

# Hancock Elementary School

*"Rooted in Community, Reaching for the Stars"*

Happy Thanksgiving!

There is so much to be thankful for this season! I am thankful for the support you provide students and staff. It is because of you that we have had a wonderful start to the school year. I am thankful for the staff who work tirelessly to ensure all children learn and grow into strong community members. I am thankful for people behind the scenes that attend to paperwork, lunch counts and keep the school in tiptop shape. And, most of all, I am truly grateful for the wonderful children at HES. I feel so fortunate to be a part of such a supportive and caring community.

We are well into winter weather. Please remember to send your children with snow pants, mittens, hats, boots and a warm jacket. Unless the feels like temperature falls below 10 degrees, the children will be outside enjoying the fresh air.



We have a busy month ahead of us. Please see the December Calendar on the back of the newsletter for the scheduled events. Please note that Art Day has been added to our calendar. Jeannie Connolly and Andy Shultz organize a day where children work in multi-aged groups and rotate through four art activities. This year, Mer Wyzga will lead a yoga center. We welcome your hands and ideas for any or all of the student and staff activities this month. If you would like to volunteer, please email Lindsay Carter at [lcarter@conval.edu](mailto:lcarter@conval.edu).

Enjoy your time with family and friends. See you in December!!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy Janoch".

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