

November 12, 2018

Dear ABVM families:

We are happy to have survived the emotional roller coaster that ensued with the proposed school merge last year. This difficult time had an effect not only on our enrollment numbers, but also on our school spirit. Moving forward, we are excited for the future of ABVM & are committed to boosting morale by sponsoring fun events to celebrate our school family. After all, we survived the process & have a bright future ahead!

To celebrate our amazing students, we are pleased to announce that we have planned a special school day outside of the classroom. All ABVM students (Kindergarten – 8th grade) are being treated to a performance of the *2018 Christmas Show: The First Noel* at the American Music Theatre in Lancaster on Wednesday, December 12 at 10:30 am.

The faculty and staff will be attending the event; therefore, chaperones are not needed. Parents wishing to attend may purchase tickets on their own. All students must ride the bus to and from the show. Students will need to pack a lunch and students with peanut/tree nut allergies will be on the same bus as our school nurse. We do ask all parents to be mindful of these life threatening allergies when packing lunches for this day.

After students arrive to school in the morning they will board buses to Lancaster and will return for normal dismissal at 2 pm. There will be a \$10 charge per student to cover the transportation cost. All student and faculty tickets to the show will be purchased by the Home & School Board.

Thank you for remaining committed to our school and our ABVM family!

Best,
Joan Chilcote
Beth Runey
Tina Mahoney
Laura Costa