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December 1, 2023

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# Knights' News

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## REMINDER:

We are a Latex free building as well. No latex balloons are allowed in the building!

## Announcements:

- December 4<sup>th</sup> - ASVAB testing /Juniors 8:2:30 – 10:30
- December 5<sup>th</sup> - PIE meeting 6:00
- December 5<sup>th</sup> - Community Input Session 5:30
- December 7<sup>th</sup> - Book-It Reward (small gym)
- December 11<sup>th</sup> - ECFE Family Fun Night 6:00  
movie and cookie decorating
- December 12<sup>th</sup> - Science Fair 2-2:50 (7th & 8th grade)
- December 14<sup>th</sup> - 6th-12th grade band/choir concert.
- December 16<sup>th</sup> - Elementary Robotics Tournament Fisher School
- December 18<sup>th</sup> - Truth in Taxation 6:00 pm  
School Board Meeting to follow.
- December 22<sup>nd</sup> - Elementary movie 12:30 pm
- December 25<sup>th</sup> - No School – Winter Break
- January 5th
- January 22<sup>nd</sup> - Ski Trip (High School)

## Articles

Polaris  
Ayden O. Grade 10

Polaris is an automotive brand. They sell snowmobiles, four-wheelers, and side by side. It was founded in 1954 in Roseau, Minnesota by Edgar Hetteen. Its headquarters are now in Medina, Minnesota. Their snowmobile models include the Boost, Switchback, Switchback Assault, and Indy. Their four-wheeler models are the Sportsman, Outlaw, and Phoenix. Side by sides are the RZR and ranger. Polaris is a good brand for anything you want to do outside. Snowmobiling, four wheeling and riding side by side are all fun things. Just depends on if you like the brand Polaris or not.

## Fun Things to Know About Christmas! Emma S. Grade 9

There are many different holidays in the world, but Christmas is one of my most favorite holidays. Many people have gotten Christmas trees since the 1850's and you would usually get your Christmas tree a couple weeks before Christmas, but it takes about 15 years for an average Christmas tree to grow. Decorating your Christmas tree was once banned by the government, because of a lead issue in the tinsel. There are also over 100,000 people employed in the Christmas tree industry now.

Christmas was first celebrated in Rome but didn't become a big Christian holiday until the 9th century. In America the first place to celebrate Christmas was Tallahassee. A dozen catholic priests and around 600 Spanish explorers celebrated the first Christmas in 1539. The country that celebrates Christmas earliest is England. The country that celebrates the longest is the Philippines. The reason Christmas is celebrated on the 25th is because it is the date Christians celebrate their Christ's birth. There are many countries that do not celebrate Christmas either like Yemen, North Korea, Tunisia, etc. And as we all know Christmas isn't about gifts, but it is still fun to open them and get people gifts! There are over 3 billion Christmas cards sent each year in the U.S. The biggest gift ever sent or given was the statue of liberty gifted from the French.

## The Start of Christmas Trees Aubreyana F. Grade 9

The tradition of Christmas trees dates to ancient times, with the earliest recorded use of evergreen trees being in ancient Egypt and Rome. However, it wasn't until the 16th century in Germany that the modern Christmas tree as we know began to take shape. It started with the decoration of evergreen trees with fruits, nuts, and candles.

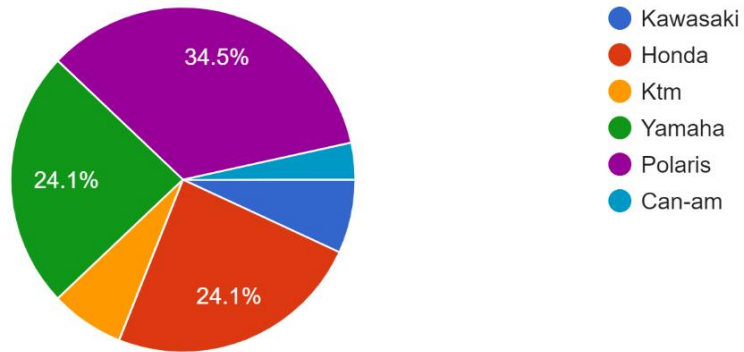
The tradition then spread throughout Europe and eventually made its way to North America in the 18th century. Today, Christmas trees are a central part of the holiday season, symbolizing joy, warmth, and the spirit of giving.

## Sports Update

Junior High Girls Basketball won against Northern Freeze 24-12. They doubled the opponent's points!

What is your favorite engine brand?

29 responses




## Kids Thoughts Week #13

What's your favorite kind of pizza?

Harleigh- Taco  
Vienna- Supreme  
Ashley- Pineapple





## **EXTRA SPORTS/ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEARBOOK!**

Make sure to get in your pictures in, to be included in the yearbook this year! Includes any sports that Fisher School does not have, and are sports that your child may compete in at other schools or programs!

Some examples include:

- HOCKEY
- TAEKWONDO
- GYMNASTICS
- DANCE
- RODEO
- WRESTLING
- GOLF