen L

Dear Santa,
how are you. and the rain deer I Loved my Presints last year. We made your favorite cookies. i would like the new iPhone 12 and a new hover Board. one of the new tipe. and I Hope you have a nice, safe ride Hear and Back I thought that you have 900,000,000 houses to deliver toys to. have a good safe trip.

Sincerely, Syllys L

Dery Satry,
Hir are you doing I hog you are doing good. yot is your faret koke. my faret radrder is cepr. Huy is meses Klos, satry. I yot A play Stash 4 so I can play way my dad and my brath.

Love, Mason H

Dear Santa,
How are you doing and how is rodoff Dasher Dancer Prancer blitein cupit vicksin doing are they helthy are they eating ok and how is mis. claus is she doing good here is a list of things I want i want a new bike new shou's new close new football gear new cklets and a new football and I want my mom and dad to be happy and we will have a plate full of cookies and a big glass of milk.

Love your friend, Brayden O

Dear Santa,
tell me how what the heck is your reindeers names oay and be sure to get me a ps4 for christmas. Ps you better get me a ps4!

Love, Landon M

Daer Santa,
I Hope you, mir Klas and rudof are good I an good so I wote tise note b/c I what for crinis si arsa car pres b/c I cras my car ni to the crde. I and I go to be at my bad hose so kan you druing it to my mom hose.

Love, Emmett P

Dear Santa,
I want of Christmas is to say thank you because of all the things you do for all the kiDs around the world. and putting children and happenes first and making everyone happy.

Love, Bo N

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Klause? I hope your raindeer are doing good. No affance to your other raindeer but my faiforite is blit-zon. What i want most for chirst-mas is a remote conral rc car and a drone with a camra. And covid to go away. I hope rudolph is doing good.

Love, Trace L

Dear Santa,
Are you feeling good from covid happening? I hope for a I Pod this year. I have bin a good girl thBis year. I make mastaks sometimes. Otherwise I have bin a good girl this year. I also want a ligo set and one more thing can you pleas get covid out of here. So can you do all of that for me?

Love, Aubrey M

SEASONS GREETINGS

With Warm Regards

Wishing you all that's bright and beautiful, all through this wonderful time of year and beyond. Many thanks to all our friends, who helped make our year shining success.



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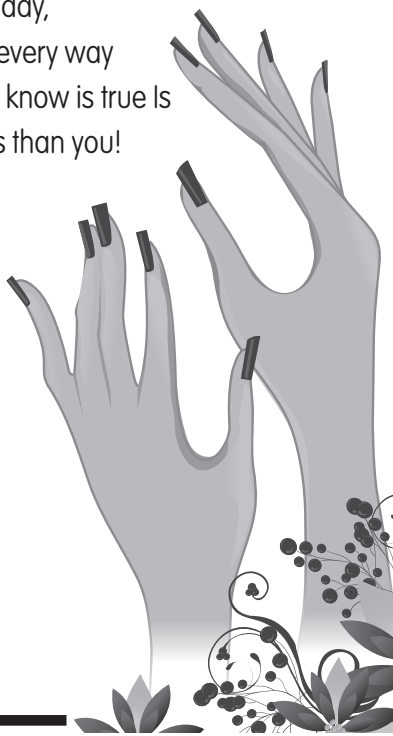
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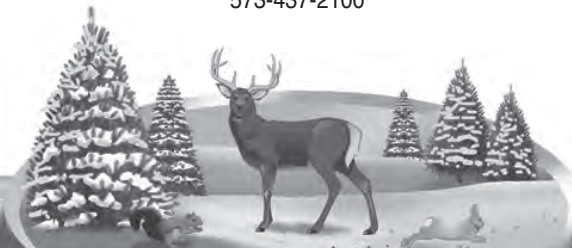
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In this season of hope, beauty, faith and goodwill, we feel truly blessed to have friends and neighbors like you, and hope that you enjoy a holiday that's as wonderful as you are.

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We hope your holiday delivers an abundance of good fortune. May love, light and faith be your guides throughout this joyous season and into the New Year.



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Owensville Elementary Third Grade
Brooklyn Stoll, Teacher

Dear Santa,
I hope you are having a great time making presents for Christmas! What ever stuff animal and 3D all stars and Hyrule warriors. good luck making presents for everyone.

Love,
Max A

Dear Santa,
I hope you're doing well. May I have a lot of new flair pens? Can I also have mecinal pencils with lead please and gold mecinal pencils and gold lead. Have a good year of 2021.

Your friend,
Braxton J

Dear Santa,
I hope you are hawing a good year. I would like an electric scooter and more Dragster Demon race cars. I will see you soon Thank you for all of the things you have gotten me in the past. Stay safe and I hope you are doing well.

Your friend,
Brock B

Dear Santa,
I know it's Probaly been busy in the north Pole but if you have time Please I want some Nerf gun balls and some hunting stuff and some coloring stuff if you get time to will you tell all of the elves that I Said hi and Mrs. Clause that I said I hoPe you have a merry Christmas

Your friend,
Liam P

Dear Santa,
I hope you and your reardeere are feeling good. I really want a smokey and the Bandit car, truck and trailer for Christmas.

Your friend,
Ricky R

Dear Santa,
I really hope you are having a good time at the North pole. Oh tell the raindeer to have a good Christmas. all I Went for Christmas is for my mom to be happy my dog back and a intendo light. have a good Christmas

Your friend,
Kara D

Dear Santa,
I hope you, Mrs. Clause, and the reindear and elves are doing good. I can't beleve it's already Christmas. This year I would like an electric dirt bike and any kind of mac book. Ive been writing to my elf and you. I've been my best.

Love your friend,
Jorja J

Dear Santa,
I hope you are having a good year. I cannot believe it is Christmas time! This year for Christmas I would like a hoverbord a hoverbord seat and pens. I hope you have a happy holiday season.

Your friend,
Allison E

Dear Santa,
I hope you are Keeping well. This year for Christmas I would like a new pair of Nike Shoes please. And for my family to be happy.

From my friend,
Cord T

Dear Santa,
My name is Vincent. I want a transformer toy. I hope you have a good flight.

Your friend,
Vincent P

Dear Santa,
I hope you are feelling ok. I really want a Phone7, a chromebook, and my family.

Your friend,
Emmaline D

Dear Santa,
I hoPe you are having a good year. I want a snake and a drone whith extra ProPellers.

Your friend,
Daulton L

More Letters to Santa

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Merry Christmas

Love ~ Peace ~ Joy ~ Blessings of the season...



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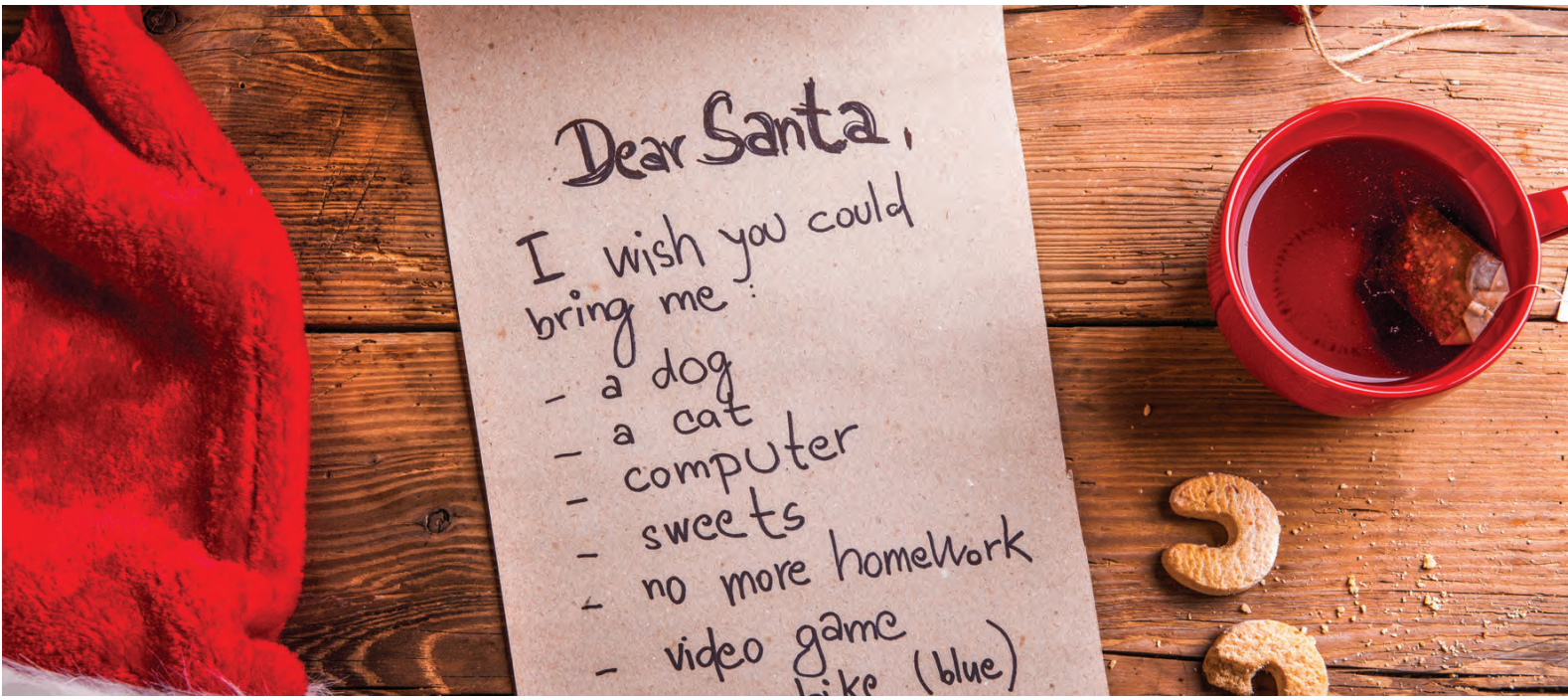
Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

Luke 2:14

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Owensville Elementary Third Grade
Danielle O'Dell, Teacher

Dear Santa,
I've been really good this year. I would like to have these things. Mini I Phone 12, Lego cars, Legos, Tony Stewart All American Racing game, Hot Wheel tracks, helie shoes, and alot of presents please!!!! PS. That's all I want for Christmas. Tell the Elves, Mrs. Clause, and the reindeer that I said Hi.

Your friend,
Liam W

Dear Santa,
I want a computer, a bird, and 5 Lego sets. I wish my mom was not allergic to cats. I want a toy dinosaur that moves and has a bone.

Your Friend,
Seth M

Dear Santa,
Can I have a drone so I can play with it outside at my dad's house? I would really like it!

Your friend,
Liam K

Dear Santa,
I want a hat because it is going to be cold outside. I want a jacket for my house because it is cold in my house.

Your friend,
Bentley K

Dear Santa,
I want a microscope, a Nerf gun, and a walky-talky.

Your friend,
Eli D

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year. For Christmas I want a doll set for my American Girl Doll. I want some shoes, some fun pajams, and may be some slippers.

Your friend, Nora C

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year. I want a Magic 8 ball, computer, Nerf Gun, Pet fish, and a fish tank.

Your freind,
Dason M

Dear Santa,
I have been nice this year. I have been working on my additude. I have also been getting good grades to impress my parents. I have been wondering how you and your wife have been? I have a short list of things I want. 1st a Bulldog Puppy. 2nd an I-Phone 11 Pro. 3rd My First Baby Doll toy. 4th Pink Hoverboard with Bluetooth speakers. Thank you!

Your friend,
Lily M

Dear Santa,
I want a guinea pig a new bike and a new Hover Board and a wellie wisher.

Your friend,
Paislee B

Dear Santa,
har u you? How are you? can I have a toy airplane and a real Baby PuP? I want a toy train.

Love,
Hayden D

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy at my dad's house. He said we can't have one. At my mom's house I made you a list fou you. Make sure that my buby brother gets one too. We are having Chritmas at my grandma's house.

Your friend, Quinn K

Dear Santa,
I really want the new X-Box. It's fine if you can't get me it. I also want a Tangle. If you get my cat some thing his stocking says Mr. and put his present's under the little tree. The last thing I want is a Robix cube.

Your friend,
Sophia T

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year. Can I please have a new T.V.? Mine broke in the moving van. Also, I would like a Lego set, a phone, and some Pokemon.

Your friend,
Sylas B

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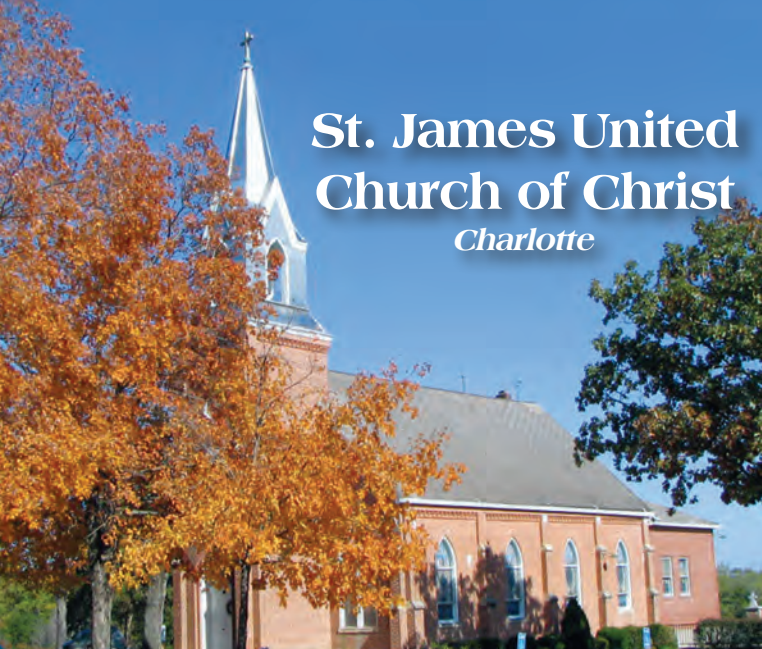
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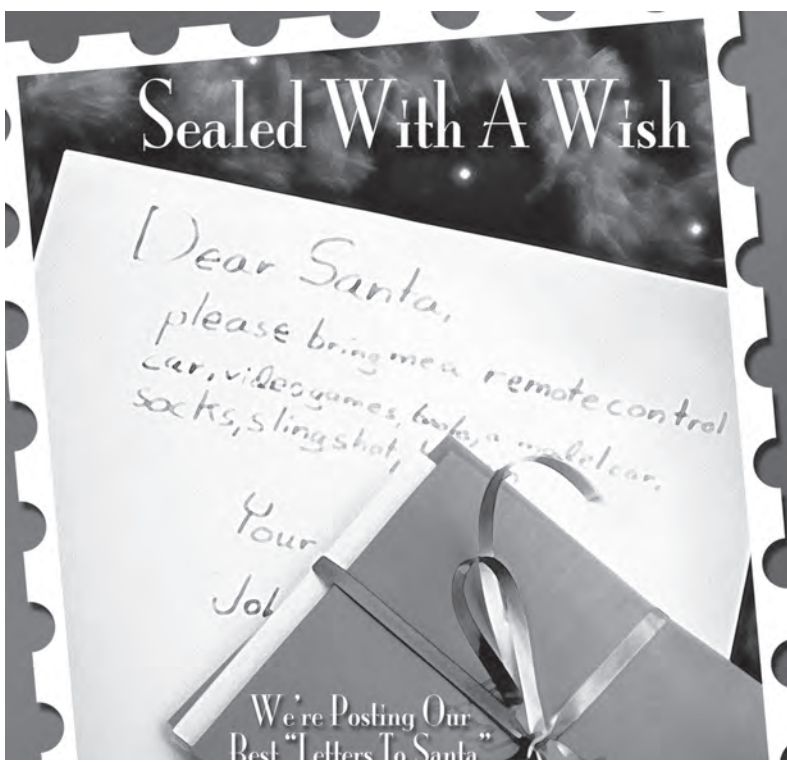
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Gerald Elementary Third Grade Ashley Powell, Teacher

Dear Santa,
How have you been? I'm good and I would like a case for my iPod. If you don't know what an iPod is, it is a small phone. I've been good this year, well I think. My brother is a whole different story. This year it's hard to decide what I want. I want a cute Christmas sweater.

Love,
Peyton R



Dear Santa,
It is December. Your elf is on the Snowman in the cafe and he is on the safe He's funny! Santa I hope the elves work hard and I want for Christmas is a mama Joise, 2 NaNa Supiris, 6 Ravi Tales.

Love,
Layleaonna M

Dear Santa,
I hope you like chocolate cookies because I am making them. And I am putting carrots for the reindeer. For Christmas I will like a babe and a sket Borde and hover borde, and a grizzly bar stuff animal and panda stuffy.

Sincerely,
Katie R

Dear Santa,
I would really like a lot of Pokemon cards. And also call of duty cold war for the ps4. And some chapter books that are I survived and captain underpants and roblox piggy toys and mine-craft lego's.

Yours,
book master (Logan H)

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a Dirt bike, a kitten, a rain Deer, a Choclet milk gallon jug, 10 sluff bunnys, the game mouse trap, the game uno, the movie playing with fire, a stufft tiger, a stufft penguin, and a chapter book, and a stufft rean Deer.

your rain Deer fan,
Samuel E

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa how are you doing? I thank I have ben a good kid. We may leav a jinjer bread hows for you. I really want a RodBux card for crismis. How is dasher doing and all the rest of the randeer? Thank you for the presens last year. And I really want a pokémon book plees. Thank you.

your randeer fan,
Roman C

Dear Santa,
How are your reindeer? Here is what I want for Christmas, I want the popular mmo's book set and the smill book set and I want a new piggy bank that I can lock. How is Mrs. Clause doing? I am a big reindeer fan and is rudal real?

Love,
Vanessa S

Dear Santa,
Today is a good day. How is Mrs. Claus doing and how are the raindeer doing? Santa can I have a neclis and a BaBlade Please and thank you. You are the best Santa and Mrs. Clause. I wish I could see one of your raindeer Santa.

Love, Stetson S

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas this year is Families' all acrossed the world to have a merry Christmas and for every class to be happy. And I also want my mom not to be stressed about any thing any more. It is a hard thing to do but can you try please.

Love,
Ariana T

Dear Santa,
Santa, are you doing well? Do you have to wear a mask when you deliver presents? Can you make me a toy truck out of wood? Are you checking your list twice, so you know if people are naughty or nice? I'm going to leave egg nog and gingerbread cookies.

Your friend,
Anthony L

Dear Santa,
I want a indomhorex toy that swallows figures. I want two cars for my Figures. A tres that swallows figures. A helicopter for my figure. A spinosotes. Two more cars, and a nuther helicopter.

From,
Cassius C

Dear Santa,
Here is what I want for Christmas. Can I have a drown and necleses, Braclets, earrings. Can I have light earrings not hevly. Oh and some yarn so I could crochet and nit.

Your friend,
Olivia L

Dear Santa,
Can I get a new tv and a nice RC car and lots of clows and a go cart? How is Mrs. Clos? I will leave out colclet chip cookies and I hope you have a good day.

Yours truly,
CJ P

Dear Santa,
First can I see my dad on Christmas if you can? Next Can I have slime? Then Can I have clothes? Finally can I have a New Swater? and New Boots. How is Mrs. Claus?

Love,
Kaydence P

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Dear Santa,
I want a ps5 and xbox one series x and a Pit bike and a dirt bike.
Love,
Jace D

Dear Santa,
I want any old fashion toy and a RoBux carD and something that will help me Play games and some Books also how are you and Mrs. Clause and how are the ReinDeer.
Your freind, Isaac D

Dear Santa,
this year my 6 items ook will be lol remix, lol doll house, secret crush, new phone, fgteev book.
Sicerey,
Bailey R

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I would like a dirt bike for Christmas I would like a car set.
Sincerely,
Austyn R

Dear Santa,
I want an Nitendo Switch and thondos of dolers! heelys jojo Siwa mech. makeup kit. to live with one friend's. Scarlett to move.
Love,
Alivia V

dere Santa,
a sled becou's I want to sled by myself
sinsrley, frum, love,
Aliya R

Dear Santa,
Electric dirt bike. nerf gun's.
Love,
Dustin M

Dear Santa,
I want black boots, squishys, hover board, jewelry,, putty, dog cat toy, makeup kit, cell phone, smart watch. How are you injoying life how are your raindeer and elfs.
Love,
Lydia B

Dear Santa,
I wunt a baby stroaller and a baby and I makeup kit
Love,
Madisyn S

Dear Santa,
I know you work super hard to give presents to every one in the hole world but I only 2 things tap shoe's and 50\$ robux gift card.
Love,
Summer E

Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas is... Cow gril boots, tablet, robot and controller. Baby doll. Dog man. ripped jeans. leggins. secret science kit. Dog. heelys. Stroller for Baby doll. Makeup kit. head Phones. Water bottle.
Sincerely,
Mallory S

Dear Santa,
hoberboard, Black boots, squishys, jewelry, laptop, putty, cat, makeup kit, smart watch How are you doing
Aubrey P

Dear Santa,
I want... PS4 Sonic games and WWE ashin figyrs and I wunt mare maex fhaf4 acshin figyrs and I wunt gta5 for a ps4 and I wunt dockog on brag in if PhuDex and I wunt Hot Well trax and car's
from your frend,
Hunter G

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a dirt bike and a PS4. I would also like a 65 inch TV.
Sincerely,
Landon K

Merry Christmas & Many Thanks

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A VERY MERRY SEASON TO YOU!

It's time to join family and friends in joyful holiday celebrations.

We hope your holiday season is the best ever.

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Lending helping hands for Operation Christmas 2020

Choir director Philip Giacomelli and OHS students (above, from left) Kimmie Ebker, Hayden Loeb, Jackie Payton, Paige Bossaller, Katelyn Holtzer, and Isabella Smith pack boxes Dec. 16 for Operation Christmas. Also helping (bottom, right) were Emily McKinney and Cadi Ruth, and (top, right) Braedn Stone and Matthew Aufderheide. Choir and horticulture student (below) enter the Helping Hands Outreach Center.



With Warm Wishes at Christmastime

Here's hoping your holiday is blessed with the perfect combination of peace, harmony and joy. Thank you to all of our fine employees, friends and their families for making this challenging year so special and, in some ways, even successful. We owe our success to your loyal support and courage. We wish you safety and health over the holidays.

Merry Christmas!



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