

December 2017

## 2nd Quarter Newsletter



Here are the results from last quarter's opinions:

Apple Music: 23 people  
Radio: 6 people

Kahoot: 18 people  
Quizlet live: 11 people

Fist bumps: 11 people  
High Fives: 18 people

Country: 15 people  
Pop: 14 people

Online shopping: 18 people  
Store shopping: 11 people

Apple: 27 people  
Samsung: 2 people

iPad: 18 people  
Chromebook: 11 people

Dogs: 25 people  
Cats: 4 people

Nike: 21 people  
Adidas: 8 people

Google: 29 people  
Bing: 0 people

# Christmas Jokes:

Where does Santa Claus put his money?

In a snowbank

Why was Santa's little helper feeling sad?

He had a low elf-esteem

What kind of bike does Santa Claus ride?

A Holly Davidson

When Santa's on the beach, what do his elves call him?

Sandy Clause

What do snowmen like to do on the weekend?

Chill out

What do you get when you cross an iPad and a Christmas tree?

A Pineapple

What does Santa suffer from when he gets stuck a chimney?

Claustrophobia

How do sheep say Merry Christmas in Mexico?

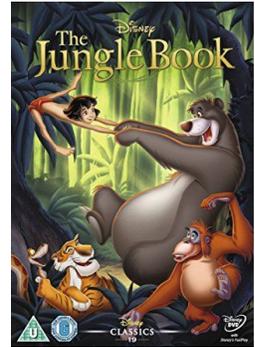
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By Nolan, Brady, and Jacob

## The Jungle Book (musical)

The Jungle Book is a story known by many. Making this our play at Cozad Middle School was a great idea. The teachers in charge of this activity are Mrs. Blackmore and Mrs. Kostrunek. We interviewed them to see what they expect of this year musical.



### QUESTIONS:

1. How was this play chosen?
2. What are you looking forward to most for this musical?
3. Can you give us some intel on how the set will look?
4. When are the performances?
5. How many people are in the cast and crew?

### ANSWERS

**These are Mrs. Blackmore and Mrs. Kostrunek's answers:**

1. We look through catalogs and websites looking for options. We narrow it down based on length, cast of characters, music, and what we think is a good match for our student body.
2. We look forward to finding out who the leaders and emerging actors are. It's exciting to see students come out of their shell and become something they didn't even expect of themselves.
3. The set will be using some of the pieces from Alice in Wonderland and from this year's One Act production. It will evolve as we rehearse and find out what we really need.
4. Performances will happen at the end of the third activity session. Exact dates will be promoted closer to that time.
5. We have around 45 students involved. The show won't be cast until mid-December.

By: Shaundra, Carly, and Tara

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## What is your favorite Christmas Movie?

Paul Cole: *A Christmas Story*

Jordan Kovarik: *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*

David Sanchez: *Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer*

Maddie Spaulding: *National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation*

Cole Lighthall: *A Christmas Story*

Blaire Davis: *Home Alone*

Miss Boshart: *National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation*

Mr. Frauen: *Home Alone*



## What is your favorite Christmas memory or tradition?

Paul Cole: Prime rib dinner on Christmas Eve

Jordan Kovarik: When we stayed in a cabin and went sledding

David Sanchez: Eating with the family

Maddie Spaulding: When I got my first phone

Cole Lighthall: When I got a trampoline

Blaire Davis: When my mom told us we were going to a Carrie Underwood Concert

Miss Boshart: Going to church on Christmas Eve

Mr. Frauen: Opening presents on Christmas Eve and getting a real Christmas tree every year

By: Alyssa, Reagan, and Alexa

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Some sixth graders and other new kids to CMS are having a hard time with how to act at middle school dances. When attending a middle school dance, you should not do the following:

1. Scream
2. Cry because you have no one to dance with
3. Get mad if someone chooses to not dance
4. Start a fight over "relationships"
5. Pressure anyone into doing something
6. Start drama
7. Put hands anywhere other than waist and shoulders

There are also certain ways you should act while attending concert or assembly. During these activities, you should not do the following:

1. Stand up unless asked to
2. Only speak when being spoken to
3. Go on stage without being invited
4. Having/playing on phone

By: Lynzi & Aubree

## **Opinions by Addison and Isabella**

**Fill out this form and we will let you know the results in the next newsletter!**

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