

Board Report

1/9/18

Pay It Forward: Mrs. VanStrydonk encouraged each student in her classroom to take \$1.00 and Pay It Forward by using a dollar to do something for someone else. Students took this task seriously! These dollars were used to buy coffee for a Salvation Army bell ringer as well as for Mrs. Anderson on a cold December morning. One dollar was put toward a student's lunch account who was in need. One student bought a toy for Toys for Tots, with the help of additional funds donated toward the purchase. Others donated to Salvation Army, baked cookies for a neighbor and surprised her with the treats, brought food and toys to Our Sister's House, brought cookies and treats to the Tomahawk Police Department and the hospital. Students took great pride in helping others through the Pay It Forward event.



bought coffee for the bell ringer.



put her money into someone's lunch account.



brought cookies to the Police Station and donated \$ to the Homeless Hunger fundraiser.



Listen to the Bells – Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Kernan and the TES students and staff did it

again! What an incredible program performed for the enjoyment of all! Each year I am truly impressed by the talent, seamless timing, the number of musical instruments and the dance/movement involved in these programs. The auditorium was filled for each performance! The school looked beautiful with the student created ornaments and art work hung on display for all the

see. Very well done again this school year! I hope you had a chance to enjoy these performances.

Letters to Santa – Second grade students wrote letters to Santa again this year meeting several writing standards and having a definite purpose and audience for their writing. If you're interested in reading these, they have all been published in the Tomahawk Leader. Some are quite funny, yet sincere in their nature.

PBIS – Our PBIS focus for January is playground behavior. Teachers will be reviewing playground guidelines with students this week. Then, on the morning of Jan. 10, the elementary will be holding a Winter Wear Fashion show complete with a fashion runway and emcee defining the winter wear being modeled. During this event, there will also be a Winter Dress Relay race where groups of students will race to dress in their winter wear against a teacher group. The purpose for this event is to remind students of winter clothing expectations as this has been an issue for some of our students this year.