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## **Weekly Update**

(Brought to you by the Middle School Journalism Class)

# **Aldo Leopold Charter School**

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### **News for all**

- 11/28 Wed.....** Pulled Pork Fajitas, Pinto Beans, Chopped Veggie Salad, and Fruit
- 11/29 Thurs....** Ham & Cheese Melt, French fries, Caesar Salad, and Fruit
- 11/30 Fri.....** No foooddddyyyy EVER!!!!!!!
- 12/3 Mon.....** Turkey or Cheese Wrap, Sweet Potato Fries, Garden Garden Salad, and Fruit
- 12/3 Tues.....** Bean & Cheese Tacos, Steamed Quinoa, Shredded Veggie Tray, and Fruit
- 12/4 Wed.....** Sausages, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Whole Grain Rolls, Caesar Salad, and Fruit

## Lighted Christmas Parade

The Lighted Christmas Parade was amazing with lights and different floats with colorful lights and music. The theme this year was "a storybook Christmas." Out of all the floats 3 reigned superior and we were lucky to be 2nd out of the three. Our float was based off of *The Lorax* and all the characters looked fantastic. Aysh (eighth grade math teacher) played the Once-ler, and Martha (director of the Guadalupe Montessori School) played the Lorax.



## Committees

To find out more click [here](#)

SHAC-

Wednesday, December 5, from 4:30-6:00 PM, in Jim's room

SAC-

Thursday, December 6, from 5-6:30 PM, in Mr. Sherwood's office

Rsk mgmt-

Tuesday, December 11, from 4:30- 6 PM, in Jim's room

GC-

Thursday, December 13, from 5:30-8:30 PM, in Mrs. Chaney's

## November Events

28-----Internship Showcase 4:30 PM

## December Events

5-----SHAC 4:30 PM

6-----SAC Committee 5:00 PM

7-18-----HS & MS Art Show opening 5:00 PM at Javalina  
(More info next week)

10-----Internship students turn in hours worked

10-13-----Final Exams-Middle School

11-----Risk Management 4:30 PM

13-----Governing Council Meeting 5:30 PM

14-----Last day for YCC and Internship

14-----NMSU one-day trip - Junior science class

18-19-----Final Exams - High School

20-----Make-up Final Exams. Half day of school

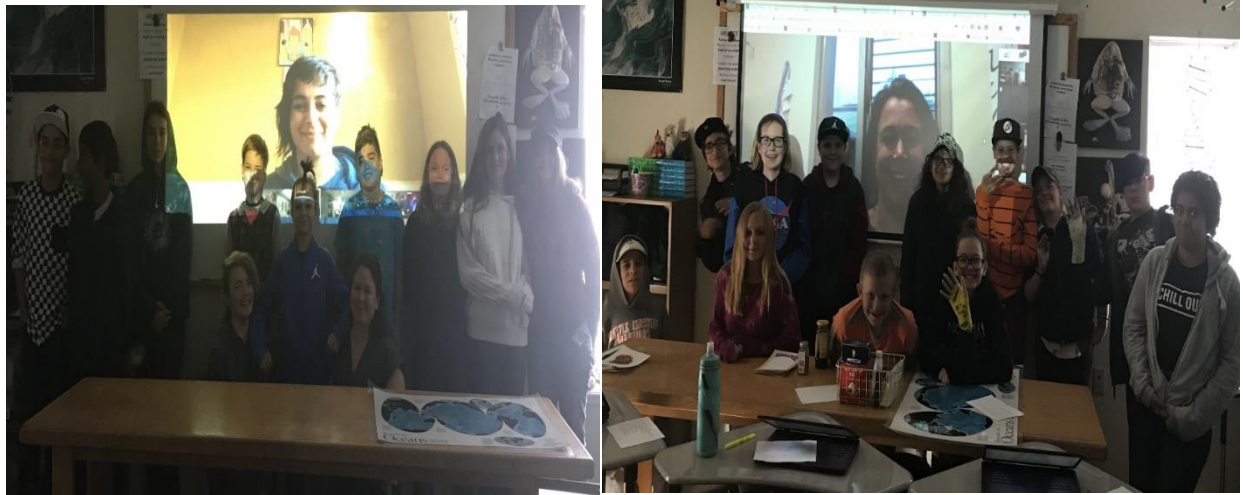
21-Jan 4--Winter Break

## **Here comes the gov'nor**

**Senior Zach** was given an award for his time spent at Boys State this past summer. Thanks to Aldo's emphasis on public speaking, Zach gave an impressive speech when the award was presented to him at a dinner hosted by the American Legion in Silver City. The dinner and awards ceremony were for all participants from our area. Boys State participants learn about state and local government through role playing. Zach was very busy while there and made connections throughout our state. The American Legion is hoping more students (11th grade) will be interested next year.

## Mrs. Chaney does it again!

The 7<sup>th</sup> grade science classes talked with two scientists through a program called Skype with a Scientist. In the photo on the left, students spoke with [Deepti Singh](#), a climate scientist in Washington state. The second group of Mrs. Chaney's 7<sup>th</sup> grade spoke with [Celine Van Golde](#) who is a forensic psychologist in Australia!



## YCC

Aldo's YCC Program receives a grant from the state to pay for supplies and to pay the YCC workers and crew leaders. Our school gets the highest paying grant in the state. The state looks for the how the school is teaching career skills. Aldo was awarded \$99,180 for the spring and \$68,933 for the fall semester so for the 2019 school year all together that is \$168,113! **A BIG thank you to Harry Browne (our school's business manager), Guy Ramirez (Internship Coordinator), and Dave Chandler (fundraiser and all-around school champion) for spending months putting the grant proposal together.**

## High school

### The new plan

The newbies of **Community Orientation** who adventure with Pete, Kristin, and Orien every Friday *will not* be going to the Gila Cliff Dwellings as planned. Pete decided to reschedule that for next semester due to a 60% chance of rain or snow, and highs in the 40s (it is too risky on those winding mountain roads). Plan B for this day is in the making, and students will find out Wednesday or Thursday what they will be doing. In the meantime, **plan on meeting on Friday in Peter's room at the regular time of 10:25 AM.**

### Before Friday, CO students, you got work to do!

Also, C.O. students, you need to help with the internship showcase on **Wednesday, November 28 after school**. Check in with Pete at **3:50 that afternoon at the basketball court**. Everyone will be released after we are done cleaning up afterward, **likely around 6 PM**. Plan on taking  $\frac{1}{2}$  page of notes at 3 different internship poster-boards, and  $\frac{1}{2}$  page of notes at 3 different YCC presentations, for a total of 3 pages for your internship showcase journal entry. *This day is a required part of C.O.*

## Middle school

### Toss no mas!

The Middle School will be going to do the second half of our visit to the city utilities. The group that went to the current and old landfill will now be going to the sewage treatment plant, the city utilities, and the Senior Center. And vice versa. If the weather proves inclement we will be at the school working on our action projects, deciding what to make for our Dutch oven feast in December, and filing out surveys for next semester electives. Please come to school prepared to be outside!

BIG 5 + 1: 2 water bottles, healthy lunch and snacks, appropriate shoes, warm hat, journal and pencil, and a rain coat.

## Community events

### Maybe go to a show, huh?

**Silver City Community Theater** presents *Deathtrap* by Ira Levin. "Deathtrap" is an ominously funny play from Broadway. Directed locally by Wendy Spurgeon, the production has been described as "gasp producing thrills...spontaneous laughter" the play will be performed eight times:

November 30, 7:30 (opening night performance)

December 1, 2:00 & 7:30 PM

December 2, 2:00 PM,

December 7, 7:30 PM

December 8, 2:00 & 7:30 PM

December 9, 2:00 PM

For more information visit [website](#)

## Christmas Events

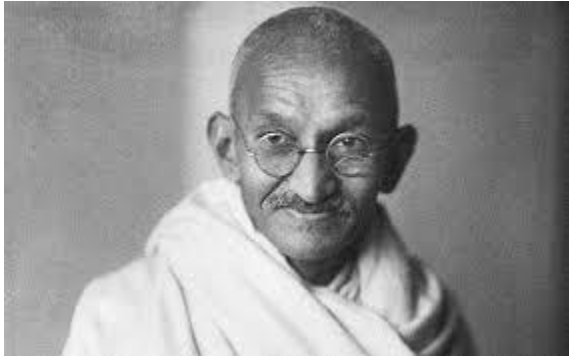
All happening on December 1

[2nd Annual Christmas Mercado](#) 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

[5th Annual Artisan Holiday Market](#) 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

[Tamal Fiesta y Más](#) 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

[Santa Clara Annual Lighted Christmas Parade](#) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM



**Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi**  
(October 2, 1869-January, 30, 1948)

was an Indian activist who was the leader of the Indian independence movement against British rule.

Employing nonviolent civil disobedience, Gandhi led India to

independence and inspired movements for civil rights and freedom across the world. (Wikipedia) *"Happiness is when what you think, what you say, and what you do are in harmony."*