



THE TUESDAY

12/1/09

TYLER *Times*

PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR PARENT OR GUARDIAN!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, December 3

For prospective parents:
MoTH School Info Night, 5:30-8:30pm

Saturday, December 5

Winter Festival, 3-6pm

Monday, December 7

Parent Teacher Conferences
No School for students

Wednesday, December 9

Literacy through Photography
Exhibit, 6-7pm

Thursday, December 10

PTA Meeting, 6:30pm
Free dinner and childcare provided!

Saturday, December 12

Holiday Drop & Shop, 10am-2pm

Can you help for just one hour?

Volunteers are still needed for these
upcoming events:

- ▶ MoTH School Information Night, Thursday 12/3: We need current Tyler parents to talk to future Tyler parents, especially from 7pm-8pm. Contact Lillian Ramsden at lramsdn@mindspring.com or call 202-320-6196.
- ▶ Winter Festival, Saturday 12/5: We need more hands, especially from 6pm-7pm to help with teardown/cleanup. Contact Catherine Jouet at cjouet@gmail.com or call 202-288-9524

What's happening at the Winter Festival?

We're glad you asked!

FREE ADMISSION for Tyler students!

Tickets will go home with students
this week.

DOOR PRIZES: For the adults: one free
night in a downtown hotel and for the
little kids, a "LIKEaBIKE"!

COME HUNGRY! We will have hot
dogs, brats (German sausages), cider,
popcorn, baked goods, and chocolate!

SMILE: Come dressed up and get your
family photo taken by a professional!
There is no charge for getting your
picture taken and prints and/or cards
can be ordered after the Festival. The
ICE CARVING should make a great
backdrop!

HOLIDAY GIFTS: Our vendors will
be selling handmade crafts and
gifts (jewelry, art, specialty tea, and
more). For that perfect holiday gift,
the Tyler PTA is selling handmade
chocolate truffles — an elegant box of
6 assorted flavors is only \$10.00!

AND MORE: Story time with Mr. Tony,
a cakewalk, live music and dancing,
and games for the kids!

See you there! Saturday, December 5th
from 3-6pm. Bring your friends!

Help your Child Succeed in School

Research shows that parental
involvement is one of the major keys to

increasing school attendance, literacy
rates, and student performance in
schools. One way to become—or stay—
involved is to meet with your child's
teacher. Parent-Teacher Conferences
are next Monday, December 7th. Please
make sure you have signed up with your
child's classroom teacher to discuss his/
her progress. All of our special subject
teachers (Library, Art, Music, PE/
Health) will have time available to talk
to parents that day, too. Sign-up sheets
will be posted outside of each of their
classrooms. Reminder, no school for
students that day!

Shop without the Kids!

The Tyler PTA and Fundraising
Committee are offering a "Drop &
Shop" service just for Tyler families on
Saturday, December 12th from 10am-
2pm. Starting at 10am that day, you
can DROP off your child(ren) at Tyler
& leave to go SHOP! A team of Tyler
parents will watch the kids while you're
out enjoying your holiday shopping
(just be back by 2 o'clock!). The cost
is \$20 for the first child and \$10 for
each additional child in the same
family. (What a deal! That cost is for
the ENTIRE event—up to 4 hours of
child care!) The kids will enjoy games,
movies, and a light lunch. For more
information, please contact Daniel
Traster at dtraster@gmail.com or at 202-
277-7841. Reservations are not required.