

Holidays 2005



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December 26-30
OFFICE CLOSED
Holiday Break

January 1, 2006
Happy New Year!

January 11
CBC/Presidents Mtg.
6:00 PM at KMUC

January 16
ESP Training
Microsoft Word
5:00 PM at
Manitowoc Lincoln HS

January 17
KMUC Exec. Committee
4:30 PM at KMUC

January 20-22
Midwest Regional
Leadership Conference
Indianapolis

January 23
ESP Training
Microsoft Excel
5:00 PM at
Manitowoc Lincoln HS

Seasons Greetings

From
Your KMUC Staff:
Clyde, Jim & Ruth



KMUC Board Reps Share Holiday Wishes

KMUC Board members were invited to share their holiday wishes and hopes for the New Year for local (and KMUC, too!) members. Here are their responses:

Jeff Kainz (Sheboygan EA): I hope the New Year brings everyone good health, happiness and the insight needed to overcome future challenges

Diane Diederichs (Plymouth EA): Despite various hardships that you and your family may encounter over the year(s), I wish everyone to be happy and to always look for the positive. Happy Holidays!!

Grace Flora (New Holstein EA): I wish everyone a fair contract settlement from a board that is willing to negotiate with its teachers.

Jackie Thiry (New Holstein EA): My Christmas wish would be that a contract agreement could be reached in a reasonable amount of time.

Carol Levendusky (Manitowoc Education Paraprofessionals): I would like to wish the MEP the healthiest and happiest of New Years. P.S. The group at

Stangel Elementary wished for the doctor on *Grey's Anatomy* under the tree with a big red bow.

Russ Wurm (Chilton EA): May everyone enjoy having hardworking students, supportive parents, and experience professional and personal fulfillment.

Deb Streblov (Sheboygan EA): My wish is for a New Year filled with personal success, success for our students and success in working with our administrators and

board members to help them understand what it takes for us to educate our students.

Linda Helf (KMUC President): My New Year wish for the members of KMUC is one for appreciation. I hope that our members are finally appreciated for all the work they do for the students in our schools – helping them learn, helping them become used to
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Looking Ahead...

PI34...What's Next?
February 15th, 2006

single session
evening informational conference

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and to register 1-800-834-7076**

Holiday Wishes, (continued from front...)

a new country, helping them find their mittens and boots when the weather is bad (and sometimes even providing mittens and boots for them), helping them work out problems, helping them by working one to one with them, helping them to have lunch and breakfast, and helping to keep their schools clean and safe. I appreciate the members who make the PUBLIC schools the best places for education for our students. I hope this appreciation is soon seen in the media and from our political leaders.

Enjoy your time off...

Linda Helf

Mark this date:

February 6th

KMUC's
next
breakfast
meeting
with area
legislators



Location to be announced

Congratulations to these KMUC members recently recognized for achieving National Board for Professional Teaching Standards Certification!

Dana Krejcarek, Kohler EA

Peggy Bolle, Manitowoc EA

Jill Link, Manitowoc EA

Michelle Preussler, Manitowoc EA

Jessica Swemke, Manitowoc EA

Gina Wagner, Manitowoc EA

January News & Notes

Please join us in Cleveland!

When: Wednesday, January 25, 2006 (a free, public program) **6:30 PM to 7:30 PM** (Beginning at 6:00PM, you can also add your voice to others by recording a short video message about the public services and quality of life that you value in your community.)

What: Public Forum: The Trouble with TABOR
Hosted by Wisconsin Council on Children and Families

Where: Lakeshore Technical College, Lakeshore Building
1290 North Avenue, Cleveland, Wisconsin
Forum will be in the Wisconsin Training Room
Personal video testimonies will be taped in a nearby room.

Parking:
Staff & Conference Parking Lot to the East of the building
Refreshments served; children welcome

The Wisconsin Council on Children and Families is a non-partisan, non-profit organization that provides education, research and advocacy for the well being of children and families in our state. Questions? Call (608) 206-1518 for more information. **WCCF: Raising Voices to Make Every Kid Count**

Microsoft Office Computer Training for ESP Members

January 16, 2006: Microsoft Word

January 23, 2006: Microsoft Excel

**“Hands on” sessions held at
Lincoln High School, Manitowoc**

**Sign up for one or both classes:
\$10 for each PDA certified session
Call Ruth at the KMUC office
for details and to register**

This is *your* newsletter. Please let us know what's happening in your local associations so we can share your stories and photos in future issues.