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Cash Drive Results The Costa community raised \$4109 for the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry during this week's cash drive. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. The classes with the highest cash total per student were second grade-1st place; third grade-2nd place; and first grade-3rd place.

Breakfast with Buddies Thank you to those who attended Costa's Breakfast with Buddies. We had over fifty people in attendance this morning. Adults, you are a blessing to your students!

Holly Days Parade You are encouraged to walk with your family in the parade on Sunday, December 7. This is a fun way to earn service hours. Start time and details will be shared with you as soon as the school receives them.

Girls Volleyball There is a parent meeting following volleyball practice on Monday, December 8, at 5 pm. Please make plans to attend.

Costa Christmas Extravaganza Our Christmas program will take place on Sunday, December 14. Students in preschool-5th grade, along with students in band and strings, will be participating in two *identical* 45-minute programs at 1 pm and 2 pm. In order to accommodate the anticipated large crowd, you are urged to choose one performance to attend so that each family has an opportunity to watch the program. Children should wear their Christmas best and arrive at the school no later than 12:30 pm. Costa band and strings members will check-in with Mr. Lopez in the band room. All other students should report to their homerooms.

Cookies and Cocoa with Santa will be held in the cafeteria on Sunday, December 14.

The **Book Fair** is coming to Costa! Students will have the opportunity to visit the book fair December 10–12. Books will also be available for purchase on Sunday, December 14.

Important Dates

November 26-28 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL December 4 Art Club December 6 Band Rehearsal 11 am-1 pm December 7 Holly Days Parade