



## Ms. Vallarelli's December Newsletter

Dear Parents,

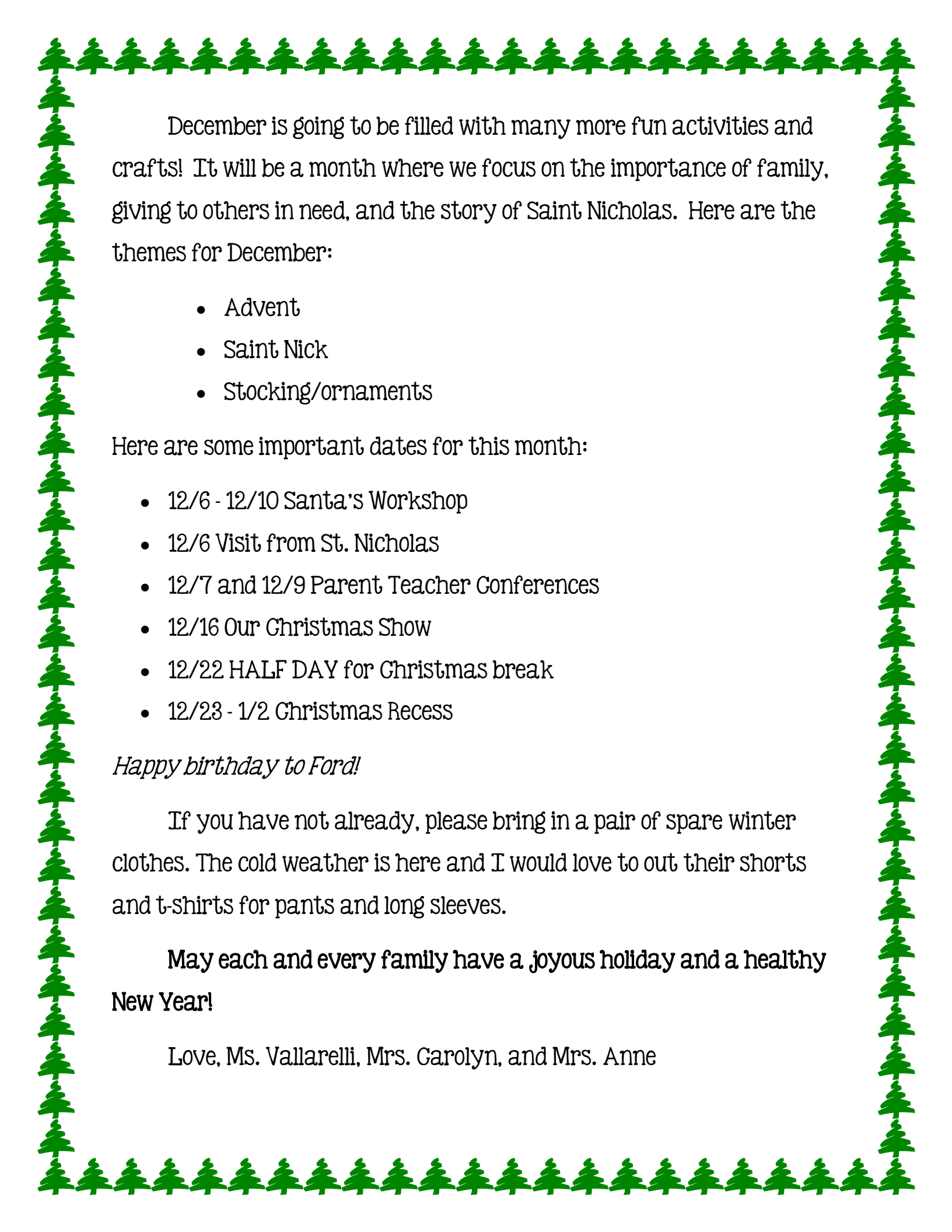
We cannot believe the end of 2021 is already here! What a fabulous and exciting three months of school we have had so far. Each student now has the routine of the day down which makes the transitions between each activity swift! This is vital in the classroom so that we can have optimal learning time to explore new concepts. Each student has really grown and flourished into their own individual person.

Here is a glimpse of our November highlights:

Picture Day - Everyone was so wonderfully dressed and brought their best smiles for the camera man!

Fall and Thanksgiving Theme - We created many fun and creative crafts revolving around fall and Thanksgiving. We learned about harvesting crops and how those crops can be eaten on Thanksgiving Day. We hope you enjoyed ALL the turkeys crafts we made!

Thanksgiving Feast - The students enjoyed making their very own bracelets, playing turkey games, and making a "I am thankful for.." headband.



December is going to be filled with many more fun activities and crafts! It will be a month where we focus on the importance of family, giving to others in need, and the story of Saint Nicholas. Here are the themes for December:

- Advent
- Saint Nick
- Stocking/ornaments

Here are some important dates for this month:

- 12/6 - 12/10 Santa's Workshop
- 12/6 Visit from St. Nicholas
- 12/7 and 12/9 Parent Teacher Conferences
- 12/16 Our Christmas Show
- 12/22 HALF DAY for Christmas break
- 12/23 - 1/2 Christmas Recess

*Happy birthday to Ford!*

If you have not already, please bring in a pair of spare winter clothes. The cold weather is here and I would love to out their shorts and t-shirts for pants and long sleeves.

May each and every family have a joyous holiday and a healthy New Year!

Love, Ms. Vallarelli, Mrs. Carolyn, and Mrs. Anne