



Reminders:

- **Dec 22: “Pajama Day”** - All Students Dress in Pajamas and/or Bring Blanket & Pillow
- **Dec 22: Early Dismissal (12pm NOON)** – All Grades TK-8
- **Dec 25-Jan 5: SCHOOL CLOSED** – Winter Recess
- **Jan 8: NO CLASSES** – Teacher Work Day
- **Jan 9: Classes Resume**

Recordatorios:

- **Dic 22: “Dia de Pijamas”** – Todos los estudiantes pueden vestir Pijamas y/o traer su cobija y/o almohada
- **Dic 22: Salida temprana (12pm MEDIODÍA)** – Todos los grados TK-8
- **Dic 25-Jan 5: ESCUELA CERRADA** –Receso de Invierno
- **Ene 8: NO HAY LAS CLASES** – *Día de Trabajo Docente*
- **Ene 9: Se REANUDAN** las clases

December 15, 2017

Dear Nicasio Families,

Wow! What a fantastic Winter Holiday Show, *Peter Pan*. I was impressed by the students' performances and was happy to see the culmination of their hard work and dedication. One of my favorite parts of the night was listening to Ms. Monica talk to the middle school students back stage before the show began. The excitement was contagious! Of course I must include a HUGE thank you to our Performing Arts teacher, Monica Snell, for her incredible dedication. Every aspect, from the set design to the costumes to the choreography to her role as Tinkerbell, was thoughtful and creative. What a gift to our school!

As a reminder, our Performing Arts Program is funded by the Nicasio School Foundation. It is through your contributions that we are able to offer opportunities to students like last night's performance. If you have not already contributed to foundation this year, please do so!

BIG thanks are also in order to the many families who contributed time and money for last night's delicious tamale dinner. All proceeds from the dinner and tamale sale will go directly to support Colin Williams and his wife, Marla. Thank you, Gisela Alvarado and Laura Flores, for creating and coordinating this fundraising idea!

Thank you, Tory Grady, and the many elves involved in decorating and providing treats and refreshments for last night's show. The MPR was transformed into a Winter Wonderland! Tory also coordinated our Craft Faire, which was a big success. Thank you for taking the lead in so many ways, Tory!

Finally, a reminder that next week is our final week of school for 2017. Friday (the 22nd) is a noon-dismissal day and also our first spirit day of the year, Pajama Day.

**All the best,
Barbara**



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Nicasio School Board of Trustees Votes to Reorganize Members

Nicasio School Board Member Michelle Rutledge was elected president at the board's December 7, 2017 annual organizational meeting. Trustee Rutledge joined the board in 2015 and has served as trustee representative to the Marin County School Board Association (MCSBA). Trustee Jason Snell, who was elected to the board in 2013 and most recently served as president, has been named MCSBA representative. Trustee Madeleine Sloane will continue as board clerk, a position she has held since joining the governing board in 2005.



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**Application Period and Enrollment Capacity
for Interdistrict Transfer Requests into Nicasio School District for 2018-19**

From February 1, 2018, to April 16, 2018, requests from non-resident students for interdistrict transfer (IDT) for the 2018-19 school year may be submitted to Nicasio School District. Requests will be processed in accordance with school board policy and administrative regulations (BP/AR 5117) and will be considered by the Board of Trustees at the regular meeting held in May 2018.

IDT requests from non-resident students received after April 17, 2018, to June 1, 2018, will be processed and considered at a board meeting in June 2018.

Classroom and program capacity limits are specified in AR 5117.

West Marin Open Gym

@San Geronimo Valley Community Center Gym

Friday, December 15th (FREE, all ages)

Gym open from 8:30pm-10pm

Holiday Cookie Decorating in LOFT 7:30-8:30pm



FOOD – PICKUP BASKETBALL – PING PONG – HANG OUT in LOFT

Nicasio, Point Reyes, Bo-Stin & Tomales communities welcome!

Endorsed by:

West Marin Coalition for Healthy Youth

www.westmarincoalition.org

Contact: whubert@sgvcc.org





Don't miss out on the spring 2018 season of WMLL! Registration opens November 1 for the 2018 Spring Season – Registration ends in January

Register: <http://www.westmarinlittleleague.com>

Divisions

Last spring more than 500 players joined WMLL, ranging in age from 4 to 15 years old, and from T-ball to Juniors. The success of our program is built on the dedication of WMLL families, volunteer coaches and parents. WMLL offers the following divisions of play:

T-ball - \$175

(Little League Ages 5-6) This division is for all 5-year-olds, first-year 6-year-olds, and returning 6-year-olds wanting an additional year of basic instruction. T-ball introduces the young players to team play and the rules of baseball.

Entering Farm- \$225

(Little League Ages 6-7) The Entering Farm division is for 6-year-olds with one year of T-ball, 7-year-olds who need more of the fundamentals.

Returning Farm- \$225

(Little League Ages 7-8) The Returning Farm division is for 7-year-olds with some experience in T-ball and, possibly Farm, and most 8-year-olds. If you believe your 8-year-old would benefit from playing the next division up (Minors AA), please sign up for Farm as directed by the registration system and then come to assessment day in January.

Minors and Majors - \$275

(Little League Ages 9-12) All players between the ages of 9-12 will go through the Minors (AA & AAA) and Majors assessment process (see below). WMLL will place players in the division that best suits their age and skill set, and allows for a better playing experience.

Scholarships Available!