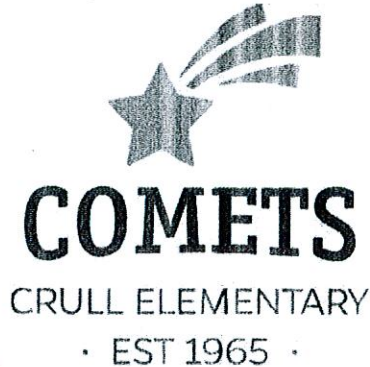


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December Calendar Highlights:

Upcoming events at Crull Elementary School:

Dec. 2nd & 16th - Crull Comet Gathering @ 8:35 a.m.

Dec. 15th - Bright Smiles Dental

Dec. 5th- 9th - Scholastic Book Fair

Dec. 6th - PTA Holiday Craft Event @ 5:30-7:00pm

Dec. 16th - Popcorn Friday

Dec. 20th - Holiday Sing-a-Long @ 2:00pm-3:00pm

Dec. 21st - Jan. 3rd - No School for Winter Break

For the complete calendar <http://crull.phasd.us/calendar>

Message from Principal Raski – The holiday season has begun. You may have heard the great news. Our Crull Team was notified by the National Title I Distinguished Schools Association that we have been named a National Title I Distinguished School! Crull is one of two schools in the state of Michigan to earn this prestigious national recognition. The Michigan Department of Education selected Crull based on data that showed an emphasis on “Significant progress in closing the achievement gap between student groups.” We are so very excited and humbled to be recognized. We do know it takes a strong family/school partnership for success to occur. We want to thank you for continued dedication and support for the children and the teachers. Parent/Teacher conferences were well attended and student attendance is rising. Thanks for making it a priority for your children to be here on time, everyday. It takes all of us to do great things. Have a safe and happy holiday.

Bright Smiles Dental – Mobile dentistry tooth fairies will be coming to our school on Thursday, December 15th to service those students who have sent back their form. If you have not sent back your form it is not too late the deadline is Wednesday, December 7th.

Scholastic Book Fair – The book fair will be open during school hours 8:15 a.m.-3:15 p.m. On Tuesday, December 6th the hours will be extended to 5:30 p.m.-7 p.m. during the PTA Family Holiday Craft event.

Popcorn Friday – Last popcorn Friday for 2016 is December 16th. It cost only .50 cents a bag and the popcorn is allowed to be eaten out as recess or during snack time but they are **not** allowed to eat it on the bus.

PTA Holiday Craft Event – Bring the family for an evening of holiday crafts and activities, Tues. Dec. 6th from 5:30pm-7pm provided by our PTA. Our PTA supports your child’s education through fundraising and sponsoring a variety of family oriented and community events. PTA is always looking for parents, grandparents and community members to be a part of Crull’s PTA.
