



**Lighthouse School®
400 Cluster Newsletter
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Notes from the Homeroom:

The third quarter is under way. The students have finished with electives and are now participating in the Health curriculum. The Vocational Department has been working on Retail skills. In this section, students have learned about the different jobs that are available to them in a department store and have practiced the skills that are needed to gain employment. Up next are Food Services, where students will participate in lessons that expose them to culinary experiences. We will begin the unit by learning about kitchen utensils and safety procedures. The unit will conclude by the students having the opportunity to examine and prepare various recipes.

The students had a great time participating in the annual Holiday Fest. They learned about various holiday traditions, such as playing the Dreidel game, as well as making Kwanzaa mats. The students also had a chance to go sledding or play football outside while enjoying a cup of hot chocolate.

The Lighthouse Basketball teams have started their season!!!!!! Both the Junior Varsity and Varsity are 0-1. This year has brought us a new and young team that is very dedicated to their practices and becoming a team together. Good luck to both teams with the rest of the season!