

The holidays are over with many wonderful memories for our students to share. For my family, we celebrated the college graduation of my youngest child and enjoyed the holidays with everyone here in Michigan. I hope your holidays included time with those you love.

At MRE, the new year brings change (as it always does) and the unfolding of events for this year and next. Our sixth grade has returned from another fabulous experience at Camp Michindoh and they will sing their songs with very little prompting.

PTA just hosted a successful family night out with a lively BINGO program filled with fun and prizes in a full gym. QuizBowl is beginning along with junior robotics, our spelling bee and Young Authors Program.

The year will pass quickly and I hope you will take every opportunity to be involved with our activities and share in the fun. Please watch for flyers and information coming home regarding other programs and district level plans so that you are informed of important dates and decisions. There will also be a need for your assistance to make our events and transition plans successful. One good piece of news is that our start time next year will be 8:20 a.m. with school out at 3:20 p.m. This should help with doctor appointments and after school activities. We are confident that our students and staff will have an excellent education at any school in Bedford.