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Float Fest is the first festival that combines floating and live music, according to organizer Marcus Federman. It will be held at a private ranch outside Gonzales in July 2022.

Float Fest set to make 2022 return in Gonzales

By **LEW K. COHN**
Inquirer Publisher

After three years off, organizers of Float Fest say the festival will officially return in 2022 to its new location in Gonzales on July 23-24 — bringing with it about 25,000 people to the area for that weekend.

“We’re so excited to be back in 2022! Float Fest 2022 will take our event to the next level. Our lineup will be our best yet, and we have

worked endlessly to create a premier fan experience in every aspect of our festival,” said Marcus Federman, founder of Float Fest, in a press release on Dec. 15.

“Since Gonzales is known as the birthplace of Texas Independence, moving the festival here gives us the perfect opportunity to celebrate our roots as the first Texas music festival centered around floating the river and camping

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Waelder to contract with county for election

By **LIZ ADAMS**
Gonzales Inquirer

Waelder ISD trustees discussed the benefits of contracting with the Gonzales County Election Administrator for the May 2022 school board election and voted to grant authority to the superintendent to sign the contract.

An update was given regarding possible remodeling projects involving options for refurbishing or building a gym and renovating the pavilion.

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UIL releases preliminary enrollment numbers

Gonzales schools staying in current classifications

By **LEW K. COHN**
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The University Interscholastic League released preliminary enrollment figures for all 1,388 member schools this month as well as conference cutoff numbers for the upcoming reclassification and realignment for football and all other sports and activities.

It appears Gonzales will

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Families took photos with Santa at Devine Purpose Outreach Ministries Christmas Extravaganza event Saturday. For more photos from the event, see page 17.

LIZ ADAMS

A Devine
Christmas

County signs off on joint primary

By **LIZ ADAMS**
Gonzales Inquirer

The court heard from Election Administrator Gwen Schaefer before commissioners considered and approved a joint resolution and statistical information for a joint primary. A joint primary election services contract between the Gonzales County Republicans, Democratic Party and Gonzales County was approved.

Commissioners heard a presentation from South Central Water Coalition, Inc. regarding water planning and conservation.

Assistant District Attorney Keri Miller provided recommendations and community members were appointed to the newly formed Gonzales County

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4-H Club makes stockings for Legacy Ranch

By **LIZ ADAMS**
Gonzales Inquirer

The Green Clover 4-H Club called its regular meeting to order on Tuesday to discuss recent activities and to work on a current community service project to provide stockings filled with gifts for kids at Legacy Ranch. The children gathered donated toys and candy to stuff 45 hand-sewn stockings they made to give to the kids for Christmas. It’s a new project for the club this year.

An 11-year-old 4-H member named Jaxon Beck shows commercial heifers and this year, he will also be showing a pig. It was



LIZ ADAMS

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Members of the Green Clover 4-H Club get stockings ready.

GISD hires Rivera as AD, coach

Special to The Inquirer

Gonzales ISD has their new athletic director and head football coach — hiring Hays CISD athletic coordinator and assistant head football coach Joseph Rivera on Wednesday, Dec. 15, by a unanimous vote of the GISD Board of Trustees.

The school district announced Rivera’s hiring on Facebook late Wednesday

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The Inquirer wishes all of our readers a
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Watch Night tradition continues in Gonzales

By LIZ ADAMS
Gonzales Inquirer

On Dec. 31, 1862, slaves and free African Americans gathered in churches and homes in anticipation of the enactment of the Emancipation Proclamation, which was signed by Abraham Lincoln the following day. Many in Confederate states stayed up

throughout the night praying and waiting to hear the news that they were free. Since then, Watch Night or Freedom's Eve services have been a longstanding New Year's Eve tradition in Gonzales and throughout the United States.

Providence Missionary Baptist Church will hold a Watch Night service from 10 p.m. until midnight. Snacks will be provided.

Masks are required for those who attend in person, though it will also be streamed online for those who prefer to stay at home.

"We don't want to forget about where we came from," explained Pastor Gary L. Clack, "we have singing songs and praising going into the new year. It's just a remembrance of how far we've come and praising the Lord for

bringing us this far."

Hymn lining or call-and-response singing, dancing and praise, as well as confession and prayer are commonly practiced in Watch Night services.

Women Rise Up and Be Encouraged Ministries will also hold a Watch Night service and revival on New Year's Eve in the conference room of the Sleep Inn at 4 p.m.

"It is a service to reflect on the past and contemplate the year to come," said Pastor Neva Ford Nation.

There are many other groups who have held vigils in different religious and historical contexts, including the Moravian lovefeast, which inspired John Wesley and influenced Methodist churches. Korean Christians also have a watchnight tradition.

First of 4 area job fairs set for Jan. 14

By Liz Adams
Gonzales Inquirer

Local organizations including Workforce Solutions Golden Crescent, the Gonzales Economic Development Corporation, Gonzales Chamber of Commerce, Victoria College Gonzales Center and Guadalupe Valley Electric Cooperative have teamed up to bring employers and job seekers together by hosting a series of job fairs.

The first has been announced for January 14, 2022. It will take place between 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Victoria College Gonzales Center located at 424 E Sarah DeWitt Drive. The job fairs are part of the GEDC business retention and expansion plan.

"The group started working together in 2020 to bring a local solution to meet the needs of Gonzales' employers and job seekers. We generally have between 14 and 20 employers representing employers from the greater Gonzales area seeking to fill positions immediately. Historically, we have a great representation from employers looking to fill positions in the utility, manufacturing, food processing, transportation, and healthcare industries. The positions they are looking to fill span from entry-level to management and

employers are looking for a variety of skillsets," said GEDC Economic Development Director Jennifer Kolbe.

According to Victoria College Gonzales Center Assistant Manager Melissa Robinson, job seekers should not be discouraged from applying if they lack qualifications because employers will often provide training.

"If they don't, Victoria College offers a robust set of academic and career and technical education classes that give job seekers skills that make them extremely marketable," said Robinson.

Victoria College offers career and technical classes including welding, electrical, truck driving, and HVAC as well as nursing.

Workforce Solutions Golden Crescent has prepared to help employers with positions they'd like to fill. offers career counseling, assessment testing, helps to match qualified applicants to job openings and supplies space for interviewing, along with training for new and expanding businesses, human resources services and several special services for youth, veterans and those with disabilities. Business Solutions Representative Chris Perez can be contacted at 361-578-0341 extension 2131 to discuss recruitment needs.

FIRE DEPARTMENT HOSTS SANTA



The Waelder Fire Department hosts Santa as he brings gifts for community children.

LIZ ADAMS



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Santa brings just the right gift to the Waelder Fire Department Monday.



LIZ ADAMS

Baby's first visit with Santa is done with style in Waelder.



LIZ ADAMS

Santa says Merry Christmas!



Gonzales Mayor Connie Kacir proclaims Dec. 16 to be recognized as Gonzales Healthcare Systems Foundation Day for the city of Gonzales in recognition of the selfless dedication and the effort of each individual who serves on the board.

Mayor proclaims day in honor of Gonzales Healthcare foundation

By LIZ ADAMS
Gonzales Inquirer

Mayor Connie Kacir honored the volunteer board of directors of the Gonzales Healthcare Systems Foundation for their help in purchasing the emergency room's first 5 in 1 ventilator in late January, followed by another only weeks later. The foundation's PINK OUT lunch event also raised funds so that the radiology department could offer free mammograms to any uninsured woman for years to come. Members included Carolyn Fink Orts Barthels, Barbara Koricaneck, Andi Seger, Brian Fees, Britney

Caka, Darla Machacek, David Malaer, Donna Koehler, Dora Noyola, Janelle Lester, Roger Dyer and Sascha Kardosz. Wednesday, Dec. 16, 2021 was proclaimed "Gonzales Healthcare Systems Foundation Day" in Gonzales in honor of their efforts.

"The volunteer board made extraordinary efforts to save the lives of people in Gonzales," said Kacir.

"We simply could not have had the success this year without this dedicated board of directors," said Executive Director of Gonzales Healthcare Systems Foundation Kelly A. Lindner.

Celebrations

Birthdays

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| December 23rd Becky Bennett-Guerra Barry Miller Anna Muehlstein Sharon Pirkle | December 26th Kathy Abshire Shelby Doran B.J. Harkey Kayla Ramos Sue Withers | December 27th Anthony Gomez Kenneth Wayne Hanke Mariah Hastings Lorenzo Hernandez Misty Hall Kuntschik L.A. Lindemann Jr. Jacob Lorton | December 28th Mayron Cole Michelle Decker Tanner Hardcastel Pam Linebrink Janice Menking Fred Waschichek Jr. Cristal Zavaleta | December 29th Hayleigh Burns Jarrett DeCola Pam Melendez Sherry Mills Mikayla Wyatt Jacob Reyes | December 23rd Duke Irlle Rafe Jackson Deidra Voigt |
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Gonzales Weather

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| | December 23 77°/58° | Partly sunny, breezy and mild 4% chance of rain • RealFeel 74 |
| | December 24 74°/46° | Clouds and limited sun 0% chance of rain • RealFeel 75 |
| | December 25 70°/59° | Mostly sunny 0% chance of rain • RealFeel 71 |
| | December 26 66°/42° | Mostly cloudy 3% chance of rain • RealFeel 67 |
| | December 27 76°/61° | Plenty of sunshine 0% chance of rain • RealFeel 76 |
| | December 28 76°/61° | Mostly sunny and warm 0% chance of rain • RealFeel 75 |
| | December 29 74°/58° | Clearing 0% chance of rain • RealFeel 72 |

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Garden Q&A

Growing cold-sensitive plants in containers allows portability

Q. Are any of the available lemons or limes cold hardy enough to plant in the ground rather than a container?

A. Probably not, growing a cold sensitive plant in a container results in it being dwarfed so that it is easier to cover and protect with a heat source. If you pick a container that is movable, you can also take advantage of the portability to move it to shelter when freezing temperatures move in.

Q. What are the best plants for providing nectar to butterflies, hummingbirds and other pollinators?

A. In my experience I rate tropical

milkweed, mistflower, porter weed, blue curl, zinnias, lantana, salvia, and duranta as the among the most popular.

Q. Remind us again what heat sources to use to protect cold sensitive plants such as citrus.

A. I have had success with poultry lamps and mechanics lights. Make sure that you have old-fashioned heat producing bulbs for the mechanics lights. We used to

recommend Christmas tree lights but now in the time of LED bulbs it is not practical.

Q. Our favorite nursery has already received fruit trees from their wholesale source to sell. Remind us

which plum, peach, apple, and pear varieties you recommend.

A. For peaches Florida King, Junegold, and La Feliciana work well in our weather. For a pear grow Leconte and Monterrey. Methley plum is reliable. Apples are tough to grow here but try Anna, and Dorsett Golden.

Q. Our Whopper begonias have finally declined enough in the cold for me to consider replacing them with cyclamen and primula. Is that a practical move this late in the season?

A. The cyclamen and primula will last until about May first unless it warmed up faster than expected this winter. Remember that you will also have to be prepared to cover them (cyclamen) if temps fall below 30 degrees.

CALVIN FINCH
Gardening Q&A



CHURCH GIVES BACK

First United Methodist Church of Gonzales, GCAM and donors team up to distribute food boxes each Christmas. Vehicles line up around the block as First United Methodist Church gives out 150 food boxes to families in Gonzales.

LIZ ADAMS PHOTOS



LIVESTOCK WEEKLY REPORTS

Gonzales Livestock Market

December 18, 2021

Cattle 1213

Compared to our last sale: Number 1 quality calves and yearlings sold fully steady. Less quality calves and yearlings sold steady. Packer bulls sold steady while packer cows sold.

Stocker-feeder Steers: Medium and large-frame No. 1: 150-300 lbs., 215-220; 300-400 lbs., 212-222; 400-500 lbs., 180-190; 500-600 lbs., 152-172; 600-700 lbs., 141-147; 700-800 lbs., 121-136.

Bull Yearlings: 700-900 lbs., 80-95. Stocker-feeder Heifers: Medium and large from No. 1: 150-300 lbs., 160-165; 300-400 lbs., 150-153; 400-500 lbs., 148-149; 500-600 lbs., 132-142; 600-700 lbs., 122-127.

Packer Cows: Good lean utility and commercial, 48-58; Cutters, 64-71; Canners, 32-44; High yielding fat cows, 54-62.

Packer Bulls: Yield grade 1 & 2, good heavy bulls, 86-92; Light weights and medium quality bulls, 74-84.

Stocker Cows: \$600 to \$1,200.

Pairs: \$750 to \$1,300.

Have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Hallettsville Livestock Commission Co., Inc.

Sale date: December 14

Cattle on hand: 2694

Packer Cows:

Canner and Cutter Cows: \$46-70

Utility & Fat Cows: \$48-67

Low Dressing Canner Cows: \$25-46

Poor/Weak: \$15-32

Packer Bulls:

Heavyweight Bulls: \$89-95

Utility & Cutter Bulls: \$78-88

Lightweight Canner Bulls: \$65-78

Stocker Cows:

Good Stocker/Cows & Heifers: \$1125-1475

Medium Stocker Cows & Heifers: 4850-1050

Good Cow & Calf Pairs: None

Medium Cow & Calf Pairs: None

Stocker & Feeder Calves & Yearlings:

Number 1 steer & bull calves:

Under 200 lbs.: \$155-225

200-300 lbs.: \$155-220

300-400 lbs.: \$152-197.50

400-500 lbs.: \$150-197.50

500-600 lbs.: \$138-185

600-700 lbs.: \$125-157.50

700-800 lbs.: \$118-150

Number 1 heifer calves:

Under 200 lbs.: \$140-220

200-300 lbs.: \$130-167.50

300-400 lbs.: \$130-165

400-500 lbs.: \$126-160

500-600 lbs.: \$122-150

600-700 lbs.: \$118-132.50

700-800 lbs.: \$110-125

Replacement Heifers:

350-700 lbs.: \$135-195

The market ended the year on a strong note. No. 1 quality calves in all weight brackets sold \$2 to \$4 higher. Demand was particularly good. No. 2 and plainer kinds continue to lag.

Packer cows and bulls sold \$2 higher on approx. 300 hd. Total.

No sales Dec. 21st or 28th. Next sale Jan. 4th, 2022.

Seguin Cattle Co. Market Report

Sale date: December 15

Market steady all the way thru. No change on stocker cattle or packer cows & bulls.

Cattle: 838

Sheep & Goats: 831

Medium & Large Frame #1 Steers:

200-300 lb.: \$1.25-1.76

300-400 lb.: \$1.43-2.03

400-500 lb.: \$1.39-1.88

500-600 lb.: \$1.30-1.76

600-700 lb.: \$1.19-1.49

700-850 lb.: \$1.12-1.41

Medium & Large Frame #1 Heifers:

200-300 lb.: \$1.02-1.44

300-400 lb.: \$1.13-1.84

400-500 lb.: \$1.21-1.75

500-600 lb.: \$1.18-1.65

600-750 lb.: \$1.15-1.32

Cows:

Utility & Commercial: \$58-73

Cutters: \$42-57

Canners: \$22-41

Palpated Cows (Young):

Palpated Cows (Middle Aged): \$400-925

Cow/Calf Pairs: \$1,250-\$1,275

Bulls:

Heavy High Yielding: \$88-95

Light & Low Yielding: \$58-87

Feeder Bulls: None

Sheep & Goats:

Nannies (Young): \$240-320

Nannies (Thin & Old): \$130-230

Kid Goats (Fat): \$3.80-4.10

Kid Goats (Small & Thin): \$3.50-3.70

Wethers: \$2.10-2.80

Billies: \$2.50-4.50

Pairs: None

Barb. Ewes (Young): \$180-225

Barb. Ewes (Small & Old Ewes): \$160-230

Barb. Lambs (Fat): \$3.50-4.00

Barb. Lambs (Small & Thin): \$3.50-4.00

Woolled Ewes: None

Woolled Bucks: \$1.50-2.80

Lambs: \$2.75-2.80

Barb. Bucks: None

Cuero Livestock Market Report on December 17, 2021

NEXT SALE WILL BE JANUARY 7, 2022

Number of head 1,986

There were 212 cows and 20 bulls. The market ended the year on a strong note as both packer cows and bulls were higher than last week. Tops packer cows were at \$71/cwt while top bulls were steady at \$94/cwt.

The calf market ended the year on a high note with most classes selling slightly higher. Active demand maintained prices resulting in another good day to be selling.

Packer bulls: 70.00-94.00

Packer cows:

canners & cutters 48.00-71.00

poor & weak 15.00-40.00

Palpated: 12 bred 71.00-90.00

PAIRS: NONE

Steer Calves:

(AVG-HIGH)

Under 200 lbs. NONE

200-249 lbs. NONE

250-299 lbs. 142.00-184.00

300-350 lbs. 143.00-188.00

350-400 lbs. 149.00-182.00

400-450 lbs. 145.00-208.00

450-500 lbs. 145.00-194.00

500-550 lbs. 142.00-165.00

550-600 lbs. 141.00-164.00

600-700 lbs. 137.00-156.00

700-800 lbs. 128.00-150.00

Bull Calves: (AVG-HIGH)

Under 250lbs 123.00-184.00

250-300 lbs. 129.00-190.00

300-350 lbs. 156.00-204.00

350-400 lbs. 151.00-212.00

400-450 lbs. 153.00-192.00

450-500 lbs. 148.00-192.00

500-550 lbs. 142.00-168.00

550-600 lbs. 137.00-166.00

600-700 lbs. 129.00-156.00

Over 700 lbs. 119.00-144.00

Heifer Calves: (AVG-HIGH)

under 200 lbs. NONE

200-250 lbs. 133.00-140.00

250-300 lbs. 119.00-150.00

300-350 lbs. 127.00-168.00

350-400 lbs. 129.00-160.00

400-450 lbs. 128.00-177.00

450-500 lbs. 127.00-164.00

500-550 lbs. 126.00-150.00

550-600 lbs. 128.00-154.00

600-700 lbs. 123.00-145.00

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Kick the post-holiday blues

What to do when kids are out of school

By LIZ ADAMS
Gonzales Inquirer

When children and their families are busy with holiday activities, they may not be thinking of the long days that will be spent at home during the rest of winter break. Before they return to school, there could be long stretches when kids don't know what to do with their time. Here are some ideas for making the most of it.

Book some competition.

A child can compete with siblings or against personal best to read as many books as possible during the break. For little ones, Martha Day Zschock's "Hello, Texas!" is a fun way to go explore some of the most interesting things about the state along with a family of armadillos. "Journey to Gonzales" by Melodie A. Cuate is recommended for children ages 9-12.

Rewards can include choosing between two options to have for dinner that day or having a movie night. Families can also use this time to create their own books. It's a great time to collect memories to share at the end of the year.

Show them off.

Whether there extended family members come for a visit or not, this is an excellent time to get to appreciate talents and learn more about each other. Each day, a new art project can be completed until it's time to show the results at the end of a visit or the end of the break. The living room can be turned into an art gallery to display paintings, photography, sculptures, macaroni jewelry or other pieces of artwork. The backyard can be an ideal place to host a musical performance or a play they've practiced while school was out. It can be as simple or as fancy as the family makes it. Students interested in more opportunities can visit Purple Cactus Pottery to paint a piece of their choice or join a class at the Crystal Theatre.

Give them a challenge.

Families who love sports might consider holding their very own Olympics or field day. Lions Park and Independence Park are just some of the options for those who like to be outdoors. Kids of all ages can enjoy the birds in Palmetto State Park, which also has hiking and biking trails and programs for junior rangers.

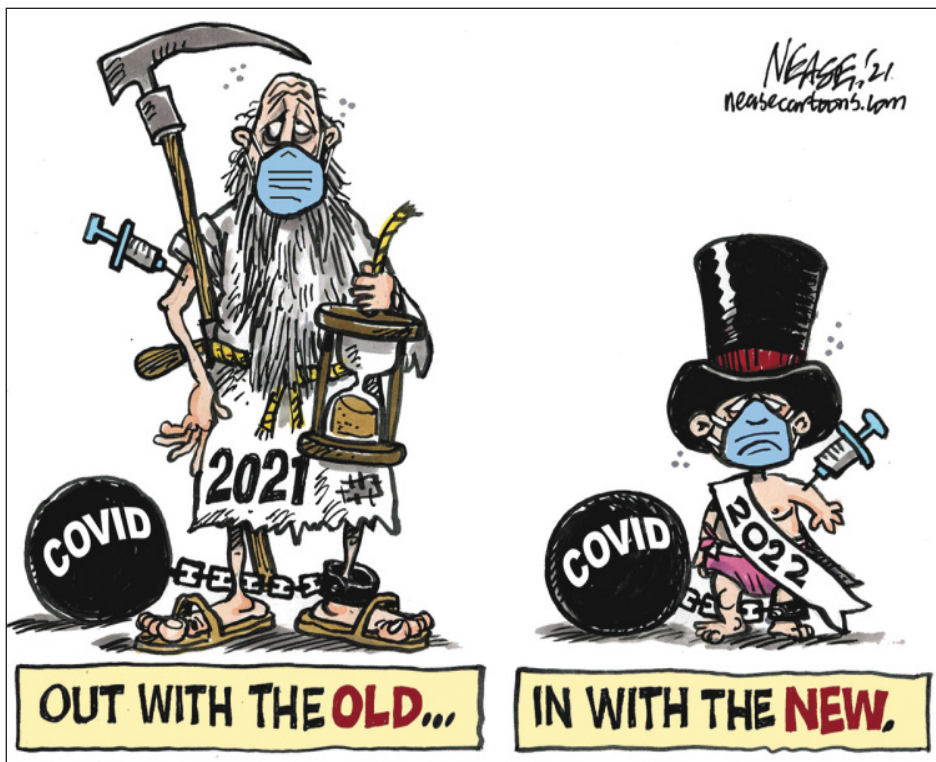
If they've already played with every toy but Monopoly or Uno don't seem exciting, they may begin to feel that they've used up all the fun things to do. Kids can come up with their own "bored game." There are endless possibilities and the child can experience leadership in teaching the game of his or her invention to others. This time, it's up to them to make the rules.

Pass on a tradition.

Baking and cooking certain foods are important in many families because they inspire happy memories. If there is a traditional holiday meal or treat the family enjoys each year, this is a great opportunity to pass down a family recipe and demonstrate how to prepare it. Children can choose a new item to learn to cook or add an interesting twist to an old favorite. For families who just love to cook or want to learn something new, classes can be scheduled at Thrive Healthplex.

Take them to jail.

Among the great places to learn about local and state history are Gonzales Memorial Museum, the Pioneer Village Living History Center and the Gonzales County Jail Museum. Although the Gonzales County Jail Museum will close at noon on Christmas Eve and remain closed on Christmas Day, there are a wide range of times during the regular 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Tues. through Sat. schedule to visit during the break. Admission is \$2 per person and children must be accompanied by an adult. Gonzales Memorial Museum will be open Dec. 28 to Dec. 30 from 10 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5:00 p.m. with a \$5 admission for adults and \$3 for children. Pioneer Village hours are Tues., Wed, and Thurs. of next week from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., though they will be closed for maintenance from Dec. 31 until Feb. 2. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children.



LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear editor,

I suppose that only elderly widows and widowers will fully understand what I am saying here, but I "know" the people in Gonzales and the surrounding communities reach out and offer a hand to those of

us who need it when we need it.

That keeps us living longer, I think, and here.

In His Name,

Pastor Jo Ann Leifeste,
Retired Rio TX Conference

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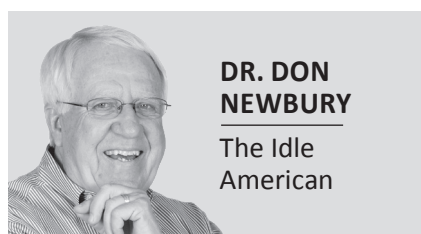
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DR. DON NEWBURY
The Idle American

When phone calls were welcome...

Uncle Mort, a veteran of 108 Christmases, has razor-sharp memories of long stretches of silence at various times of the day. And there were silent nights, too.

Nowadays, he makes Herculean efforts to quieten things down on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. This includes turning phones to off position, stilling pendulums on grandfather clocks and carefully determining where the "on-off" switches are on all other noise-making devices. When he can't locate switches but knows the devices to be "noise makers," he pulls their plugs for 48 hours.

Then, from the far reaches of his memory bank, he brings happiest memories front and center, unchained from electronic sounds that often poke holes in the soothing breezes of silence....

When we visited recently, he laughed about his folks having a wall telephone when most people only wished they did. Friends, neighbors and even strangers were welcome to use it, he said, but in those days, long stretches of silence often spanned several hours.

"Fact is, I'm afraid I 'over-prayed' as a kid," he grinned. "I remember looking up from my comic book, gazing at the phone and praying to the Almighty to make it ring." This was, of course, long before the day of cell phones, spam calls and lures cast by shady characters with offers too good to be true....

"Maybe if I hadn't prayed so hard for the phone to ring, I wouldn't be getting so many calls today," he lamented.

My old uncle--stubborn as they come--won't give in to the current movement of landline forfeiture. He says the folks he's likely to welcome calls from have long known his landline number, maybe even have it jotted down. Further, he figures his landline might come in handy if some calamity shuts down cell service.

Over-prayed or not, most of his calls today via landline or cell are unwelcome, and sometimes his responses cross well over the line of civility. One day last week, both of his phones rang at once. One caller--appealing to him to extend his automobile warranty coverage--was put on hold while he answered his cell phone. "This caller wanted to sell me a cheaper phone plan," Mort moaned....

On rare occasions when bored, he learned how to reach "live folks" behind the recorded messages. He did so recently upon a solicitation by a credit card company. He asked the befuddled caller how the kids were doing, what the weather was like and how he felt about family reunions.

Mort rattled on, thanking him for the call. "When they let me out of the penitentiary, they said I wouldn't be able to get a credit card again..."

Mort reached way back to days of telephone mischief during his teen years.

"One day, the phone operator called, saying, 'Long distance from Kansas City.' My uncle answered, 'Yep, it sure enough is,' then placed the receiver back on the cradle.

Then, he tossed in the joke about a Texan placing a long distance phone call from New York City. Disappointed that the charge would be \$1.75, Mort informed the operator that in Texas, "hell could be called for less than that."

"Of course you can," the Yankee operator rejoined. "In Texas, that's considered a local call..."

Mort feels like we need to update several expressions still in use that make youngsters look at us sideways.

Here are a couple that mean nothing to them. "The phone was ringing off the wall," and "I was so mad, I hung up the phone." They might reasonably wonder how the phone got on the wall, and blank out completely about "hanging up" phones. "You mean phones have 'hang-ups,' too?" they might ask....

Whatever your lot, may you find heavenly peace, even silence, during this Christmas season, remembering that the same God who created the earth--inter-venor in the affairs of mankind now and evermore--is still in charge....

Dr. Newbury was a longtime university president. He continues to write and speak regularly. Contact information: Phone: 817-447-3872; email, newbury@speakerdoc.com; website: www.speakerdoc.com. Facebook: Don Newbury, Twitter: @donnewbury.

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Re-Think Holiday Gift-Giving: Make a Gift from a T-shirt!

Have you outgrown a favorite T-shirt and you don't want to get rid of it? You can turn it into a gift for a friend or family member and give it a new life!

Make a Reusable Shopping Bag

1. Cut the sleeves off the T-shirt by cutting along the seams.
2. Cut out the collar in a square shape.
3. Cut little strips along the bottom of the shirt. Use a ruler for spacing.
4. Tie double knots along bottom of the shirt matching with back.

Memory Jar Gift



1. Clean out a jar.
2. Use paints and stickers to decorate the jar and the lid.
3. Tape these instructions on the inside of the lid:

TO:

This is your 2022 Memory Jar! Each day, write down at least one good thing that happened on that day and place the slip of paper in this jar. If you're having a bad day, open the jar and relive a happier memory. At the end of the year, you'll have at least 365 reasons to smile as you look back at 2022!

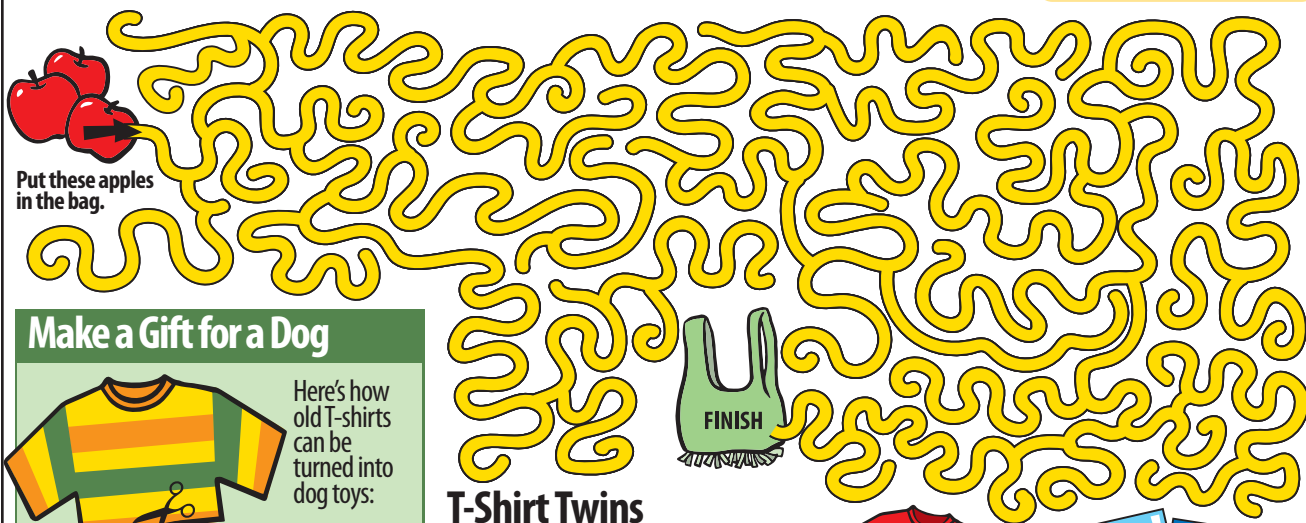
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How to Draw a REINDEER in Five Easy Steps



1. Draw a simple oval for the face and two dots for eyes.
2. Add a wide, smiling mouth and small ears.
3. Draw larger, pointed ears and a small nose.
4. Add detailed features like eyelashes and a more defined snout.
5. Complete the drawing with large, branching antlers.



Put these apples in the bag.

Make a Gift for a Dog

Here's how old T-shirts can be turned into dog toys:

1. Cut T-shirt into strips about 1 inch wide and 1 foot long.
2. Divide strips into 3 groups to make 3 braids. Save 2 strips for step 3.
3. Braid the 3 braids together and use the last 2 strips to tie the ends.
4. Play with dog!

T-Shirt Twins

Can you find the two T-shirts that are exactly the same?



Extra! Extra! Holiday Scavenger Hunt

How many of the following can you find in today's newspaper?

- Christmas Tree
- Reindeer
- Elves
- Wrapped packages
- Happy faces
- Cookies

Standards Link: Research: Use the newspaper to locate information.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

How many T-shirts do you see?



Double Double Word Search

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REUSABLE
SHOPPING
OUTGROWN
HOLIDAY
FRIEND
SQUARE
SHIRT
BRAID
KNOTS
GIFT
TOYS
NEW
DOG
OLD

Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

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OBITUARIES

YOLANDA ALMAGUER



Yolanda Almaguer, 44, of Gonzales passed away Saturday, December 18, 2021. Yolanda was born June 18, 1977 in Gonzales to Vincente and Enequina Herrera. She was a member of the Gonzales Catholic Community.

Though Yolanda was born in Gonzales, she was raised in Flatonia and attended school there. What the family lacked monetarily, they made up for with an abundance of love. Yolanda, the youngest girl in the family of ten. She was the mother figure to all. As her parents and older siblings worked to provide for their family, there was Yolanda, holding them all together.

Yolanda met Javier Almaguer while they were both working at J Bar B. Javier's persistence and patience in his attempts to date Yolanda eventually paid off and they married December 18, 1995 in Schulenburg. Together they raised 3 children while Yolanda attended college and saw to the needs of her husband and children. Her love of family grew stronger with the addition of 4 grandchildren which she helped raise.

She was an excellent cook and homemaker. Her homemade tortillas, meatloaf, carne with gravy, enchiladas, chili relleno and so much more were absolutely delicious and legendary in and outside the family circle. Yolanda's cooking brought

Baytown, son, Isaac Almaguer and his girlfriend, Jessica Dudak of Bryan, sisters, Linda Cervantes "Raul" of Bon Agua, TN, Ofelia Herrera of Willis, brothers, Tony Herrera of Gonzales, Fabian Herrera "Imelda" of Gonzales, Ramiro Herrera of Seguin, Vincente Herrera, Jr of Santa Monica, CA, Arthur Herrera of Seguin, grandchildren, Zebella Gaspar, Zavier Taylor, Zaiden Taylor and Sebastian Gaspar. She was preceded in death by her parents, sister, Vera Herrera and brother, Enrique Herrera.

The family will receive friends from 5 pm to 7 pm Tuesday in Seydler-Hill Funeral Home. A Holy Rosary will be recited at 7 pm Tuesday, December 21, 2021 following the visitation. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 2 pm Wednesday in St. James Catholic Church with Fr. Jason Martini officiating. Pallbearers: Joshua Taylor, Isaac Almaguer, Arthur Herrera, Ramiro Herrera, Noah Sirilo, and David Almaguer. Memorials may be made to St. James Catholic Church. Friends may leave their condolences to the family by visiting www.seydlerhillfuneralhome.com. Friends may leave their condolences to the family by visiting www.seydlerhillfuneralhome.com. Services are under the care and direction of Seydler-Hill Funeral Home.

the family together and held them at the table. Good conversation and strengthening bonds of love were a result, which clearly was an ingredient of Yolanda's family recipe.

Yolanda was committed to sharing her Catholic faith with her children and grandchildren. She was firm in holding her loved ones accountable for their actions while teaching them right from wrong, never sugar-coating the difference. Her love for her family was steadfast and unconditional. She a very supportive mother and wife. She was always willing to listen and offer sound advice whether it was being asked for or not. Her family will cherish her memory as an amazing, beautiful, spiritual leader, best friend, and confidant. She was loving, caring and wise.

Yolanda Almaguer is survived by her adoring family, husband, Javier Almaguer of Gonzales, daughters, Katherine Perez of Gonzales, Kristine Taylor "Joshua" of

GUADALUPE ALVAREZ



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Guadalupe Alvarez, of Alice, passed away peacefully at home into the arms of our Lord on Sunday, December 12, 2021 at the age of 82. Guadalupe was born on July 31, 1939 to Jose and Dionicia Garcia and raised in Gonzales, TX. She married her loving husband, Lupe Alvarez of 59 years on September 1st 1962. Lupe was a remarkable woman who always held her head high, but never forgot where she came from. In addition to her many accomplishments throughout her life, she loved selling Mary Kay Cosmetics. She began as a beauty consultant and became a Mary Kay Sales Director. A driven salesperson, she also sold insurance, fashion jewelry, often creating her own earrings, necklaces and bracelets. Lupe also enjoyed helping others in the community, especially her time spent at Catholic Caring Ministries alongside Sister Blanchette. She visited many places in her lifetime, traveling to New Orleans, LA, Miami and Orlando, FL, Las Vegas, NV, The Smoky Mountains, The Rocky Mountains, Burlington, VT, Washington D.C., Phoenix, AZ, California, Monterrey, Mexico City, and Acapulco, MX, Honolulu, HI, Tokyo, Japan, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Denmark, and Sweden. However, at home with her family was her favorite place to be. Lupe enjoyed supporting her grandchildren at their sporting events, always cheering them on with a smile. Lupe was an original. She loved her husband, children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren with every ounce of her being and was so

proud of them. The world was a better place because Lupe was in it. Knowing Jesus, she did not cross Jordan alone. He guided her to the other side and claimed her for His very own. Lupe is preceded in death by her parents, Jose Garcia and Dionicia Wesch, brother Bartolo Garcia, and sister Felipe Molina. Lupe is survived by her husband, Lupe Alvarez; daughters, Belinda Guerra, Yolanda [Charlie] Ramirez, Louise [George] Woods, LaVerne [Jon] Villanti, Valerie [Bruce] Moore; sons, Lupe Padilla and Linus Alvarez; grandchildren: Leanna, Jacob, Gavin, Aurielle, Gabrielle, Matthew, Ethan, Wyatt, Bailey, Linden, Waylon, Weston, Chris, Rainey, Adam, Stephanie, Tina, Steven, Tristan, and Simon; great grand-

children: Mia, Ali, Elisa, Anthony, Annabelle, Ava Rose, Brayden, Viviana, Gabriel, and Aubrey Monroe; siblings: Jose Garcia, Jesusa Evangelista, Denise De La Garza, Manuel Garcia, Anthony Garcia, Raymond Garcia, Rosie Garcia, Johnny Garcia, Martina Garcia, Thomasa Hawkins. Pallbearers will be Jacob Alvarez, Gavin Alvarez, Chris Munoz, Adam Ramirez, Wyatt Villanti, Waylon Moore, Weston Moore, Jon Jaramillo, and Trey Jaramillo. Visitation was held from 5:30 to 7:00 pm on Wednesday, December 15, 2021 at Rosas Funeral Home. A Rosary Service was recited at 7:00 pm that same evening at Rosas Funeral Home. A Funeral Service was held at St. Joseph Catholic on Thursday, December 16, 2021 at 10:00 am. Burial followed at Roselawn Cemetery. The family would like to thank Nurses on Wheels Hospice for their professional and caring staff during their beloved mother's final days. A special thank you to her wonderful caregivers; Frances, Lexi, and Lee. Funeral arrangements entrusted with ROSAS FUNERAL HOME, INC.

FAITH BUCHANAN MUDD

Faith Buchanan Mudd, 85, of Yoakum, passed away Thursday, December 16, 2021. Faith was born July 17, 1936 in Gulf Port, MS to Curtis Lee Buchanan and Florence Wasmar Buchanan.

Faith enjoyed working with craft projects and traveling to casinos to test her luck. But there was little that she enjoyed more than a comforting cup of coffee.

Faith is survived by her daughters, Cindy Hower "Carl" of Victoria, Sandra and Melissa, grandchildren, Scott Hower, Stacy Crabb, Antony Moore, Crystal Campos, Derrick Sanders and Candice Vasquez, great-grandchildren, Chase Hower, Taylor Hower, Aiden Hower Autumn Crabb, and Jensen Crabb, and numerous other great-grandchildren, nieces, and nephews. She was preceded in death by her son, Herbe Hrbacek, parents, spouse, Emil Hrbacek and Lester Mudd, grandchildren, Cassie Sanders, and Kristen Moore.

Graveside services were

held at 2 p.m. Monday, December 20, 2021 in Hermann Sons Cemetery with Rev. Joe Pat Nance officiating. Friends may leave their condolences to the family by visiting www.seydlerhillfuneralhome.com. Services are under the care and direction of Seydler-Hill Funeral Home.



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Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of MICHAEL LOFTON PERKINS, Deceased, were issued on December 8, 2021, in Cause No. PW21-0166, pending in the County Court of Gonzales County, Texas, to: CYNTHIA ANNETTE MEASOM.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

CYNTHIA ANNETTE MEASOM
c/o Norman L. Burns
Attorney at Law
1606 N. Sarah DeWitt Dr.
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Dated the 17 day of December, 2021.

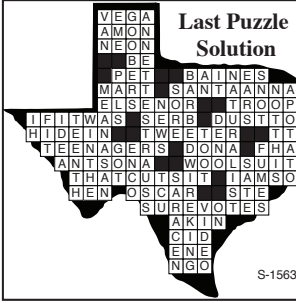


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Last Puzzle Solution



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Public Notice

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. will conduct a prescribed burn between January 14th, 2022 and April 15th, 2022 on the Neasloney WMA. For additional information, Call 830-203-0896 or go to: http://tpwd.texas.gov/landwater/land/wildland_fire_management/

Agenda and Public Notice

Pursuant to Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code, the public is hereby given notice that the Gonzales Independent School District Board of Trustees will convene in regular session on the 10th day of January, 2022, at 6:30 p.m. to receive public comment on redistricting of School Board Single Member Districts. After the public hearing, the School Board will take up for consideration and to take possible action regarding one or more alternative plans for the redistricting of School Board Districts. The Board reserves the right to take any and all appropriate actions regarding the redistricting of the Gonzales ISD political boundaries, including the acceptance of new boundaries for the School Board Single Member Districts, modification of any boundaries, and/or tabling the pending proposals for later consideration and/or action.

The Public is invited to attend and to participate in this meeting. Those wishing to address the Board should sign a speakers request form provided for this purpose. Each speaker will be asked to come before the Board, identify themselves, provide their address, and inform the School Board of the School Board ward the speaker currently resides within. Comments should be reasonably concise and to the point. Questions will be answered, but the Board will not permit argument or excessive discussion of any particular topic. The hearing will be conducted under rules of judicial decorum. A tape recording of the hearing will be made of this hearing. Your comments will be transcribed and retained as a part of the permanent record of the proceeding.

Agenda y aviso público

De conformidad con el Capítulo 552 del Código de Gobierno de Texas, por la presente se notifica al público que la Mesa Directiva del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Gonzales se reunirá en sesión regular el 10 de enero de 2022, a las 6:30p.m. para recibir comentarios del público sobre la redistribución de distritos de un solo miembro de la Junta Escolar. Después de la audiencia pública, la Junta Escolar lo considerará y tomará una posible acción con respecto a uno o más planes alternativos para la redistribución de distritos de la Junta Escolar. La Junta se reserva el derecho de tomar todas y cada una de las acciones apropiadas con respecto a la redistribución de los límites políticos de Gonzales ISD, incluida la aceptación de nuevos límites para los Distritos de un solo miembro de la Junta Escolar, la modificación de cualquier límite y / o la presentación de las propuestas pendientes para más adelante. consideración y / o acción.

Se invita al público a asistir y participar en esta reunión. Aquellos que deseen dirigirse a la Junta deben firmar un formulario de solicitud de oradores provisto para este propósito. A cada orador se le pedirá que se presente ante la Junta, se identifique, proporcione su dirección e informe a la Junta Escolar del distrito de la Junta Escolar en el que reside actualmente. Los comentarios deben ser razonablemente concisos y directos. Se responderán preguntas, pero la Junta no permitirá discusiones o discusiones excesivas sobre ningún tema en particular. La audiencia se llevará a cabo bajo reglas de decoro judicial. Se grabará una cinta de la audiencia de esta audiencia. Sus comentarios serán transcritos y retenidos como parte del registro permanente del procedimiento.

Construction Advertisement and Invitation for Bids

The City of Waelder (CDBG Contract #7220489) will receive bids for Wastewater Line Improvements along South Avenue H & South Railroad Street (18-7287) until 10:00 A.M. on Friday, January 14, 2022 at City Hall, 300 Highway 90 West, Waelder, Texas. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 10:00 A.M. on Friday, January 14, 2022 at said office.

- Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows:
1. 10" Gravity Sewer Lines & Manholes
 2. Sewer Services

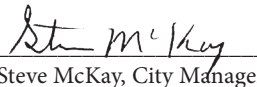
Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at BEFCO Engineering, Inc., 485 N. Jefferson (PO Box 615), La Grange, Texas 78945, (979) 968-6474. Paper copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained by depositing \$75.00 with BEFCO Engineering, Inc. for each set of documents obtained. The deposit will not be refunded. Electronic copies may be obtained at no charge by request at (office@befcoengineering.com).

A bid bond in the amount of 5 percent of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid (for those contracts that exceed \$100,000). A certified check or bank draft payable to the City of Waelder or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture Office of Rural Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual identity, gender identity, or national origin.

The City of Waelder reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by City of Waelder for a period not to exceed 30 days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidder's qualifications prior to the contract award.

City of Waelder  12-14-21
Name of Grant Recipient Steve McKay, City Manager Date

All contractors/subcontractors that are debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs may not undertake any activity in part or in full under this project.

Construction Advertisement and Invitation for Bids

The City of Waelder (CDBG Contract #7220489) will receive bids for New Pond Circulators 6-8 in Existing Wastewater Treatment Plant Stabilization Pond 1 Project (18-7287) until 10:15 A.M. on Friday, January 14, 2022 at City Hall, 300 Highway 90 West, Waelder, Texas. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 10:15 A.M. on Friday, January 14, 2022 at said office.

- Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows:
1. New Pond Circulators
 2. Electrical Work

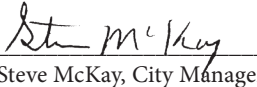
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Gonzales Chamber seeking awards nominations

Special to The Inquirer

The Gonzales Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is seeking nominations for the Community Service Award & David B. Walshak Award, to be presented at the annual Chamber banquet in February.

The official nomination form is included with this story and must be returned to the Chamber office by 4 p.m. January 21, 2022.

Community Service Award

The Community Service Award is an annual award given to an individual, business or organization for meritorious service in one or more of the categories below.

- Historic Preservation
- Promotion of the Arts
- Education
- Commerce/Industry
- Youth Motivation
- Volunteer Work

A panel of judges consisting of the Executive Committee of the Gonzales Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture will review the nominees and decide the winner. Judging will be based solely on information contained on this nomination form.

Nominees will be judged without regard to sex, race, religion or age and must live in the Gonzales Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture area. Any job-related task or

duty for which nominees are paid a salary will not be considered. This award will be considered for a deceased person provided the death occurred within the year for which the award is being presented.

David B. Walshak Lifetime Achievement Award

The David B. Walshak Lifetime Achievement Award is presented to a person who has proved worthy of distinction in the Community. This Lifetime Achievement Award is appropriately named after a man who gave of himself unselfishly to his family, friends, church and community.

A banker by profession, David B. Walshak was a two-time recipient of the Gonzales Chamber of Commerce "Citizen of the Year Award", once in 1961, the other in 1972. He served as Director and President of the Gonzales Chamber of Commerce and in 1974 was a Charter Member of the Minutemen, ambassadors of our Chamber of Commerce. He served as Chairman of the Gonzales Sesquicentennial Committee from 1973-1975, President of the Gonzales Area Development Corporation and Director of the Texas Allied Poultry Association from 1975-1976.

He served as Past President of many organizations, such as the Gonzales Noon Lions Club, the Gonzales Apache Quarterback

Club, the Gonzales Baseball Association, the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation/Texas Rehabilitation Hospital and the Board of the Gonzales Independent School District. He was a member of the Gonzales Apache Band Boosters, the Parish Council of the Saint James Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus, where he served as Grand Knight of Council #5090 in Gonzales. He was a member of the Texas National Guard, where he was given the opportunity to aid the victims of Hurricane Carla; he was instrumental in organizing a United Fund Community project and was the Chairman of the United Fund Drive for four separate years and chaired the Cancer Drive on two separate occasions.

David's love for sports carried him from a professional baseball team shortly after graduation in high school to 26 years of play by play announcing of Gonzales Apache football games for the local radio station. In those 26 years he only missed three games. He managed Little League teams from 1955-1960, then again from 1967-1974, and he also managed Youth League Baseball.

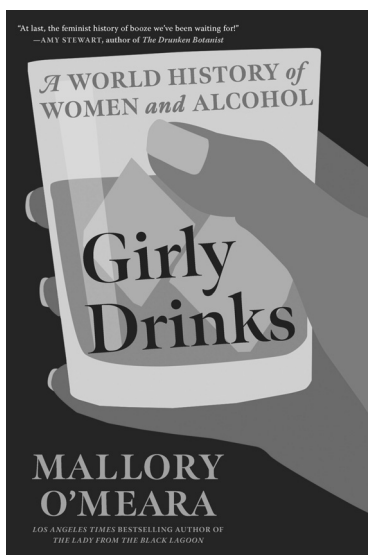
David B. Walshak earned recognition from many sources such as: Outstanding Young Men of America in 1965; Personalities of the South in 1973, 1974 and the Bicentennial Edition in 1976; Notable Americans of the Bicentennial Era; Presidential Commendation "in recogni-

tion of exceptional service to others, in the finest American tradition; from President Richard M. Nixon in 1973; Honorary Membership into the Texas 4-H Clubs in 1975; Honorary Chapter Farmer in the FFA; Honorary Membership in the Young Farmers in 1976; South Central Texas Semi-Pro Baseball Hall of Fame in 1973; Lions Club "Citizen of the Year" Award in 1975 and "Who's Who Among Texas Bankers" in 1975.

A panel of judges consisting of three board members from surrounding chambers of commerce, three Gonzales Chamber board members and the Gonzales Chamber award-year president will review the nominations and decide the winner. Judging will be based solely on information contained in the nomination form and statement.

Nominees will be judged without regard to sex, race, religion, or age and must live in the Gonzales Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture area. The nominee must be a resident of Gonzales County or be a good-standing member of the Gonzales Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture. Any job-related task or duty for which nominees are paid a salary will not be considered.

This award will be considered for anyone living or deceased. Previous recipients of the David B. Walshak Lifetime Achievement Award or the Citizen of the Year Award shall be ineligible for nomination.



"Girly Drinks: A World History of Women and Alcohol" by Mallory O'Meara
c.2021, Hanover Square Press
\$27.99 / \$34.99 Canada 384 pages

Your frothy blue drink doesn't need a cover, but there is one.

It's a purple umbrella that hides the fresh fruit clinging to the side of your glass, just beneath the sugar crystals along the rim, floating on a kiss of distilled liquid. Nobody would consider this to be a manly drink, but so what? It all looks so delicious and with the new book "Girly Drinks" by Mallory O'Meara, bottoms up!

You can almost picture it: a group of your earliest ancestors, out hunting for a Mammoth when they stumbled across a pile of slightly rotten fruit. Mmmmm, they each take bites and find that it makes their heads pleasantly fuzzy. That, says O'Meara, might've been how alcohol was "discovered," rather than invented.

However it happened, she says,

women took big roles in the manufacture of alcohol from the outset. Beer, she says, was "a girl thing" at several points in history. Women were in charge of winemaking, early-on; in times when they were barely allowed to leave the house, women were still instrumental in making the alcohol. Even when the very idea of a drinking woman sent men into a tizzy, powerful women drank.

They also changed the landscape for alcohol.

Cleopatra loved to drink, but she did not drink to excess. She left that to Mark Antony, and their imbibing may have been part of why Octavius hated her so.

In Hildegard's time, the women of Germany often became "alewives," and their work allowed them to control who drank the ale. Meanwhile, with the blessing of the

Pope, Hildegard of Bingen began to write about spirituality, nature, her "visions," and medicine. It was she who first claimed that hops helps stop spoilage in beer-making.

Later, alehouses went from homes to separate buildings and were courting places before the Church made witches out of alewives. Catherine the Great used vodka as diplomatic gifts; the first celebrity female bartender served 'em up in London; gin, rum, and whiskey were invented all around the same time; and then came Prohibition...

Pink drinks with fruity-flavored liquor and decorative plastic gewgaws would never be considered a "manly" drink - ever. But, asks Mallory O'Meara in her introduction to "Girly Drinks," since when is booze gendered?

That's the point that runs every-

where throughout this book: the labeling of drinks today has a long background. The patriarchy was strong then, and it successfully hid the feminine footprints in nearly every kind of alcohol we imbibe.

Don't think that this is a feminist rant, though. Think of it more like a few hours in a red leather booth with water-rings beneath your wrists, slipping through time and geography, from ancient Greece to modern culture, Cleopatra's Egypt to an inclusive bar in Ohio. It's lighthearted but sometimes serious; and perfect for bar bets and ice-breakers.

Even better, if you're hoisting one whilst reading.

Fans of fun history, cheers! Alewives, here's to you! Bottoms up, New Year celebrants. Even if you're only here for the tavern trivia, "Girly Drinks" has you covered.

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City and county proclaim Dec. 29 'Hester Behlen Day'

Special to The Inquirer

Gonzales County and the City of Gonzales have both declared Wednesday, Dec. 29, 2021, to be Hester Behlen Day in honor of her 100th birthday. Below is a copy of the proclamation issued by the City of Gonzales:



Behlen

Grandchildren and 18 Great Grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Hester was no stranger to hard work, she spent her time raising chickens, farming the land and plowing with her very own John Deere tractor (Poppin Johnnie), planting and whatever needed to be done alongside her husband and children; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hester always enjoyed participating in sporting events, which she always performed exceptionally in, and watching the Dallas Cowboys and the San Antonio Spurs; and

WHEREAS, the family and community has been blessed with the life, knowledge, experiences and love Ms. Hester Behlen brings to all; and

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, Connie L. Kacir, Mayor of the City of Gonzales, Texas, do hereby proclaim December 29, 2021, as HESTER BEHLEN DAY, in recognition of her "One-Hundredth Birthday."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed.

WHEREAS, Ms. Hester Behlen will be honored by friends and family in celebration of her 100th Birthday on December 29, 2021

WHEREAS, Ms. Hester Behlen was born on December 29, 1921 and was raised alongside her three siblings in the Cost area, where she lived her entire life; and

WHEREAS, on May 23, 1940, she married Gerhard Otto (G.O.) Behlen and still lives on the same farm they moved to eighty years ago; and

WHEREAS; Hester and G.O. were blessed with four children; Barbara Sue Hand, Sandra Marie Huber, Gloria Kay Ruddock, and Ronald (Ronnie) Behlen; and 8 Grandchildren, 16 Great

Remember and count your blessings

Hey there, everyone. I hope you're ready for this weekend, being Christmas and all. Not only is it a great time of family get-togethers, present giving and receiving, and eating until we have to unbutton our pants, but most importantly, a celebration of our lord and savior Jesus Christ. It's important to remember that none of us would have breath



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Love, Eric and Eloise

in our lungs if it weren't for a God that loves us enough, not only to create us in the first place, but to send us a way (through Jesus) to reconnect with him (in spite of our ignorance and arrogance), guiding us through this life and beyond. So, celebrate we shall!

We get to see people, old and young, that we may have been too busy to get together with on a regular basis due to the demands of everyday life. And yes, while surviving life does seem to require our utmost attention, it makes it even that much more special to have a little time off to recoup and have some fun. So, enjoy the gifts, even if they're not wanted or needed (can't have too many wrong size sweaters) given in the spirit of Christmas, and dive into grandma's patented peanut butter and brussel sprout jello mold like you couldn't live without it, cause it will certainly put a smile on her face...Hey Granny,

where'd you leave your teeth?

I think it's important for all of us to remember and count the blessings we have, as they're many others that would love to be in our shoes. While life is by no stretch easy, and we've all suffered losses and hardships to some degree, it's all too easy to overlook the good things we're still blessed with and take them for granted. Like most of us, I try to do this regularly, but sometimes my whining gets in the way!

I recently discovered the Desiderata (things desired) poem and it spoke to me, so I'd like to paraphrase it for you from a Christian's perspective...

Tread peacefully through life amid the hustle and bustle, discovering that much contentment may be found through silence and simplicity.

As much as possible, be on good terms with others, as we're all human and possess more faults than we'd like to admit.

Walk and speak in truth, while also intently listening to others, as they have their own story to tell, and you just may learn something valuable.

Try to avoid arguing with loud, aggressive and arrogant people, praying for them instead, as not to allow them to rob you of peace.

Don't compare yourself to others,

as God created you specifically to be you, avoiding the false feelings of unworthiness, or an over exaggerated sense of self importance.

Enjoy your achievements, as they will encourage hope and confidence in your plans, while remembering to enjoy the journey, whatever it may bring, as this will insure contentment along the way.

Exercise caution in your business affairs, as there are many pitfalls along the way, but not letting them blind you to worthwhile endeavors. Reaching for high ideals is praise worthy.

Don't try to be someone you're not, always be yourself and love will find you. Desperation breeds disaster, while patience promotes happiness. The love of your life may be just around the corner.

Learn from life. The years, experience and lessons gained along the way will help you to successfully complete your journey.

Treat yourself with respect. Learn not only to forgive others, but yourself as well, as this will allow you to live a more peaceful and happy existence.

Most importantly, allow God to be first in your life and the peace that surpasses all understanding can be yours.

While life is not always easy, it's still a beautiful experience, so enjoy it with all you've got. Merry Christmas ya'll!

Until next time, love you guys, Eric.

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LOIS JEAN (JEANNE) BOOTHE



quite a quandary, though, because this meant putting college on hold - again. She thought about it overnight, made a trip to San Antonio the next day to get her thoughts together. That night, she told him, "Yes."

They were married on August 10, 1957, and it was such a happy marriage. They were especially blessed with the birth of their first child, a daughter named Ronette Elaine, born June 2, 1958. Their happiness was increased when their son, David Bernard Walshak, Jr., was born on May 31, 1960, followed by Michelle D'Aun, born on April 7, 1962, and their last child, Valerie Elizabeth on July 12, 1964.

Every Friday night, David was the "Voice of the Apaches" as he announced the high school football games, and afterward they would gather with friends at someone's home for refreshments and to rehash the game. Jeanne and David belonged to a monthly Supper Club, had many friends, and did a lot of entertaining! In line with the entertaining was the cooking and baking for which she was known, and friends so looked forward to seeing their white station wagon pull up at Christmastime with the Walshak kids bringing a gift platter filled with homemade kolaches, cinnamon rolls and pigs-in-the-blankets!

Jeanne was active in the Music Study Club, the Girl Scouts (serving as Neighborhood Chairman), the Spade and Trowel Garden Club, and even took art lessons for a time. She played Bridge with a special group of friends and continued to play the organ at St. James Catholic Church.

On her 31st birthday the family spent the first night in their 'new' home. They built a beautiful brick patio

under a spreading elm tree, and David had a huge garden which produced vegetables for family, neighbors, and friends. The yard was big enough for baseball and other sports. The family enjoyed working in the yard and entertaining out on our large patio.

As in every life, there are happy times and sad times, and one of the most devastating took place on April 1, 1976, when David was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer and was told he had three months to live. Jeanne had lost her dad (he was only 38) when she was not yet twelve, and now she would ultimately lose her husband at the age of 45 on November 30, 1976, when she was only 38 years old. With the loving support of family and friends and time, somehow, they all survived.

In 1980, four years after David's death, Jeanne went to work for Guadalupe Valley Electric Cooperative and served as Member Services Secretary, a position she held for almost 23 years, before retiring in July 2003.

During those years, she became an avid duplicate Bridge player and had an opportunity to compete against some professional bridge players in international competitions, including Mexico and Bermuda. Many close friendships were formed over these card games.

It was also during these years that Jeanne discovered her passion for genealogy and was fortunate to meet newly found family members and get to know others (and their histories) better. From distant grandfather, Giles Cory, (the only man to have been stoned to death in the Salem Witch Trials) to her great, great grandfather, Sion Record

Bostick (the young man who was one of three Texians who captured General Santa Anna after the battle of San Jacinto) - these are just some of the family stories she helped to uncover and made sure that her family was aware of as part of their history.

Her children all graduated from The University of Texas at Austin, so there were opportunities to cheer for the Longhorns and get

aggravated when the games didn't go the right way!

Jeanne was blessed with another great love when she married Robert Ragsdale Boothe, Jr. in 2004. Bob had lost his wife, Martha, to cancer 3 1/2 years prior to this time, and Bob and Jeanne had known each other since they were kids in Gonzales Junior High School, when Bobby was playing the trumpet/bass in the band. Bobby was the person with the funny sense of humor who kept everyone in stitches and got into trouble for causing so much commotion. Just for the record, Bob was instrumental in setting up David and Jeanne together for that first date back in 1957. Bob had even served as a groomsman in their wedding!

David and Bob had served together in the National Guard for many years and were such good friends. They shared many memorable events and stories, so when the Boothes came to Gonzales to check on Bob's mother throughout the years, Bob and Martha and David and Jeanne would get together for a visit and go out to eat. They knew each other's families, and, as couples, they were the best of friends, especially when it came to football games between David's Longhorns and Martha's Crimson Tide!?!? It turned "ironic" when all Bob & Martha's children (and grandsons!) went to Auburn!!!

Bob and Jeanne were married on April 4, 2004, and the family believes that the marriage was a "God-wink," and something they were both grateful for! To have known each other for so long and to have traveled such different paths to bring them to this common destination was amazing! With Bob's children and families living in Alabama, three of Jeanne's kids in Texas, and her daughter, Michelle, living in Indiana, Bob and Jeanne equally divided their time between their two homes. They have referred to this approach as "the quarter system", spending three months in Gonzales and then three months in Huntsville.

For the past 17 years, the Boothes' life together was a

laid-back lifestyle, one they both thoroughly enjoyed, whether they were in Texas or Alabama. As Bob has said, "Just as long as we can keep the mail and the medicines going to the right place, we've got it made!" For a long time, they've enjoyed a morning card game of Five Crowns together, and when in Texas, they play "Hand and Foot" with their regular Tuesday evening group!

They looked forward to having coffee on the patio and sharing conversations with the friendly neighborhood chickens and kitty cat, and in Alabama, coffee was enjoyed while watching the birds and looking at the creek from their sunroom.

As long as Jeanne had her genealogy and her computer, and the occasional cemetery stop, she was happy! Jeanne served as the Historian for the Butschek and Meneley families and gained a deeper appreciation for her ancestors and the hardships they endured. She was also a proud member of the Descendants of San Jacinto and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Lois Jean Boothe preceded in death by her parents: John Nixon Meneley and Henrietta Viola Butschek Meneley, her husband: David Bernard Walshak, Sr, two brothers: Richard Henry Meneley and Michael Andrew Meneley, and her son-in-law: Robert Page Remschel, Jr.

Survivors include her husband: Robert (Bob) Ragsdale Boothe; daughters: Ronette Walshak (Fredericksburg), Michelle Braden and husband, Jeff (New Albany, IN), Valerie Remschel (Fredericksburg), and Kimberly Collette and husband, Joe (Huntsville, AL); and sons: David Walshak, Jr. (Fairport, NY), Scott Boothe and wife, Susan (Huntsville, AL), and Michael Boothe and wife, Melissa (Huntsville, AL).

She is also survived by sisters, Susan Ainsworth and Karen Hoffman; brother, John Meneley and wife, Theresa; and sisters-in-law, Lorraine Walshak, Joan Walshak, Murlene Walshak Enke, Patricia Walshak Bi-

anchi and husband, Vincent, and Carolyn Boothe Cox.

Surviving grandchildren include: Grandsons: David Walshak, III; Jim Braden; Jeffrey Braden; David Remschel and wife, Tasha; Richard Remschel and wife, Megan; Robert Boothe; William Boothe; Jordan Boothe; Austin Boothe; Parker Boothe; and Carter Boothe. Granddaughters: Kendall Walshak; Katie Ketchem and husband, Greg; Mary Braden; Robyn Remschel and fiancé, Gatlin Grosch; and Cory Patteson and husband, Kyle. Great-grandchildren include Jackson and Lucas Ketchem and Nicholas Remschel. She is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

Jeanne also leaves behind many dear friends who have been touched by her grace, grit, sense of humor, and her loving ways. She blessed many lives and lived life well...

The family would like to extend a note of sincere thanks to the entire staff at Gonzales Memorial Hospital for the excellent care given to Jeanne during her recent hospital stay. Subsequent in-home care provided by The Care Team Hospice was also notable. The care and guidance provided was exceptional and so truly appreciated.

Visitation was held on Monday, December 20, at Seydler-Hill Funeral Home from 5:00pm until 7:00pm. Rosary services will be held immediately following visitation. A celebration of Jeanne's life will be held at St. James Catholic Church at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, December 21, 2021 with Bishop Michael Boulette celebrating, Fr. Jason Martini and Fr. Paul Raaz concelebrants. Burial will follow at St. James Catholic Cemetery. On-line condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.seydlerhillfuneralhome. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that memorials be made in Jeanne's name to Gonzales Healthcare Foundation, Norma's House, Huntsville Baptist Missionary, or a charity of one's choice. Services are under the care and direction of Seydler-Hill Funeral Home.

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5 San _____, TX

6 TX Vikki Carr Latin hit: "Cosas del _____"

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9 when a prosecutor dismisses a case before trial: "_____ pros." (abbr.)

12 TXism: "_____ as an outhouse on a cold morning" (long distance)

17 a fried tortilla dish that properly ends with an "a"

19 TXism: "Sunday go to _____"

21 opposing soldiers

22 1966 film: "Texas _____ the River"

23 mascot of Lamar State College Orange (2 wds.)

28 TXism: "there's more than one way to skin _____"

29 TX Mac Davis hit: "Baby, Don't Get Hooked _____"

30 bomb used in the Vietnam War

31 pungent bulb

35 India currency

36 TXism: "fat _____ house cat"

42 groove- _____ is a south Texas bird

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48 Washington: "Black _____ Boots Ball"

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50 honorary Texas Ranger: _____ Stanley Gardner

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57 TXism: "_____horse town" (small)

58 Hobby arriv. guess

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13 TX Steve Forrest 1961 comedy film "The _____ Around"

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16 TXism: "Lord willing and the creek don't _____" (determined)

18 pay TV network

20 TX Nat who sang "Sweet Thang" (init.)

23 TXism: "bend _____ elbow" (drink)

24 a freshwater fish

25 England's version of a bar (2 wds.)

26 zoo animals similar to pigs

27 Chief _____-te-ka adopted Houston

32 TXism: "he's _____ spring chicken"

33 state where TX Holly died (abbr.)

34 "use it _____ lose it"

36 "lemon" ending

37 TXism: "salt some away"

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Ladycats beat Prairie Lea for first time in 11 years

WAELEDER ISD

Liz Ramos hit a free throw in the final seconds and the Waelder High School Ladycats overcame foul trouble to post a 26-24 win over Prairie Lea on Friday, Dec. 17 in Waelder.

It was not only the first 1A District 30 win for the Ladycats (1-2, 2-4), but their first win over Prairie Lea since the 2009-2010 season.

The Ladycats lead 25-24 with 18 seconds left. Prairie came out of a time out with the ball, but turned it over on the ensuing play, forcing them to intentionally foul Ramos. She hit one of two free throws to secure the win.

The team played part of the fourth quarter without Jalissiah Thompson and Susana Yanez due to both fouling out.

Courdasia Vanderbilt led the team with eight points, including a pair of three-pointers. Maely Bracamontes added seven points.

The Ladycats resume district play with a home game against Runge on Tuesday, Jan. 4.

Waelder opens district with win over Prairie Lea

WAELEDER ISD

The Waelder High School boys basketball team defeated visiting Prairie Lea 65-43 on Friday, Dec. 17 in the 1A District 30 opener for both teams.

Clayton Dudley led the Wildcats with 14 points. Marcos Jaimas and Luis Perez added 12 each.

On Monday, Dec. 20, the Wildcats traveled to Edna, and came away with a 68-38 non-district win.

The Wildcats head into next week's Tenaha Holiday Tournament in East Texas with a 4-7 overall record.

After the Tenaha tournament, the Wildcats resume district play with a home game against Runge on Tuesday, Jan. 4.



Gonzales' Brady Barfield steals the ball from Luke Moses of Nixon-Smiley in an earlier game. Barfield scored seven against St. Anthony in a 70-62 win on Dec. 17.

LOUIS DECKER

Road Warriors



Angel Martinez puts up a jump shot over two Nixon-Smiley defenders. Martinez fouled out of the Dec. 17 game at St. Anthony, but not before scoring a game-high 23 points.

LOUIS DECKER

Apaches break open tie game, claim 70-62 road win

FROM STAFF REPORTS

The Gonzales Apaches broke open a tie 24-24 game with a 22-11 third period and then kept the St. Anthony Yellowjackets at arm's length in the final quarter to take a 70-62 road win in San Antonio Friday, Dec. 17.

The Apaches were able to run their record to 9-3 overall despite having three players — Jacob Bakken, Jeremiah Hastings and Angel Martinez — foul out during a game which saw the two sides combine for 46 personal fouls, with 30 of those coming in the second half. One St. Anthony's player fouled out as well.

The Yellowjackets actually got the early lead, 9-7, after one period of play thanks to a rowdy crowd and a physical style of play that had the Apaches off their game to start. However, Gonzales started to heat things up in the second period — especially top scorers Martinez and Aguayo, who combined for 15 of the Apaches' 17 points in that quarter.

The visitors went on a 14-4 run to take a 21-13 lead before the hosts went on an 11-3 run of their own to tie the game at 24-24 at the break.

The two squads briefly exchanged leads in the third and, with the Yellowjackets up 29-28, Gonzales went on a 10-1 run to take a 38-30 advantage. St. Anthony would cut the lead to 40-35 before the Apaches closed out the period with a 6-0 run that made it 46-35. Martinez scored 13 of his game-high 23 points in the third period.

In the fourth and final period, every time St. Anthony would try to close the gap, Gonzales would pad their cushion back. Gonzales took a 12-point lead at 54-42 and the Yellowjackets scored six unanswered points to make it 54-48. The Apaches used a 7-2 run to make it 61-50.

A 10-5 St. Anthony run cut the lead to the closest they would get again at 65-60, but Gonzales then went on a 5-2 run to make it 70-62 at the buzzer.

In addition to Martinez' 23 points, Aguayo had 22 points for the Apaches, while Bakken and Brady Barfield each scored seven. T.J. Riojas had six points, all in the fourth period, while Hastings had three and Alex Escobedo had two.

The Apaches are off until the Schulenburg tournament on Dec. 27-28 and then they will play Sealy on the road Jan. 4.

Lady Apaches jump out early, beat Charlotte at home

FROM STAFF REPORTS

The Gonzales Lady Apaches jumped out to a 15-4 early lead and then held on to defeat the Charlotte Lady Trojans at home, 56-53, Tuesday, Dec. 14.

Gonzales (6-11) relied on transition offense and three-point shooting by Bella Aguero and Delaini Seger-Gordon to build up an advantage they never surrendered after halfway through the first quarter. Between them, Aguero and Seger-Gordon were 5-of-10 from the three-point arc, compared to 0-for-11 for the rest of the team.

After going up by 11 in the first period, the Lady Apaches outscored Charlotte, 20-16, in the second period to take a 35-20 half-time lead. At one point Gonzales was up by

19 points in the game before a Lady Trojan run trimmed the margin down to 15.

In the second half, Charlotte employed its own full-court press that forced a number of Gonzales turnovers, helping the Lady Trojans chop into the lead. A 14-9 third period made it 44-34 in favor of the Lady Apaches with one period to play.

The fourth quarter saw Charlotte outscore Gonzales, 19-12. Charlotte was able to creep to within two points at 55-53 with a minute left to play in the game, but failed to foul the Lady Apaches' Madison York until just a little over three seconds left. York hit one of two free throws to make it 56-53 and the Lady Trojans could not move the ball back down the court in time to get a decent shot as the final buzzer sounded.

Aguero led Gonzales with 15 points on

6-of-12 shooting, including 3-of-6 on treys, and added five rebounds and five steals. Seger-Gordon had 11 points (2-of-4 from three-point) and seven rebounds. York scored six points and had 10 rebounds, three assists and three steals. Audrey Martinez scored six points with five rebounds, four assists and six steals. Kelly Breitschopf had six points, five rebounds and three assists and Sydney McCray had six points and three rebounds.

Kilee Schwausch, Niyahna Lowery and Macy Sample each scored two points for the Lady Apaches. Schwausch also had eight rebounds, three assists and three steals while Sample also had three rebounds.

Gonzales' games on Friday, Dec. 17, and Monday, Dec. 20 were canceled. They will play Tuesday, Dec. 21, at Alice.



LOUIS DECKER

Luke Moses eyes the basket on a fast break while getting trailing support from Dustin Mejia and Braxton Regalado against Gonzales. Moses scored nine against Pettus, while Mejia had eight and Regalado had seven on Friday, Dec. 17.



LOUIS DECKER

Brayden Martinez shoots a technical free throw against Gonzales. Martinez scored 13 points at Pettus on Dec. 17.

Mustangs return to winning ways

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Eleven players scored for the Nixon-Smiley Mustangs on Friday, Dec. 17, as they had no problem getting back in the win column during a 75-31 road blow-out of the Class 2A Pettus Eagles.

The Class 3A Mustangs (11-1) shook off the rust from their only loss of the season on Dec. 14 and jumped out to an early 23-8 lead in the first quarter. They

never looked back as they outscored their hosts, 52-23, over the final three periods in a contest that was not ever close.

Ruben Bomer scored 14 points to lead the Mustangs, while Brayden Martinez had 13 points and Luke Moses and Holden Canion had nine. Dustin Mejia had eight points, while Braxton Regalado scored seven and Jeremiah Munoz contributed five. David Abundis scored

four points and scoring two points each were Kade Dixon, Sebastian Ortiz and Aiden Flores.

Nixon-Smiley plays its first district game on the road Tuesday, Dec. 21, at Great Hearts Northern Oaks. The Mustangs will host their annual Nixon-Smiley Tournament on Dec. 28-29. Game times to be announced.

They are then off until they host Luling on Jan. 4.



LOUIS DECKER

Mckaylah Filla drives into the lane to try to score against Stockdale in a recent game. The Lady Mustangs lost at SA Cole, 43-32, on Friday, Dec. 17.

Lady Mustangs fumble road contest with SA Cole

FROM STAFF REPORTS

San Antonio Cole out-scored Nixon-Smiley, 23-13, in the second half to break open a one-point game as the Lady Cougars defeated the Lady Mustangs, 43-32, at Cole in a district contest on Friday, Dec. 17.

Nixon-Smiley (9-10, 1-1 in District 26-3A) jumped out to an early 8-4 lead after a couple of baskets by Natalee Mendez. Cole tied the game at 8-8 and the Lady Mustangs got another score to take a 10-8 advantage after the end of the first period.

In the second period, the Lady Cougars scored the first four points to take their first lead at 12-10, but Criselle Stansel hit the Lady Mustangs' only three-pointer of the game to retake the lead at 13-12. Cole scored four straight to make it 16-13. Nixon-Smiley would lead one more time in the game, at 19-18, before two late free throws gave the Lady Cougars a 20-19 halftime lead.

In the third period, Nixon-Smiley was able to tie the game at 21-21, but they would never get closer than one point again as Cole went on an 8-3 run to take a 29-24 lead at the end of three periods. In the final period, a 12-7

run by the Lady Cougars gave them a 41-31 lead that was insurmountable for the Lady Mustangs.

Mendez led the Nixon-Smiley with 12 points, while Greenlee Houston had six. Abby Fox and Kendall Amaya each scored four points and Mady Velasquez and

Stansel had three each.

The Lady Mustangs will host their annual Nixon-Smiley Tournament on Dec. 28-29. Game times to be announced.

The Lady Mustangs were scheduled to play at Comfort High School on Tuesday, Dec. 21, and then will host Luling on Jan. 4.



LOUIS DECKER

Deanna Amaya puts up a shot at home against Stockdale during a recent game. Nixon-Smiley lost a Friday, Dec. 17, district game to SA Cole, 43-32.

NIXON-SMILEY MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS

Girls basketball

On Monday, Dec. 13, the Nixon-Smiley Middle School seventh and eighth grade Lady Mustangs travelled Highway 87 to Stockdale.

The seventh grade Lady Mustangs came up just short in an exciting overtime game, losing 26-25 to Stockdale. The seventh grade was lead by Grace Gomez with 19 points. Kourtney Johnson contributed four points and Dani Jenks chipped in two points for her team. Defensively, Raven Barrera and Jocelyn Vasquez helped slow down Stockdale with numerous steals, rebounds and deflections.

In eighth grade action, the Lady Mustangs lost, 36-6. Alize Davila had four points and Sandra Valerie had two points. Tyra Ortiz helped lead the defense.

The Lady Mustangs are off over Christmas break. Their next action will be Jan. 6 at Marion.

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Shiner Comanches senior Doug Brooks (1) is ruled down short of the goal line during the Class 2A Division I state football championship game between Shiner and Hawley on December 15, 2021 in Arlington, Texas. SCOTT W. COLEMAN

Brooks brothers carry Shiner to second-straight title

Comanches score 26 unanswered points, blast Hawley, 47-12

By LEW K. COHN
Inquirer Publisher

Shiner's Brooks brothers suited up, showed up and shelled out a shellacking on the Hawley Bearcats on Wednesday, Dec. 15, as the Comanches won their second-straight Class 2A Division I championship with a 47-12 romp.

Senior running back Doug Brooks, who would be named the Offensive MVP of the game, scored two touchdowns and gained 210 yards on just 16 carries, while junior Dalton Brooks ran for 194 yards on 31 carries with three touchdowns.

Dalton Brooks also caught three passes for 63 yards and Doug Brooks caught one for 11 yards. Altogether, the Brooks brothers accounted for 404 of Shiner's 419 rushing yards, 74 of their 110 receiving yards and five of their seven total touchdowns.

Quarterback Drew Wenske completed 6-of-7 passes for 110 yards and a 22-yard touchdown strike to Tyler Bishop, who caught two passes for 36 yards. Wenske threw one interception in the game and rushed for 10 yards on three carries. Makylin Burchell had one run for a seven-yard TD late in the game.

On defense, the Comanches picked off Hawley quarterback Rodney Hooper three times in the game — all in the third quarter — and the Shiner offense converted two of those turnovers into touchdowns once they got the ball back to break open a 21-12 game.

Eli Fric was named the Defensive MVP of the game with five



SCOTT W. COLEMAN

Shiner Comanches senior Doug Brooks (1) carries the ball on a 79-yard run during the fourth quarter of the Class 2A Division I state football championship game between Shiner and Hawley on December 15, 2021 in Arlington, Texas.

tackles (four solo), including two for loss, an interception he returned 16 yards and a pass break-up. Bech Bishop had seven tackles (five solo) including one for a loss. Dalton Brooks and Ryan Peterson each had an interception and Kennan Hailey had a sack.

Shiner took the opening kickoff and drove 59 yards in seven plays to strike first. Dalton Brooks ran it in from three yards out and the PAT made it 7-0. Hawley would

come back on its second possession of the game after recovering a Comanche fumble at the Shiner 49. On the next play, the Bearcats' Diontay Ramon raced 49 yards for a score, but Shiner blocked the PAT kick, leaving the score 7-6 with 2:01 left in the first quarter.

Shiner then marched the ball down the field 76 yards in nine plays, capping it off with an 11-yard Dalton Brooks run. A successful PAT kick by Peterson made

it 14-6 with 10:07 to play in the first half. Hawley would score again on its next possession as they drove 56 yards in five plays. Will Scott caught a four-yard TD pass from Hooper, whose two-point pass attempt failed, making the score 14-12 with 8:24 to play in the second quarter.

The Comanches would score one last time before the half. With 34 seconds left, Doug Brooks scored on a 26-yard run, capping a

three-play, 53-yard drive. The PAT kick made it 21-12 at the half.

In the third quarter, Peterson intercepted a Hooper pass on the second play of the quarter at the visitors' 40 and returned it to their 33. Shiner would punch the ball in eight plays later with Dalton Brooks' third TD run, this one from 10 yards out. The PAT kick made it 28-12 with 7:11 left in the third.

Hawley's next possession lasted five plays before Dalton Brooks intercepted a Hooper pass at the Shiner 22. The Comanches would drive the ball to the Bearcat 40 before Wenske made his only miscue — throwing an interception of his own on a long ball that Kason O'Shields picked off at his 8 and returned to the Hawley 23.

The Comanches would get their revenge on the very next drive as Fric picked off Hooper at the Hawley 38 and ran it back 16 yards to the Hawley 22. Shiner then drove six plays in 22 yards and Doug Brooks capped it off with a one-yard TD plunge with 11:11 to play in the game. The PAT kick was blocked, making it 34-12.

Shiner would force Hawley into a turnover on downs when they failed to get a first down on fourth and 1 at their own 24. On third and 7 from the Bearcat 22, Hawley hit Bishop for a TD pass with 7:52 to play in the game. The PAT kick failed, making it 40-12.

Hawley again was stopped from making a first down on their next possession and punted the ball away to the Comanches, who got the ball at their own 8. On the next play, Doug Brooks bulldozed his way to a 79-yard run that moved the ball to the Bearcat 13 before he was tackled. Three plays later, Burchell scored from seven yards out and the PAT kick closed out the scoring at 47-12.



SCOTT W. COLEMAN

Shiner Comanches fans cheer during the Class 2A Division I state football championship game between Shiner and Hawley on December 15, 2021 in Arlington, Texas.

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OBITUARY

JUANITA MACIAS ORDUNA

Juanita Macias Orduna, 60, of Midland, passed away on December 13, 2021. She was born on October 15, 1961 to Pablo Macias and Guadalupe Leal in Casa Grande, Arizona.



Juanita was a wonderful friend, loved her church and had a passion for raising animals on her farm.

She is survived by her sisters; Guadalupe Pompa of Bloomington, Texas, Angela Pena of Smiley, Texas, Maria Estella of Bloomington, Texas, 6 grandchildren; Andrea, Shanice, Karena, Raven, Tamara, Tamal, and two great grandchildren; Journee Faith, Jandrea Robbie and her companion Henry Chavez.

She is preceded in death by daughter San Juana

Macias and great granddaughter Amarie Faith.

Cremation services have been arranged.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Avalos-Sanchez & Thomas Funeral Home. Online condolences can be received at www.asancheztfh.com. Avalos-Sanchez and Thomas Funeral Home is honored to serve the Orduna family at this time.

Agronomist Kidd joins Agoro Carbon Alliance

Special to The Inquirer

Local agronomist Travis Kidd has joined Agoro Carbon Alliance, a global business created for farmers and ranchers to earn additional revenue through changes to farming and ranching practices. Kidd will be serving Gonzales County and the surrounding communities, offering insight on climate-smart agriculture practices.

Kidd specializes in sorghum genetics, trait development, technical development, plant breeding, and hybrid advancement.

"Texas has vast amounts of crop and ranch land, and Gonzales County farmers have an opportunity to preserve the soil health of their land, maintain it for future generations, all while earning additional revenue on the side," said Kidd. "I'm eager to work with fellow Texans and help them understand what Agoro Carbon can do for them."

Kidd has fifteen years of experience in agronomy work and is also a proud Aggie, earning his bachelor's degree in agronomy from the Texas A&M University.

Students inducted into VC's Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society

Special to The Inquirer

Twenty-seven students were recently inducted into Victoria College's Zeta Gamma Chapter of the Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society.

Students must have a 3.5 GPA to be eligible for induction and maintain a 3.1 or higher after induction.

"We were so excited this year to host an in-person ceremony on cam-

pus," said Lisa DeVries, Victoria College Phi Theta Kappa Zeta Gamma Chapter advisor. "Because of the pandemic, we've held the ceremony virtually for the past few semesters, and they just aren't the same as being able to meet and congratulate students face-to-face, to see them celebrate with their families and friends. We're so proud of our new inductees and happy to once again provide a space

in which to celebrate their academic achievement."

Phi Theta Kappa was established in 1918 to recognize and encourage academic achievement of two-year college students and provide opportunities for individual growth and development through honors, leadership and service programming.

Locally, Ramona Reyna of Gonzales was one of the 27 people inducted.

SAGE CAPITAL BANK HOSTS OPEN HOUSE



LIZ ADAMS

Sage Capital Bank welcomes holiday visitors for refreshments during open house Friday, Dec. 17.



STORY TIME AT THE LIBRARY

Children make ornaments (above) after listening to the story of the birth of Jesus presented by the Fellowship Church. Left, children gather around to hear the story of the birth of Jesus at the Robert Lee, Jr. Memorial Library.

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Local New Year's Eve dance features Tejano, conjunto favorites

By LEW K. COHN
Inquirer Publisher

Some of the brightest and most-popular stars in Tejano and conjunto music will converge on J.B. Wells Expo Center in Gonzales on Friday, Dec. 31, for a New Year's Eve Baile Grande 2 — a “big dance” to usher in 2022.

Among those scheduled to perform at the 8 p.m. concert and dance are Ram Herrera and the Outlaw Band, Stevie D, Los Garcia Bros. and local favorites Magnifico Siete. Doors open at the venue at 6 p.m. that night. Presale tickets are \$25 per person (\$50 for VIP) and available at myticketgenius.com or for more information, call 979-665-1923.

Jim Luna of Quartermoon

Productions, which is putting on the event, said he produces concerts throughout smaller towns across the Lone Star State and had been told the J.B. Wells Expo Center, located at 2301 County Road 197, was a fantastic venue for a show.

“I do yearly shows in Rockport; New Braunfels; Corpus (Christi); Alice, Texas; and Angleton, Texas, and we were looking for a new venue,” Luna said. “I do secondary markets. When you do a secondary market, it's like the circus coming to town — everybody gets excited about an event because there's not as many things going on in your little towns.

“Someone told me about this beautiful venue in Gonzales, Texas. I've been through here

several times, so I came to look at it and man, it's an incredible venue. I just did a show in Rosenberg, Texas, at the fairgrounds similar to that. I thought that was a nice venue that sat about 1,000 people, but compared to that, this is incredible, man. I want to have at least one dance a year here, even if it isn't on the same day each year.”

Luna said the size and space of the Expo Center “is so good that I can do what I do in my outdoor concerts.”

“I can segregate the VIP section completely like I do outdoors, with even private restrooms for the VIP,” Luna added. “I'm gonna have private restrooms, I'm gonna have a private waitress, a private bar, stage-front seating, and a pri-

ate dance floor for the VIP. The rest of the general public will be seated behind and they'll have their own big, big dance floor and still have plenty of room, so it works out really well. It's a great, great venue to be able to work with.”

Attendees will be able to purchase drinks at a full bar on-site and are not allowed to bring outside drinks, ice chests, glass containers or whiskey bottles, Luna said.

“They can bring snacks and food as long as they are not in glass containers because we are not going to have any food service,” Luna said. “The VIP tickets also come with free party favors to celebrate the New Year at midnight, so general admission can

also bring those if they wish.”

Quartermoon Productions contributes a portion of the money raised to a 501(c)(3) — the Pan-American Civic Association (PACA). Luna said they will be using proceeds from this dance to help local students continue their education.

“When we come back after this first year for our next show, we're going to give award grant money to some worthy students,” Luna said. “We give grant money instead of scholarships because those kids who earn scholarships based on GPA already have a lot of opportunities. So we look for the kids that are struggling and maybe don't have the grades for a scholarship, but still want to go to school and need the help.”

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again find itself in Class 4A, Division II for football, while Nixon-Smilely will remain in Class 3A, Division II.

Gonzales will be in just Class 4A for all other activities, while Nixon-Smilely will be in Class 3A and Waelder will be in Class 1A (the Wildcats do not play football). The UIL does not have separate divisions for other sports.

Conference cutoffs
The new UIL conference cutoffs are as follows:

- 6A 2225 students and above.
- 5A 1300 to 2224.
- 4A 545 to 1299.
- 3A 250 to 544.
- 2A 105 to 249.
- 1A 104.9 and below.

In football, classifications 1A through 5A are broken into two divisions based on enrollment. Those breakdowns are as follows:

- 1A Division I 59.5 to 104.9. (Seventy-five schools are expected to be in this classification)
- 1A Division II 59.4 and below. (73 schools)
- 2A Division I 164.5 to 249 (106 schools)
- 2A Division II 105 to 164.4 (102 schools)
- 3A Division I 360 to 544 (102 schools)
- 3A Division II 250 to 359 (102 schools)
- 4A Division I 880-1229 (99 schools)
- 4A Division II 545 to 879 (94 schools)
- 5A Division I 1925 to 2224 (132 schools)
- 5A Division II 1300 to 1924 (119 schools)

The UIL will reveal the final conference and district alignments during the first week of February.

Gonzales County schools
During the UIL snapshot date of Oct. 29, Gonzales reported a high school enrollment of 832 students, which will place it firmly into Class 4A. The Apaches miss having to move up to Division I by 48 students.

Nixon-Smilely reported 284 students in grades 9-12, which means the Mustangs will remain in Class 3A again for the next two years. They ended up with 34 students above the cutoff for

Class 2A and 76 students below the amount required to move up to Division I.

Waelder reported having 75 students, so they are securely below the Class 1A cutoff of 104.9.

Other area schools

- Cuero, which lost in the Class 4A state semifinals, reported an enrollment of 630 students. They will remain in Division II.
- Geronimo Navarro, which lost in the third round of the playoffs, reported an enrollment of 634 students. They also will remain in Class 4A Division II.
- Yoakum, which made the playoffs in Class 3A Division I, reported an enrollment of 472. They will remain in Division I.
- Luling reported 432 students and will remain in Class 3A Division I.
- Hallettsville, which made it to the second round of the Class 3A Division I playoffs, reported 392 students. They will remain in Division I.
- Stockdale, which made it to the second round of the Class 3A Division II playoffs, reported 248 students and will drop to Class 2A Division I unless they ask to remain in Class 3A.
- Schulenburg, which made it to the third round of the Class 2A Division I playoffs, reported 240 students and will remain in that same classification.
- Shiner, which won the state championship in Class 2A Division I, reported 204 students and will remain in that classification.
- Yorktown, which advanced to the second round of the Class 2A Division II playoffs, reported 153 students and will remain in Division II.
- Prairie Lea reported 62 students. They play six-man football and do not field an 11-man squad. They will be in Class 1A Division I.
- Moulton reported 86 students but does not field a football team at all. They will be in Class A for all other activities.

SANTA VISITS WAELDER ELEMENTARY



Santa made a stop at Waelder Elementary School on Wednesday, Dec. 15 to hand out presents and candy to the children in grades Pre-K through fifth. Santa is shown with Ms. Noakes' class. Santa had a little help on the toy making from Silent Santa of Gonzales County. WAELDER ISD



DEVINE CHRISTMASTIME

Christmas Extravaganza visitors decorate Christmas cookies, left. Above, families make crafts together at Devine Purpose Outreach Ministries event. LIZ ADAMS

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his idea to collect stockings and the service project grew from there. The sewing group decided to make the stockings and then the club wanted to fill them. Beck's mother, Jessie Campion helped to organize it all.

"He's learned so much, not just about animals, but working with the community and doing service projects," said Campion.

"I think it's a great project. They're learning to give to others and help others and that's a good thing," Denise Mobbs said.

Mobbs is the mother of an 8th grader who is a 4-H member who has been involved since third grade. Mobbs said that she likes for her child to participate in 4-H because it offers leadership opportunities.

Assistant club leader Suzanne Sexton said she, too, has seen the advantages of being a 4-H member, such as learning leadership, responsibility, community service.

Sexton said, "it's one of those organi-

zations that you can't go wrong having your kid involved in."

Fayerene Smith was a 4-H member and leader and now has grandchildren who are members. She learned to sew at age 9 and still enjoys being creative and seeing the children get the chance to experience 4-H as she did. Smith was pleased with the stocking project.

"I think it's excellent," said Smith, adding, "we were able to use a lot of what I call scrap fabric that's been in people's closets for years. The girls had fun and it's helping them get the basic skills so when they do a clothing sewing project, they'll have those skills."

Gonzales County Senior Citizens sent a letter thanking the club for the cards the members had made for them for Thanksgiving. Two members were recognized for placing in regional stock shows. Several members talked about their experiences at a weekend Junior Leadership Retreat in Brownwood where they met 4-H members from across the state, participated in leather-

working, engineering, photography and food safety workshops, learned to waltz and attended a costumed dance. They were reminded that rabbit validation would be Jan. 18

Members shared their favorite things about the holidays. One member said his favorite part was not having to go to school and another said the best part was opening presents. One member said that her favorite holiday tradition was celebrating the birth of Jesus.

When the stockings were set up for delivery, club members played games and enjoyed snacks.

"I think it's very unique and special that they're doing that, taking the time to think of other children besides themselves. It's just a really tender-hearted gift for kids in need," said Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Services of Gonzales County secretary Marcella Perales.

4-H member and reporter Jamesly Holt said the best thing about their service this project was, "making kids happy."



LIZ ADAMS

Handmade stockings are filled with donated toys and other items for Christmas.



LIZ ADAMS

Assistant District Attorney Keri Miller submits recommendations for the newly formed Sexual Assault Response Team during Gonzales County Commissioners Court Monday.

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Sexual Assault Team.

A resolution was signed and passed regarding opioid settlement agreements, though the county did not have any suits to release for abatement.

Commissioners received a complete award and contract package for the previously approved Water System Improvements GLO Contract No. 20-065-047-C139 Generator Project. The court also received GLO Contract No. 22-085-052-D305 Community Development Block Grant Mitigation Program Infrastructure Projects Non-Research & Development Mitigation Funding (Radio Tower Projects.)

Commissioners discussed and approved the execution of a construction contract for the Gonzales County Road Rehabilitation Program, funded in part by the Texas Department of Transportation County Transportation Infrastructure Fund Grant Program with CK Newberry, LLC in the amount of \$2,422,511.10 based on the received base bid and additive and alternate bid items.

Contract Change Order No. 1 for the Gonzales County Road Rehabilitation Program to reduce the overall contract amount by \$295,672.10 was also approved, resulting in a final contract amount of \$2,126,839. Copies of the executed agreement, performance and payment bond were received from the contractor for that amount.

After some discussion, commissioners took no action regarding community outreach spending, tabling the item until a plan could be developed and discussed next month.

Budget amendments and bills were approved.

COACH

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afternoon. He was GISD superintendent John Schumacher's recommendation after reviewing more than 60 applications and vetting 12 candidates through a two-part interview process, the district said in its statement.

Rivera will begin his tenure as the Apache athletic department head when the district returns from its holiday break in January 2022.

"Pride. Passion. Purpose. These words define Joseph Rivera's life mission," the district said in its statement. "Mr. Rivera's fifteen year journey as an educator and coach has taught him the technique of how to be a successful coach, but, most importantly, why he wants to coach.

"His passion for students and the community balanced with his love and prioritization of character building for his students and

staff are the foundation of success for his athletic program."

Rivera served as athletic coordinator, assistant head football coach, and head track coach at Moe and Gene Johnson High School in Hays CISD for the past three years.

Prior to his tenure at Johnson High School, he served as the athletic director and head football coach at Pearsall ISD. He and his family also enjoyed their time in Corsicana, Texas, where he served as assistant head football coach, defensive coordinator and assistant track coach.

He began his career at his alma mater in 2006 at Samuel Clemens High School in Schertz, Texas, after graduating from Texas A&M University.

Rivera and his wife, Lauren, have three children: Augustus (6),



Joseph Rivera and his wife, Lauren, have three children: Augustus (6), Emmitt (3), and Elyse (4 months).

Emmitt (3), and Elyse (4 months).

"My family is thankful for this opportunity, and I cannot wait to start working with the student

athletes of Gonzales ISD," Rivera said in the statement. "We can't express how great it feels to be an Apache! Roll Tribe!"





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FLOAT

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— true Texas traditions. See you next summer!”

The event will be staged at a 765-acre private ranch off U.S. 183, south of the city limits, in a venue organizers say is three times the size of their previous venue — the Cool River Ranch Toob Rental and Amphitheatre in San Marcos — which should allow for “more camping options, floating accessibility, additional parking, and enhanced spaces for fans to enjoy the full Texas experience.”

The festival is expected to feature more than 25 bands on two stages in a pecan grove with more than 450 acres of trees which will create “natural shade canopies” over the larger camping sites. Festival goers also will have immediate on-site access to nearly two miles of the Guadalupe River for private floating on the river daily between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Guests also have the opportunity to arrive as early as Friday, July 22, for camping, floating the river and more, organizers said, noting as many as 25,000 people could attend the festival.

There will be food and beverage and general merchandise vendors on site at the ranch, but organizers also pointed out they expect the festival will generate commerce for the grocery stores, retailers, hotels and restaurants in Gonzales and other communities as well. Float Fest will also offer a shuttle service to attendees from both Austin and San Antonio.

Ticket and artist lineup will be announced soon on the festival website at float-fest.net.

Float Fest began as a summer music festival in 2014 and the last festival, held in 2018, was even featured in Spin magazine. It has welcomed a number of national artists, including Weezer, Tame Impala, Snoop Dogg, Lil Wayne, Cage The Elephant, and more.

The festival also organizes a river cleanup project, Keep the River Clean, which includes cleaning up the river before, during, and after the festival with divers and boats to ensure a safe and clean zone.

In 2019, Guadalupe County commissioners voted to deny the festival a permit to continue and Federman announced Float Fest would move to a new location in Gonzales County. However, they were unable to get the site ready in time to hold a 2019 festival. COVID-19 caused the cancellation of the 2020 and 2021 events.

Crowds have fun on a Sunday during a past Float Fest in San Marcos.

CHAD WADSWORTH



KATRINA BARBER

Organizers said Float Fest will return in 2022 to a private ranch outside Gonzales in July 2022. Float Fest 2017 brought huge crowds to San Marcos and Float Fest 2022 is expected to do the same in Gonzales. People come from Austin, San Antonio and Houston to Float Fest to enjoy music and the river.

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WAELDER

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Campus reports provided some positive outcomes from the recent intersession. Superintendent Jon Orozco said he was pleased with the growth that was achieved at the elementary level. Dr Ron Lillie reported 57% of secondary students who participated showed improvement in math, while 53% had gains in reading.

The consent agenda was approved.

The board reconvened after closed session and approved new teacher contracts for Alexandria Smith and Mackinly Pilat.

No action was taken on the superintendent's evaluation instrument and contract.

The board will call a special meeting on Jan. 5, 2022.

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Dear Santa,
I would like a bike and a Barbie house.
Love, Jane

Dear Santa,
Will you please bring me a fake elf, real puppy, fake nails, a real artic fox. I have been very good.
Love,
Tessa Quintanilla, Age 5
Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? I know that you and the elves are very busy working to get ready for Christmas. I have been a very good boy and have tried hard to help my friends at school. This year for Christmas I would like a remote control car that looks like an army tank. I will be sure to leave you some milk and cookies.
Thank you so much!
TC Burnett
Age 8

Dear Santa,
I hope that you and Rudolph are doing well and are getting ready for Christmas. I have tried hard to be a good girl this year. I have been doing great in school and try not fight with my big brother. This year for Christmas I would like a skateboard. I will be sure to leave you some milk and cookies and some carrots for the reindeer too! I hope that you have a safe trip to my house!
Thank you, Santa!
Bentlie Burnett
Age 4

Dear Santa,
My name is Jaclyn Harvey and I am 7 years old and my brother's name is Tyler Harvey and he is 2. We have been very good. This hear for Christmas I would like maybe some Barbies, clothes and Baby Alive and Tyler would like some Trucks, trains, Dinosaurs and clothes. Hope you and Mrs. Claus is doing good as well as the reindeer. Thank you, Santa.
Jaclyn Harvey
Tyler Harvey

GONZALES ELEMENTARY

Dear Santa,
I was good. I want a soodr.
Love Your Friend,
Jack

Dear Santa,
I want a iPad and some books so I can draw. Oh don't forget my colors and one more thing some glittery crocs.
Love Your Friend,
Angelina

Dear Santa,
Hello Santa I ask how cold is it cold can I have a phone.
Love Your Friend,
Mary

Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is for every body to have a great Christmas and all the kids to have presents and also I want a LOL Air Plane and for my sister to get a LOL doll and my brother a sonic toy.
Love Your Friend,
Shaila Zuniga

Dear Santa,
I was being good but I want a toy. I also want a monopoly and I want a candy cane for my Christmas tree. I want a new Ipad. I want a fluffy couch for my room. That is all I want for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Jayden Lucio Lopez

Dear Santa,
I want a toy phone, fart gun and a treasure box.
Love Your Friend,
Isaiah

Dear Santa,
Santa, Can I ride your slae? Santa im thankful for close and I want to go in your work shop. Can I ride your dere.
Love Your Friend,
Rafael

Dear Santa,
Do your raindeers like cookies and I would relly like a pool and a trampoline and a LOL doll and scooter.
Love Your Friend,
Rylee

Dear Santa,
How are your reindeers at the North Pole. Is it cold or is it warm at the North Pole.
Love Your Friend,
Kenni

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. I would like a big doll, some kid nail polish. A Plushie, a baby crib and baby clothes. I love you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Lindsey Sampleton

Dear Santa,
Hi, how have you been? Are you ready for Christmas because I am! I've been a good kid all this year so for my Christmas presents I want a drone, PS5 and a iPhone12. Thank you Santa, I love you. Happy Holidays. I cant wait to meet you one day.
Love Your Friend,
Pablo Almazon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want is 1. Barbie doll set with barbies. 2. A talking unicorn. 3. LOL Doll set. If I get them I will share them with my brother and cousins.
Love Your Friend,
Lily Boutwell

Dear Santa,
I want you to come to my house and spread the Christmas Cheer please!
Love Your Friend,
Scarlett

Mrs. Page's Class

Dear Santa,
Querido Santa Como estas? Enestas Navidades? Deseo que metraigas una per queimer un muneco de FNF y un munede de mine craf de boyfrne y deseo quedí fretes las galletas de chipitas de chocolate que te puse yo.
Love Your Friend,
Jaden

Querido Santa,
Como te anelo en esta Navidad que ya vengas a mi casa porque mi epoca faborita porque traes regalos en esa epoc y yo deseo un telescopio y dos bolsas de takis. Te deseo que descanses en esta Navidad te quiere.
Tu Amiga,
Monse

Querido Santa,
Como esta el polo norte astaya con la senora clos en esta Navidad. Quiero que mi traigas regalos y mi porte bien en mi casa con mi mama y quiero que mi traigas un carro de Navidad. Como estan lost regalos en el polo norte y con la senor clos y yo mi pyte bien Feliz Navidad a todos.
Te Amo Tu Amigo,
Iann

Querido Santa,
Como estas esta Navidad y como te a ido en tu trabajo? Santa sit u eres el que trae los regalos quien te trae los regalos a ti Santa yo deseo un dron y Tambien deseo unos carritos y tambie deseo un carro de control y Tambien deseo el juego de moropio.
Con Amor,
Giovanni

Querido Santa,
Todo los dia si me porto bien y quiero una Barbi de pizza y un conejo y una lampara de Estrella. Y eres el major Santa y en esta Navidad quiero que tengas un dia d Navid Y deseo que tu Tambien.
Con Amor tu Amigo,
Janney

Querido Santa,
Como va el invierno me e portado bien yo deseo boletos para Universal y feliz Navidad para a ti Santa y para todo elm undio.
Con Amor,
Antonio

Querido Santa,
Santa tu pareses que tu eres muy Bueno con nosotros y mi deseo una mona que le pasa bien para Navidad.
Con Amor Tu Amigo,
Evelyn

Querido Santa,
Como estas esta Navidad? Y el polonorte? Como estan los renos? Y este ano no se si me aiga Portado Bien Pero deseo Pedir Una muneca. Yo te deseo que tengas una Buena Navidad.
Con Amor tu Amiga,
Paola

Querido San,
Como esta en el polo norte? Y hola porfador me poeres trejer una Barbi y una corona yo te deseo un regaro para ti.
Con Amor Tu Amigo,
Alexia



Querido Santa,
Como as estasdo este ano bien o mal? Santa yo no se si me porte bien o mal pero nomas quiero un telescopio para ver las estrellas y que tengas una feliz Navidad Santa con tu esposa y con los duendes y felizes a todos.
Te Amo tu Amigo,
Cami

Querido Santa,
Sata querido santa y ma amora Jata querido santa y que moria movshibo santa ryo que mora morlbaibrsasara yod morarrchez joraba lbsrasara yo morarrchez sorabollosrasara yo morallrcraiaa queribo santa y morallrcraiall voreuqbo y llo y ora marllacvvaicah aupreunqobory llotallrcrcaravabon llory llotallrcr morqubu.
Con Amor Tu amigo,
Alexa Sanchez

Querido Santa,
Yo no quiero jugetes saves porque yo ya tenga muchos. Juguetes. Como estas en Navidad?
Con Amor,
Cesar

Querido Santa,
Come tea ido esta Navidad? Deo que bien deseo que me tagas el juguete de maicaf y queiro un carrito de polas pero de contor y un avion que puede pero de contor y un carrito de mirio de contor. Sata queiro que te pacos esta Navidad.
Con Amigo,
Dominick

Querido Santa,
No se si me porte bien omal pero por favor traime los 4 regalos que pedi yo deseo un caja de minvalidades y una de hot wheels y un dron y un nuevo juego para mi intend que te vala bien en el polo norte.
Te Amor tu Amigo,
Daniel

Querido Santa,
Como estas? Me portado bien con mi familia, con mis primos. Deseo una pillama y una barbi yo te deseo que te la pa ses bien en esta Navidad.
Con Amor Tu Amigo,
Lupita

Querido Santa,
Quiero queeses mi amigo teguiero el amor de tu familia navaideno. Deseo tener esta Navidad un juguete de huggy wuggy y un among us y una mascara del calamar y mikey avi FNF
Con Amor Tu Amigo,
Aaron

Querido Santa,
Deseo Sonic.
Con Amor Tu Amigo,
Alcibes

Querido Santa,
Yo deso ke sete bien deso ke me trags ositos un caro de muneka.
Con Amor Tu Amigo,
April

Mrs. Ramo's Clas

Querido Santa,
Te quiero mucho Santa espero que tes bien y espero que estes trabajando con tus vena dos o venadas yo espero que estes entoda la estudiad en Gonsales y en welder espero que tes mui mui bien Santa espero que tes mui mui bin espero que te venado mui bin tu venados nomen a mais y bejetale y mucho fruta y mas casa de comer son ensalada con chile y zanaorios y mas bejetales

Querido Santa,
Tu que ases en el polo norte? Que galletas comez? Querido Santa quiero una muneca y un juguete de sinisinta y una ropa y bestir y un goro bonito y una casita para caros y un peluche y jugetes de dulce por todos esos jugetes yo boy aser una nina Buena y no boy a rodra.
Con Amor,
Violeta

Querido Santa,
Puedo un muneca con ropa y gato de juguete y un barbie y un barbi y un dede y jugato.
Con Amor,
Flor

Querido Santa,
Como esel polo norte y te boy disir al go cuando tu Santa vas bejar los regalos se ase mrs Claus tam bien coma agarazte tu poderz te boi disirs mis regalor.
Con Amor,
Jaylen

Querido Santa,
Que Frio esta en el polo norte, y qua es tumajia yo queiro una moto de ds liantas y de gasoline. Cuantos elfos tienes. Cuantos jugetes puedes aser.
Con Amor,
Julian

Querido Santa,
Yo cie bo una dipati situ magacon to la los rehos I deer deace los jugutes cold ce brsard Santa ce siel polo norte
Con Amor,
Angel

Querido Santa,
Cu al les tu mimi Santa I que fi yo es el polo norte I ta mi en mi poe des traen un jugetes ita der mi eoi ol por familia por tra me bien. Que mi trgos un eisfar.
Con Amor,
Uria

Querido Santa,
Como agostes la magia? Y puedes vir del polo norte puedes ir mas lejos puedes ire n muchas partes quiero un foxi memeres co los regalos adios.
Con Amor,
Mauricio

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa how or you can you bring mi a toys elfs au clous sum mete ns and a barbie redial and a teri der and a barbie and a calendar barbie and a nu jacet.
Love,
Sofia

Querido Santa,
Que ribo Santa Santa cuantos phigihas hay? Po favor gran de queiro un pop it chiquito y un pop it que birila crasia Santa.
Beto Amigo,
Alex Ach

Querido Santa,
Camos el polo norte y como es tuma jia y be que color es men cantaria que me regales la casa be oso y be mocha ma can tara cete neas una noche.
Con Amor,
Jocelynn

Querido Santa,
Queiro que me traes sapatos bonita y me trallo una barbís bonitas y queiro uno monos bonitos y queiro una mochira chiquito ques bonitos queiro una xoxo y queiro un monecos bonitos. Santa te amo mochos.
Con Amor,
Cielo Garcia

Cerira Santa,
Ce ro bosame can bage tti t se nrbn Bueno ie mr tt bbies me r un eu ftoco mallo e se mu eve nic gres para mixa tu bueb cese veva popats prmix se mi na cese mu even pat sc me mcosia ien la sola smos mopa.
Con Amor,
David

Quero Santa,
Fliz Navidad Satay o sares un galletas y una lette y yo tienero un Badis y fliz Navidad Sata pudo se una nina duena.
Con Amor,
Aylin

Querido Santa,
Que a sese np ponelote alla esta frillo alla esta frilla vas tonte y oviaebo a avianez y queiro pollito y queiro un rrelo y traías y te qui ero vaztonte.
Con Amor,
Alveiro

Querido Santa,
Ca camo vela como lou gute yo pistola.
Con Amor,
Orlando



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Querido Santa,
Como estas cuantos duendes tienes como estas en el polo norte como asen los regalos y Tambien como esta meses clas y como estan los duendes como asen magica tus renos y como tu y meses clas tienen magica y me train un relo de jojo siwa y Tambien me traís un aipar.
Te Queire,
Camila

Querido Santa,
Yo queiro una tateta Tambien quiero un Con Amor,
Isabella

Querido Santa,
Como puede hablar? Soy pistola de fornete.
Con Amor,
Esteban

Ms. Previtora

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa how are you? How are the reindeer? How are the elves? How can you get into houses with no chimneys? I want a bunny, a phone, an ipod, slime, hoverboard scooter, bumper car, play house.
Love Your Friend,
Kazlyn Meyer

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa how are you? How are the reindeer? Toy lambrigini, 2 dogs, new beb, gold bike, new watch, apple watch, new scooter, new apple phone, my dad to be here with me during Christmas, video games.
Love Your Friend,
Devon Hunt

Dear Santa,
How are you doing Santa and Mrs. Claus and reindeers and elves? Phone puppy a cute puppy that doesn't bite baby yoda vbucas robucks PJ0000 for Christmas. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Ritchie Delavega

Dear Santa,
Do you actually make toys? How do you go through the Northern lights from the north pole to the rest of the world? Can I have a collection of that plushies mini figures of that own person dog pet can I have a putterclay. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Addison Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
How are your raindeer and are your elfs doing frin. How is Mrs. Claus. For Christmas I want a little live pet pig. I want everyone has a wandful Christmas! I wish everyone a happy Christmas. I love you Santa. My brother Brysen is fun and Bowen I love you.
Love Your Friend,
Ellie Kuehn

Dear Santa,
How do you got to house that have no chimney and I believe in you but my friend dose not. I ben good this year so can I have electronic please ad hot chips and chopsticks im good at cursive Spanish. Bye have a good year.
Love Your Friend,
Keri Lopez

Dear Santa,
How are you doing Santa and Mrs. Claus and reindeers and elves? I want a gaming set up and a phone and a cute puppy that doesn't bite and a furry puppy and vbucks and Roblks for Christmas. Thank you!
Love Your Friend,
Reagan Ramos

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! How are you? How are your reindeer and your elves? I'm so happy that Christmas is so close. I want these things for Christmas: hoover scooter, squishy with orbeez inside and a phone thank you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Kadie Dawson

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! How are you? I'm so happy its Christmas time. I like spending time with my family. I want these things for Christmas: dirt bike, a dog, and a saddle and a phone. Thank you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Braxton Finch

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! How are you? I'm so happy its Christmas time. I like spending time with my family. I want these things for Christmas: pokeon phone, a drone, dirt bike. Thank you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Beau

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you? How are your reindeer and elves? I'm so happy that Christmas is so close. I want these things for Christmas: light up scooter, a pone and pokemon. Thank you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Caleb Vera

Dear Santa,
I would like a rocket that you can pump air into it and then shoots up. I would also like a drone. I would also like a bike without training wheels like my big brothers.
Love Your Friend,
Aiden Perry

Mrs. Lindeman's 1st Grade Class

Dear Santa,
My name is Natalie. I want a shirt and pants with sandals to wear. I would like a bike and a toy, princess cup, frozen camera and tablet.
Love Your Friend,
Natalie

Dear Santa,
Can I have a jron and a peajamas and I love Chrismis days of a all of school and a lallt of presins and helckpast and a spiderman chree and a srek and a fish and a hoveboard.
Love Your Friend,
Ernesto

Dear Santa,
Black crocs, WWE characters, a golden necklace, jelly fruit, pokemon card. White willy woka glasses, fortnight, keychains, Dallas Cowboys jersey.
Love Your Friend,
Avian Alvarez

Dear Santa,
I hope you are doing well. My elf has ben doing good. I want a new remote control car but I hast to be a farare and I want my elf to move somewhere fun and chalching.
Love Your Friend,
Cole

Dear Santa,
I want a luigi lego all the sets, a poison swamp and hot wheels.
Love Your Friend,
Romeo Lerma

Dear Santa,
I want new headphones and a bike.
Love Your Friend,
Johanna

Dear Santa,
I want a big dinosaur. I want a phone like sissy. I would like a Ryan Mystery Ryan's World box. I would like a baby and barbie house. A big big dinosaur egg. I would like a tiger camera. I would like a barbie too. I would like games too.
Love Your Friend,
Bryanna

Dear Santa,
LOL house, makeup, LOL dolls, Phone case, 2 Ryan World Big Eggs, Pink Camera, desk, new pencil box, barbie dolls, spyninta gear, 1000 bath bombs, loo body spray, lanky box pillow.
Love Your Friend,
Bella Sandersen

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is Jesus Cantu. I am six years old am in first grade. I have tried really hard to be good this year but I know I have been bad at times. I would like for Christmas 2 monster trucks with dirt. Some games or Xbox one. Bring all my siblings something too also my mom and dad and grandma. I will leave you some tacos from Reynas for you and your reindeers instead of milk and cookies. Also can you bring me a new tablet, new clothes and shoes.
Love your Friend,
Jesus Cantu

Dear Santa,
I wont a soing cit. rone, rayl hi dolis, royl ih dres, royl ih macke up, mincraft, nen tindoe swich, macke up, nentendoe, scate bord.
Love Your Friend,
Harper

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. I want a purple iPhone, a tablet and a white stylus pen. Also and Elsa back pack. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Melanie Barnes

Dear Santa,
This year for Christmas I would like a Santa plushie, a Jesus plushie, a Elf plushie, a barbie dram house, a ice cream play shop, a pig chake boat for me and Micah.
Love Your Friend,
Stormi Magallanes



Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. Please see that every kid in the world receives something for Christmas. As for me, I would like a barbie doll house, a barbie and an iphone. Merry Christmas to everyone.
Love Your Friend,
D'Anna Hunt

Dear Santa,
Nintendo Switch, a toy dinosaur, a phone, a car, 10 little buses, Optimus Prime, games, fort night, mario cart.
Love Your Friend,
Kaleb

Dear Santa,
I have been a really good girl this year so I would like some toys for Christmas. I would love it if you would bring me some LOL Dolls, barbies, and a ride on Hello Kitty Car. I promise to leave you and the reindeers milk and cookies. I love you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Mile

Dear Santa,
I hope you are doing good. Are the elves doing good? How is Mrs. Claus? Please tell everyone at the North Pole I said hi! This Christmas I want a play station, a Dak Prescott poster, a Minecraft game and a belt buckle with a hog on it. Thank you Santa Claus.
Love Your Friend,
Bruno
P.S. I am going to leave cookies for you and carrots for the raindeers.

Mrs. Fougerat

Dear Santa,
I would like an Xbox, Mickey Mouse toy, Goofy toy, slippers and a watch.
Love Your Friend,
Nathaniel

Dear Santa,
My name is Gracyn Martinez. I am 5 years old. I want a IPod, clothes, fake nails. I also want a bed and a new cover. And my sisters and brother want a present to. Mason wants toys and my sisters want toys to. I love you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Gracyn M.

Dear Santa,
Hi! I would like a dinysor choote no games dinofur fris, and a pellet gun. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Hank Butler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like LOL Surprise big box, LOL shoes, baby doll, coloring books.
Love Your Friend,
Autumn Milson

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? Is his nose still bright? I would like an American girl doll. They are so pretty.
Love Your Friend,
Emery Hill

Dear Santa,
Ear muffs, doll, cry babies, sweater, ice skates, socks, hat, jacket, mittens, lights, snowboard.
Love Your Friend,
Karter Garrett

Dear Santa,
I want a mini nerf gun and a nerf pistol. I want 2 boxes of darts for my nerf guns. If you have any I want a remote control nerf gun and a remote control car. I also want new clothes.
Love Your Friend,
Jayce Touch

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. For Christmas will you please bring me a real little four wheeler, a balloon dog, and a dinosaur puzzle.
Love Your Friend,
Joshua Fogle

Dear Santa,
My name is Greyson. What I want for Christmas is a hoola hoop, and a fire truck this year. Thank you Santa. Merry Christmas!
Love Your Friend,
Greyson Gilkey

Dear Santa,
I want toy make up. I want a doll. I want LED Light. I want a tablet. I want clothes and shoes. I want a bracelet. I want a jacket.
Love Your Friend,
Marianna Deleon

Dear Santa,
I have been good. Can I get a LOL Doll. I will leave out cookies for you. Hope you like them.
Love Your Friend,
Isabel Medel

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like blue head phones, cowboy boots, pokemon cards, rider plushy, baby stuff, cowboy clothes and hat, toys, tablet and please continue to watch out for my family. I'll leave milk, cookies, carrots for your and reindeer. Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Bradley Borjon



Dear Santa,
I want hand cuffs, Thor action figure, drone with a camera, Xbox, guitar, nun chucks, phone.
Love Your Friend,
Ryan Reyes

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I wan a Big slime a big play doh, toy kitchen, and a little tent. A big pop it and a shopkins.
Love your Friend,
Katelyn Evans

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a Buzz Lightyear, Jessie, Bullseye, a T-Rex, blue slime, a real sheriff's badge, boots with spurs, a kitchen set and toys for my dog ammo.
Love Your Friend,
River Storie

Dear Santa,
My name is John King. How are you and Mrs. Claus? For Christmas Santa I would like nun chucks, Pop its, rollerskates, and also a bunk bed for my brother and I. Thank you so much Santa. I love you.
Love Your Friend,
John Ugarte

Dear Santa,
I want a doll house, a LOL House, a coloring book, a new baby, a new book, some patamps, an ice cream set for Christmas. Hope to see you soon. Oh and a Mermaid tail. I will leave Milk and cookies.
Love Your Friend,
Alyana Otto

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a Arby doll house, tots and magic mitis. I hope Rudolph is ready for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Emma Olmos

Dear Santa,
How are your elves doing? Can your elves come to my house? When you come to my house can I see you? For Christmas I want a hoverboard. I love you and Merry Christmas Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Isabella Mills

Dear Santa,
I would like a kid boiler, a Mr. Potato head, a Ryan's World bridge, boots and socks and clothes. I also really want art supplies like paint brushes, googley eyes.
Love Your Friend,
True Cain

Dear Santa,
I really want some art supplies for school. I want paint brushes and a Mr. Potato head. Please bring me a train, crayons, and a new backpack. I also want a brothers pop and a water bottle.
Love Your Friend,
Kaya Smith

Mrs. Ortiz

Dear Santa,
I have been good all week. I have been working all day at my house. I think I deserve all of this: coloring book, VR pop-it, tv, all stars, t-short, shoes, USA Flag, car remote, lamdo, Ferrari, LED lights, croom book and a fake iPhone 13.
Love Your Friend,
Kevin

Dear Santa,
I would like a coloring book, pop- it, jacket, shoes, slime, squishy, LooL. Dear Santa I think I deserve it because I have been doing my homework and I clean my room.
Love Your Friend,
Camila

Dear Santa,
I would like a coloring book, a jacket, another book with the alphabet for my brother. His name is Ismael and I have another brother his name is Matias. I always help my mom clean the house so I think I've been good. I wish you dear Santa a fabulous Marry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Nicole M.

Dear Santa,
I would like a book of BTS, a pop it, a squishy, and a bracelet. Dear Santa a help grandma to clean my room and to clean the house.
Love Your Friend,
Zayda Z.

Dear Santa,
I have been listening to my teacher help my mom clean my room. Barbies, pop it, pajamas, rock rolectino, neeble, LED lights, croz, baby laf, popet.
Love Your Friend,
Ruvy

Dear Santa,
I would like a Xbox, slime, USA Flag, iPhone 13, Pop-it, osmo. I think I have been good all year.
Love Your Friend,
Jose

Dear Santa,
I have been listening my mom so for Christmas I would like a pop it, video game, USA Flag, dog, tablet, bag park, jacket, and a computer.
Love Your Friend,
Ramon Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I have helped my mom wash dishes so I would like to ask for pop it, mini brands, barbie reveal, socks, slime, osmo needle, iPhone 13, LED lights, roc colehen.
Love Your Friend,
Adamaris

Dear Santa,
I have been helping my mom to vacuum. I think I want pop it, slime, coloring book, iPad, mini brands, iPhone 13, shoes.
Love Your Friend,
Daniela

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like 1 or 5 mini brands or pop its, phone, white gum, a lot of love. And green slime. I have been doing my homework, helping my mom. I think I deserve it.
Love Your Friend,
Mateo

Dear Santa,
I would like a pokemon Vmax, a TV, coloring book and a reveal pop it because I like it. I have been good all year so I think I should get one or two presents.
Love Your Friend,
Damian H.

Mrs. Carrizales

Dear Santa,
Barbie beach girl, apple airpods, new makeup set, Christmas Hello Kitty, Hundreds of stickers, watch, balance beam barbie, mini barbie Chelsea.
Love Your Friend,
Bailee Jalufka

Dear Santa,
I have been so good this year. I want a motorcycle and a red blue bike and exercise things also an iPhone 13.
Love Your Friend,
Jorge Castillo Jr.

Dear Santa,
I really tried to be good boy this year but had some not so good moments where I got into trouble. This year I would like a dirt bike or razor, a pellet gun with scope, a bunch of vbucks and maybe a couple of nerf guns. Have a safe trip!
Love Your Friend,
Riley Wiley Cannan

Dear Santa,
I hope y'all are doing good. For Christmas I would like a camera, cowgirl boots, kids tablet, ATM Shirt, Little Mermaid DVD, ATM cup, heart jeans and unicorn dress with leggings. I will leave out some snacks and milk. I hope strawberry is giving you good nightly reports. I cant wait for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Laramie Mills

Dear Santa,
Santa and you come here put the presents under the Christmas tree.
Love Your Friend,
Aron Martinez

Dear Santa,
My name is Santi. I am 6 years old. I am a very good kid. I love my brother Alex. How are you and your elfs? This Christmas I like 3 things: Marble Ouelo set, lego, playdoh.
Love Your Friend,
Santi Barajas

Dear Santa,
I would like to say hi. I want some toys. I want a pop it, a real puppy, and a bike. Also a job, a donkey to ride.
Love Your Friend,
Adalynn Balderas

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. Can you give me some gifts this is what I like: kitchen toys, snanks, back pack, blanket, shoes.
Love Your Friend,
Mía Ontiveros

Dear Santa,
I would like a big bucket of ice cream, lots jewelry, a big slime set, a big stuffed bird, and please bring my brothers lots of toys.
Love Your Friend,
Tinsley Breitschopf

Dear Santa,
I want a big among us pop it, big sonic plush, a big elf on the shelf. A golden lego figure. Thank you and be safe.
Love Your Friend,
JJ Leal Cordova

Dear Santa,
I would like legso please. I would like magic tracks.
Love Your Friend,
Jacob Sheppard

Dear Santa,
How are you doing this time of year? I have been a good boy also to tell you I want a nerf gun, Nintendo Switch, and Minecraft legos. My baby brother would like spiderman toys and my sister some art stuff, she likes to draw. I hope you have a very Merry Christmas and I hope to see the reindeers.
Love Your Friend,
Fernando Orduna

Dear Santa,
I bin very good I bin waning a few things like many brands and PJs. I would also like a neckis and ereing. I like pecitede berrrs. I like to patient so I want patient. A unicorn and a hisfash and a new lunch box. My fete get cold so fuse soxs.
Love Your Friend,
Kailah Orta

Dear Santa,
I want some rainbow dolls and other toys and a barbie chelse with purple hair.
Love Your Friend,
Mikayla Juarez

Dear Santa,
I hope that you are doing good. What cind of food do they reindeer like? I would like animals books. I like to draw and would like a easel. I would like a Crayola light and tracing pad.
Love Your Friend,
Tyley Boulter

Dear Santa,
I been good all year can I get drone for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Marc

Dear Santa,
My name is Alondra and this year I have been a good girl. I would like for you to bring me a jumbo pop it or a LOL doll and some mini brands.
Love Your Friend,
Alondra Castillo

Dear Santa,
I would like a pop the pig, train toy, toy car, a toy whale.
Love Your Friend,
Andrew

Dear Santa,
I want a jar of honey, a robot and a drum set. I want 100 apple cards, army toys, army helicopter, army tank, army boat, and army guys, I want a real life horse and a bulldog. I want an army flag, a rifle and a tall scope. I want a new football.
Love Your Friend,
JB

Dear Santa,
My name is Lucas. I want a drone and a remote control trailer truck. Thank you. I want snowflakes and snowballs too please. Merry Christmas and do you actually want cookies.
Love Your Friend,
Lucas

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a toy batman, cars, trucks and spiderman toy.
Love Your Friend,
Adrian

Dear Santa,
I want a gummy pizza, a gummy lollipop, a lollipop and laptop.
Love Your Friend,
Bibiana

Dear Santa,
I want a computer, slime, a coloring book with some colors and a dog and cat.
Love Your Friend,
Kylie

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy, some legos, and a Santa hat for my brother. I also want a soft cover like my moms and a phone. I want some rhyming cards. I want some sticky ninjas from Dollar Tree and some baby clothes. And a coloring book. I also want a new bike.
Love Your Friend,
Ariel

Dear Santa,
I wonder what the North Pole looks like. I wish for a Mario Cart game and a fluffy jacket. Merry Christmas!
Love Your Friend,
Nathan Deluna

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a gummy pizza with gummy legos. A lot of them. I would also like more marshmallows but big ones. Also an airhead squeeze candy. And I also want a squid game costume- the guard. And a new lunch box, like RaRa's.
Love Your Friend,
Liam

Dear Santa,
I really would like a Nintendo Switch and hamster and rollerskates. I been a really good boy this year.
Love Your Friend,
Angel Gonzalez

Dear Santa,
I've been good this year. Can you please bring me a Happy Napper Unicorn sleeping bag and a fluffy Alicorn toy. That is all I want this year. Thank you very much!
Love Your Friend,
Jilenny

Dear Santa,
A nose toy, kintchen, my two front teeth.
Love Your Friend,
Jon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a LOL doll, a stuffed animal, a new bike and a chocolate fountain. I want Santa cookies, a fluffy blanket, new socks, clothes, and shoes. I love you Santa Clause.
Love Your Friend,
Daiela

Dear Santa,
How are you? I have been good. If you are coming over to my house I would like dinosaur toys, spiderman toys, and a FG TV Book! My sisters are on the naughty list. Sorry about that! I will leave milk and cookies.
Love Your Friend,
James Rhodes

Dear Santa,
I want a Teddy Unikown and a gummy pizza and gummy bear, bike, jumpy house, and tree house, pink and purple lava lamps, snow machine, a little shelf, doll, Christmas outfits, iPhone, iPad, laptop, lots of LED lights, more little chairs glow in the dark unikown, little ginni pig, electric scooter that glows in the dark, elf bubble machine, gumball machine.
Love Your Friend,
Makenzie

Dear Santa,
How are you doing today? I would like a costume with sled, handcuffs key, tank cop car, tent, bot, eat, bike, gloves.
Love Your Friend,
Skylea

Hernandez Bilingual Kinder

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un Huver Board.
Con Carino,
Miranda

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un Baby Alive.
Con Carino,
Amberleigh

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un reloj y tableta.
Con Carino,
Yezlyn

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un reloj.
Con Carino,
Ximena

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un telefono.
Con Carino,
Emiliano

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un Smart Watch.
Con Carino,

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un Play Station 10.
Con Carino,
Thiago

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un oso.
Con Carino,
Nicole

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un tren.
Con Carino,
Rey

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas una tableta.
Con Carino,
Kaylie

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas una muneca de Elsa.
Con Carino,
Itzel

Querido Santa,
Me gustaria que me traigas un carro que puedo manejar.
Con Carino,
Evelynn Mar

Querido Santa,
Me gustari que me traigas una cunita para mi bebe.
Con Carino,
Sophia

Dear Santa,
How are you I would like a comter, phone, and a tablet for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Lani

Dear Santa,
I want a custom. A bak gan and a devil fru so I can be like monleey D Luhffy. I also want a spiderman and some cool posters.
Love Your Friend,
Brylen

Dear Santa,
I want a bakugan, some cool posters and some video games to play with my brother.
Love Your Friend,
Bryson

Dear Santa,
My name is Francisco. I am 7 years old. I have been good and for Christmas I want an Ipad, phone, bike with training wheels and a cover for Ipod. I will leave cookies and milk under the tree. Bye Santa. Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Francisco Valliculo

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? For Christmas I would like a flying fairy, a paint set with art paper and a 3 wheel scooter. Have a Merry Christmas Santa!
Love Your Friend,
Collyn Carrizales

Dear Santa,
Hi How are you doing? I hope you and everyone are great. My name is Jayden Fernandez. I am 6 years old. I have been a good boy. For Christmas I would like dinosaur toys, skateboard, trampoline, clothes, and games for my switch. Thank you!
Love Your Friend,
Jayden F.

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy that is very cute. I hope you have a Merry Christmas! I like your hat. I hope you travel around the world and find good boys and girls and they give you many cookies.
Love Your Friend,
Petra

Dear Santa,
My name is Santiago and I am 6 years old. This year I have been very nice. For Christmas please bring me a motorcycle, remote control truck and a police car.
Love Your Friend,
Santiago Portillo

Dear Santa,
I been a good girl and I want a LOL House and I want a brush and a pajamas and a Jesus shirt and a LOL surprise doll and a Rainbow High Big Doll and a goocow toy and a Bubow for my sistr and a play set and slime and I help you a Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Isabella H.

Dear Santa,
How are you? Are the reindeer ready? For Christmas I would like legos and a basketball goal. My brother Dylan wants a Bluey stuffy. Have a safe trip! Thank you!
Love Your Friend,
Brayden King

Dear Santa,
This year I have been a good kid for Christmas I wish for Godzilla pat, 13500 vbucks. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Guillermo Ramirez

Dear Santa,
Happy Christmas! Ples bring toys to the boys and girls all over the world. Ples bring LOL to me. Ples bring Christmas cheer to everyone.
Love Your Friend,
Camberlee Kendrick

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is three things. They are a motorcycle, a LOL Doll and a butterfly pop it.
Love Your Friend,
Abigail Martinez

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year. I want a big doll house a Christmas toy for my puppy. I also want a telescope to see the moon and stars and a magic hat. Thank you. PS. I hope I see Rudolph.
Love Your Friend,
Kari Riojas

Dear Santa,
How are you? Every year I love your presents you bring to me! I would like a VR headset, my sister would like a new bed room set please. I will leave carrots for Rudolph and cookies for you on Christmas Eve.
Love Your Friend,
Lane Stewart

Dear Santa,
I have been the best student I can be. My friend Alex likes me for me. My teacher says I'm a hard worker. Can I have a new tablit, a bike, a bunny, a VR headset, and toys.
Love Your Friend,
Nina

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student this year. And I been a nics friend to Tayllen and kind. I would really like a new PS4 and a new back pack and I would really really really like a VR set and a Gonzalez Jaki and a new four welr and I want new school suplis and I wud like Pok'mon cards. I love you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Justin

Dear Santa,
I have been a bad student. But I will do better. I really would like a new phone kas and can I have Pokemon and can I have a pickr of Bowen and can I have a nintendo.
Love Your Friend,
Jaxon

Dear Santa,
I have been a good student this year. I have been a good friend to my friend and I give my teacher a hug sometimes and can I have a rink table like my csin all so I like Pink and I like the word Look and tablets and plushys.
Love Your Friend,
Kamila

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student this year. I have a grat teacher name Mrs. Nolena. I wont a Xbox and a nitendo switch and fnar flushes and a air dum suptr and a the the V pokemon cards a spy ninja is a fall pushe and toys.
Love Your Friend,
Ethan

Dear Santa,
I was a little bad bkuz I a ball and the cup and it fell on the rgs and and ym sister wuz mad at me sar wry m kazis if bak and I was welle his tha bkuz I want a tablit for Chrismis and ai want a ex box for Chrismis and I want a spiderman toy and I want a chrismis toy.
Love Your Friend,
Luis Gomez

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student this year. I have been a wonderful friend. My teacher says I'm a hard worker. I would really like a Nintendo switch/shop gift card that has a mario on it. Another wish I would like is a Kansas City Chiefs sweatshirt. And I also want a Nintendo switch that has the red and blue controllers. And I also want a small computer. And I also want a red tablit, and I also want a set of legendary bakugans. And I would also like a youth large Gonzalez Texas Apache sweatshirt. And I also want a VR set.
Love Your Friend,
Bowen Lane Davis

Dear Santa,
I have been a bad student this year. I have been a wonderful friend. My teacher says I been a bad woker. I'm sorry for being bad Santa. But I reley want some Hotwels pleses. I want a new car whin I am 16 pleses and toy cars. I want a PS5, Nintendo switch, a computer gaming setup, toy gun my family too.
Love Your Friend,
King

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student this year. I have been a wonderful friend. My teacher says I'm a hard worker. I would really like a tablet and a ninten switch, Pokemon.
Love Your Friend,
Salome

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student this year. I have been a wonderful friend. My teacher says I'm a hard worker. Can more pokemon for toys. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Eduardo

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student this year. I have been a wonderful friend and a hard worker and I would really like ten 1st edition Charizard pokemon cards something I really wanted an afro and a PS5 of Xbox series X and som air force 1's and lots of books and new steel toe boots and clothes.
Love Your Friend,
Tayllen Shelton

Dear Santa,
I'm in 2nd grade and my teacher says I'm a nice kid and sometimes I talk a lot and I really wish some books and my second wish is a bike and my last wish is a box of pencils.
Love Your Friend,
Alex

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student this year. When people fall down I pick them up. When someone bes mean to someone I help that prson. I wish to spend time with my family. I wish for my teacher to have a great life, New pair of shoes, roller skates.
Love Your Friend,
Janiya

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student this year. I have been a wonderful friend. My teacher says I'm a hard worker. I would really like new bike. Another wish is to get a new board game. Something needed is a new pair of shoes.
Love Your Friend,
Larry H.

Dear Santa,
I have been a great student all year to my friends. I would like a new soccer ball and a new Iphone 13 and a Ipad and a gold Pokemon.
Love Your Friend,
Angelique T.

Dear Santa,
I would like a PS5 for Christmas and a train set, a roblox toy, fortnite toy, a remote control batman car, plushies. My brother Kash would love a Thomas the Train toy. My brother Blaze would like a baby toy and a hoverboard for Kason.
Love Your Friend,
Kylo Salazar

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Please bring me a big barbie car and a new pop it.
Love Your Friend,
Lea

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. Santa will you please bring me a toy tiger, a dinosaur collection, a scooter, an Ipad, an iPhone, a bluey house, a power wheel, and a toy horse. Santa please bring my mom and nana a special gift. Thank you. There will be milk and cookies waiting for you.
Love Your Friend,
Kayden Miller

Dear Santa,
I have been good. Will you bring me a new rope and gold chain.
Love Your Friend,
Levi

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy, doll house, barbie doll house, and a baby with a crib, and I want a dog that can move and play and I want a American Girl Doll.
Love Your Friend,
Melanie

Dear Santa,
Hello how are you? For Christmas I would like a Happy Napper, Bluey Camper, my own big kitchen. I want my own Peppa Pig set, a blue Rainbow High Doll and a toy cleaning set. Thank you Santa. Merry Christmas to you!
Love Your Friend,
Katalina

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I want a big LOL toy. I also would like some Mini Brands to play with. A new journal would be great to write in at home. I want my own Captain Underpants so I don't have to borrow my sisters book. I also want a Christmas Barbie and a brand new ornament. Let's add some American Girl doll accessories. Thank you and I love you Santa!
Love Your Friend,
Jemma Shelnutt

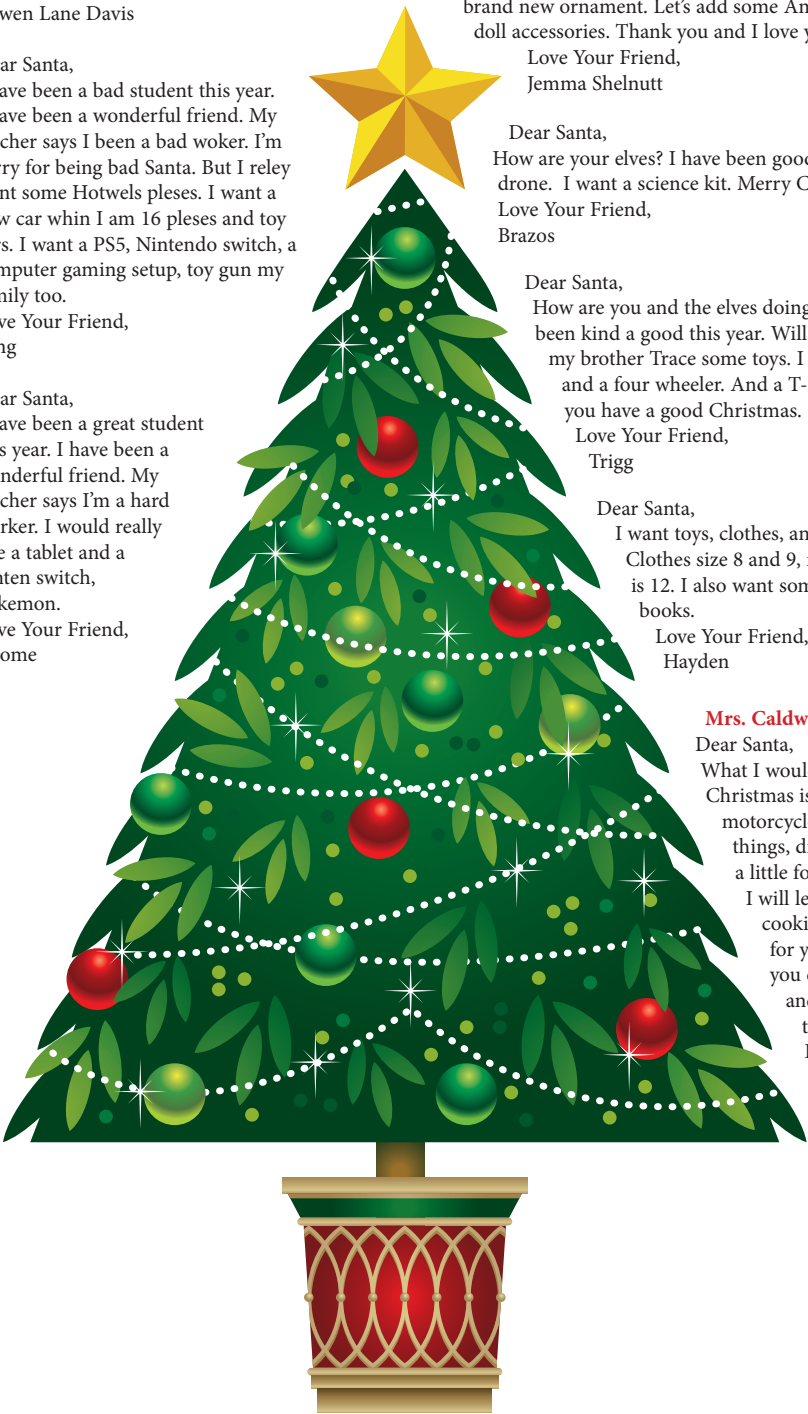
Dear Santa,
How are your elves? I have been good. I want a drone. I want a science kit. Merry Christmas!
Love Your Friend,
Brazos

Dear Santa,
How are you and the elves doing? I have been kind a good this year. Will you bring my brother Trace some toys. I want a bike and a four wheeler. And a T-Rex. I hope you have a good Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Trigg

Dear Santa,
I want toys, clothes, and shoes. Clothes size 8 and 9, my shoe size is 12. I also want some learning books.
Love Your Friend,
Hayden

Mrs. Caldwell's Class

Dear Santa,
What I would love for Christmas is a motorcycle, fish things, dinosaur toys, a little four wheeler. I will leave some cookies and milk for you when you come over and I promise to stay good.
Love Your Friend,
Matthew Rios



Dear Santa,
I want a fidget spinner, sonic lego, hover board,
mario lego.
Love Your Friend,
Joshua Banda

Dear Santa,
LOL Dolls are my favorite. I would like plushes. I
was kind of good. I wod like sum blankets.
Love Your Friend,
Everly

Dear Santa,
I have bin good. I want a squishy rab. Rainbow bike,
Rainbow unicorn, big pincel, Elf on the shelf.
Love Your Friend,
Laci Joe

Dear Santa,
This year I have been really good. This Christmas I
would like a doll with lots of clothes. I would also
like some pretty clothes and some sparkly shoes.
Also I would like a toy puppy.
Love Your Friend,
Aislynn H.

Dear Santa,
I have been working on being a good boy this year.
Here are my favorite toy ideas. Police lego, nerf gun,
Christmas Lego. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
James Lester

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be a good girl all year. I hope I made
the nice list. Thank you for bringing all of us girls
and boys gifts. I wont cry when I sit in your lap and I
will put out cookies and milk for you on Christmas
Eve.
Love Your Friend,
Addison C.

Dear Santa,
I want hot wheels for Christmas. I also want a bike
with training wheels.
Love Your Friend,
Sebastian C.

Dear Santa,
I want a racecar and a phone for Christmas. I also
would like something for my sister. They like barbie
dolls.
Love Your Friend,
Braylin S.

Dear Santa,
I would like a doll for Christmas. I also would like
some playdough. A tablet would be nice as well.
Love Your Friend,
Jaelynn D.

Dear Santa,
I would like an Xbox for Christmas. Some games to
play on the Xbox would be nice as well. I would also
like a watch.
Love Your Friend,
Julian G.

Dear Santa,
I am so excited for Christmas. I have been very good
this year. This year I would love if you could bring
me a barbie and a pink barbie car with a barbie
house. I love you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Aurora Castillo

Dear Santa,
I want a monster truck for Christmas and a robot
lizard please. I want a toy train and toy swords.
Thank you Santa. We are making cookies!
Love Your Friend,
Carlos Chavarria III

Dear Santa,
Can you please get me a tablet for Christmas. And I
want a sleeping beauty costume and wig. Merry
Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Faith Fields

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl and I wanted to know if you
can get me some presents. So this is what I want. I
want a unicorn, and a teddy bear that is blue. I also
want a unicorn squishy. And the last thing is a Santa
tddy so I will always remember you. If you can tell
Miss Clause that I love her. I hope I get my presents
and thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Miya Izaguirre

Dear Santa,
I love you so much. Thank you for all my toys. I
hope you don't get sick from eating all those cookies.
I love to eat a lot of them too. I would like four
things... spiderman bike, toy and a red hand drone,
and water balloons for summer time.
Love Your Friend,
Daniel Molina Jr

Dear Santa,
This year I did my best to be really good. I'm a very
good kid and sister. I help my mom take care of my
two little sisters. This year all I ask for is a LOL Doll
surprise and a minni mouse kitchen.
Love Your Friend,
Keniani P.

Dear Santa,
My name is Aaliyah. I want a lot of presents. What I
really want is a LOL Doll.
Love Your Friend,
Aaliyah H.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want an cozmo Robot. I want a
hungry hippo game. I want a bouncy toy. I want a
Ryan's world French fry toy. I want a Ryan's world
hamburger and a Ryan's world egg. Thank you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Angel Reyna

Dear Santa,
Can you git me a fon for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Sara

Mrs. Villegas Kindergarten

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad deseo un telefono.
Con Carino,
Barbara

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad deseo un juguete de unicornio.
Con Carino,
Natalia Lopez

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad deseo una tableta y un telefono y
Tambien calcantines y que me regate unos libros.
Con Carino,
Oliver

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad ye deseo un juego de Mario tennis. Yo
Tambien deseo ule soe google. Gracias.
Con Carino,
Isidoro Dorantes

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad deseo una cola de multi color. Gracias!
Con Carino,
Kayley Sotelo

Dear Santa,
Para Navidad deceo una cola de Sirena de multi
color y un telefono real. Gracias!
Con Carion,
Sofia Orduna

Dear Santa,
Para Navidad yo deseo una cola de sirena y una
brocha con maquillaje. Gracias Santa!
Con Carino,
Kaycie Barrientos

Dear Santa,
Para Navidad zo ta n ini rasivet lsitalo du se zaziep
sira lzei zit daizta jgizrztg sszi angiv atpu ettsisl
dirfraiztst.
Con Carino,
Anamaria Rodriguez

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad yo des eoun telefono real. Gracias!
Con Carino,
Ana Sofia Lopez

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad yo deceo maquillaje. Gracias Santa!
Con Carino,
Leyre Perez

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad yo deseo un intededno y un wacitoci.
Gracias!
Con Carino,
Austin Melendez

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad deceo un Nintendo Switch de color
asal y rojo. Tambien deceo par de walki talkisde
soldado. Gracias Santa!
Con Carino,
Saul Pedraza

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad yo deseo un par de walki talkis de
soldado.
Gracias Santa!
Con Carino,
Brandon Lopez

Querido Santa,
Para Navidad yo deseo un par de walki talkis de
sadado echo para adult. Gracias Santa!
Con Carino,
Gilberto Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I want pokemon cards and a duse whith pokemons
and 2 daishy shark? With bones and a big wolf pillow
and a sloth animal and a dnsm anlmal.
Love Your Friend,
Nico

Mrs. Petras 1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want pokemon cards and a duse whith pokemons
and 2 daishy shark? With bones and a big wolf pillow
and a sloth animal and a dnsm anlmal.
Love Your Friend,
Nico



Dear Santa,
Flip flop shop-sun glasses and case, new bike-
wonder woman that goes with it, tiny helmet for
Kane, soccer goal, big giant pop it(circle ones), baton
with string, mom- cricut, nechlace for mom, brewers
hat for Kane, cross for dad. Love you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Zaylin

Dear Santa,
You are so good and kind. This year I have been on
my best behavior and I would like to ask for a VR
Game.
Love Your Friendm
Christopher

Dear Santa,
I've been a very good boy this year. I luv you Santa.
For Christmas I wut a drone for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Grady H.

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I would like if you could
help homeless kids. I want a barbie.
Love Your Friend,
Isabella

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas. I want a monster
and theres more where that come from and a happy
napper 1 dinosaur and three unicorns and thee
snack-ees and five hundred dollar bills.
Love Your Friend,
Tristan and Shannon

Dear Santa,
I love you and your give me stuff and you're the best
Santa. I love you to the moon can you be my friend.
We are happy to have you thank you Santa for ever
you are the best Santa. You are welcome.
Love Your Friend,
Landon

Dear Santa,
I want a TV for my room and I want some dollars.
Love Your Friend,
Brody

Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas a bunch of LOLs. Santa I want
some clothes I want new bows. I want a tree house. I
want some barbie house and God to bless my family.
Love Your Friend,
Cataleya

Dear Santa,
I want dolls and LOL blanket and slime and a big
LOL set and a princess sedua and elf! Fake makeup.
Love Your Friend,
Jazlyn

Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas a barbie and LOLs. Thank you
Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Aaliyah

Dear Santa,
I want a Nintendo switch and makeup and jewelry.
Love Your Friend,
Sophia

Dear Santa,
How are the elves doing? Thank you for sending me
Sully. For Christmas I want American Girl Doll
clothes and lego friends and science kit and Barbie
doctor kit and barbie boat.
Love Your Friend,
Kendall

Dear Santa,
For Christmas all I want is for everyone to be happy.
I want a remote control truck. I want to make treats
for Santa and leave a cup of milk for him.
Love Your Friend,
Johnsel Brite

Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas. I want a boy barbie and I want
some makeup and I want a new bed and a new tv.
Love Your Friend,
Bella F.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus doing? This year I learned that I
can work hard. I have dun sum things wrong and rit.
I have learned from everything! I want a dog collr
with a camera on it. A Aggie football, tickets to
Disney World, Spy gaitis, pogo stick please, a wuh uv
thos sot basbols.
Love Your Friend,
Lee Raley

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl so I was wondering if I can
have some presents. I want a makeup set, a lol house
or a doll house, and a family of lol dolls. And Santa
can you tell Miss Clause if she can make me a special
cookie.
Love Your Friend,
Aubree

Mrs. King

Dear Santa,
I want a bicycle, some monkey bars, a slide,
underwares, socks, 2 bags legos, 2 packs magnets,
fireworks, soft ball, 2 prank set.
Love Your Friend,
Malcolm

Dear Santa,
I do not need enee toys because Christmas is not
about Santa giving you toys on Christmas. It is about
selubrating Jesus birth on Christmas. Oh How our
you doing Santa?
Love Your Friend,
Khloe

Dear Santa,
I been good this year! I really would like a pop its.
Can I have 3 please. I can also have a lpad. Ho Ho
Ho! Merry Christmas!
Love Your Friend,
Heaven Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
Can I have two barbie dolls? Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Emily

Dear Santa,
How is your day? Jim mat, nail polish, make up for
granust, slime gel.
Love Your Friend,
Avery Lindeman

Dear Santa,
I want new toys and a PS5 for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Damien

Dear Santa,
Robot 5, remote control, boots, sobt, jeans, cowboy shirt, cowboy hat.
Love Your Friend,

Dear Santa,
My name is Mallory. I would like a bike and doll house, kitchen set, princess camera. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Mallory

Dear Santa,
This year I ask for a new bike, yeezy shops, orbeez nerf gun, a honda 4 wheeler. I hope you and the elfs are staying warm.
Love Your Friend,
Manual Cardoza

Dear Santa,
I been very good this year. I helped my mom and dad and was the best brother so can you please get me a new bike and four wheeler and I will continue to do and be great.
Love Your Friend,
Traedyn Smith

Dear Santa,
A tase track and a toy for sissy and then I wunt a Christmas tree but a smol one and a Christmas tree but for sisey and a smol one for sisey.
Love Your Friend,
Caitlyn

Mrs. Camarillo 1st Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a PS4, a new phone, pop-it, and Nintendo switch. So I want be bored all time. I have been a good boy. Please come see me.
Love Your Friend,
Jase Valenta

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. Can I have a barbie house? Can I also have a few barbies to go with my new barbie house?
Love Your Friend,
Dai'Anna Lincoln

Dear Santa,
I would like balls and sugar mario games.
Love Your Friend,
Pedro

Dear Santa,
My name is Kaden. I just wanted to say Hi and I love the present that m elf brought me.
Love Your Friend,
Kaden

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is shoes, socks, and toys. Can you bring my brothers some things too?
Love Your Friend,
Julian Perez

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. All I ask is everyone has many presents this year. All I want is a 4-wheeler, Ipad and a bicycle and many dolls. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Zoey

Dear Santa,
My name is Jeremiah Aldaco. I am 6 years old. I have been a good boy this year. For Christmas this year I would like some; WWE fighters, a T-Rex, a black Venom, a Indominus rex and clothes. I will have milk and cookies for you. PS I hope you got the cars that Sunny and I build for the kids.
Love Your Friend,
Jeremiah

Dear Santa, I have been good all year. I would like a piano. Thank you,
Love Your Friend,
Sofia

Dear Santa,
I hope you're doing well and staying warm. This year I would like some LOL surprise dolls, a trampoline and some new clothes please. I would also like some play make-up and nail polish. Also a Nintendo switch with some games. Thank you for whatever you can bring, safe travels.
Love Your Friend,
Khloe Camarillo

Dear Santa,
I want a ornament and a toy, also a book so I can read. And a little tree for me and my mom and dad and Aldo and Oliver and Pedro and Nano and Lely and Breneda.
Love Your Friend,

Dear Santa,
I been a good girl and I want a LOL dol and I want a Elsa dol and I want a radbowe hit dol and I want a and I want a na na sprisz dol and ai want a big raboo bid box and ai want srt and I want bujam and I want neckless and I want al heels.
Love Your Friend,
Marianna

Dear Santa,
Hello how are you? For Christmas I would like toy make-up kit. A LOL Bigger Surprise toy and things for my brothers and sister. We have all tried really hard to be good this year. And next year we will try even harder. Be careful on your journey and stay safe.
Love Your Friend,
Makenzie Hunt

Dear Santa,
Have you talked to Buddy? I would like turbo toys, legos, puppies, fox toy, and Dinosors. Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Hunter Borrer

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer and Rudolph? How are you Santa? I want an Air Force One Jet that comes with the human and a car, and a bey blade and the lawn cher that comes with it. What kind of cookies do you want?
Love Your Friend,
Kyle

Dear Santa,
My name is Kaylee Hastings and I am 6 years old. I have been very good this year! My Christmas wish list is: Hatchimals, Camera, hover board, four wheeler, Giannis. I am very excited for your visit. Merry Christmas,
Love Your Friend,
Kaylee

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? The reindeers are ready for the big trip? I would like for Christmas LOL dolls stuff, animals posters of dogs, pretty earrings, coloring books of animals.
Love Your Friend,
Jessa Perez

Dear Santa,
I hope the reindeer are doing good and I hope you are staying warm in the North Pole. For Christmas I would like a PS5 and some games please and thank you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Reyden Ruiz

Mrs. McCray Kinder

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would spiderman, motorcycle toy like a toy jeep, LED light, PS5 RC five cimda tedd fidal rodu of teddy Xbox PS4 rc RS5 Rc
Love Your Friend,
Jimmy Rosas

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a spiderman.
Love Your Friend,
Isaiah

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I have PS5 choeoratero draw I would like spiderman, high heels, skirt, socks, big brothers boots.
Love Your Friend,
Morgan

Dear Santa,
I have been very this year. Bncare ell blsn wllttj so ll orllrllferpir llim area clrk k1551 rldllllas hhlh Naowo Bab
Love Your Friend,
Naomi

Dear Santa,
I have been very good tis year. I would like a hot wheels, Xbox.
Love Your Friend,
Kylan

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year! I would like a chocolate satg.
Love Your Friend,
Maddison

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a PS5, horse lead, saddle, teddy, little dog, barbie, boa bark barbie light.
Love Your Friend,
Blakely

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year! I would like a horse, laptop please, PS5, skate mantou chocolate jeep whale barbie toy board barbie light jeep.
Love Your Friend,
Savannah

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year! I really want chocolate PSS.
Love Your Friend,

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a skate board please.
Love Your Friend,
Riley

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a PS5, fishing.
Love Your Friend,
Tyler



Dear Santa,
My name is Hazel Deleon. I would like a barbie doll house, LOL house, Barbie dolls, toys. I have been a good girl this year. I have cookies and milk waiting for you.
Love Your Friend,
Hazel Deleon

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a skate board.
Love Your Friend,
Lydia

Dear Santa,
I have been very good. I would like a toy baby LOL Barbie, teddy bear, PS5, saddle.
Love Your Friend,
Jaylee

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a spible slim.
Love Your Friend,
Ellisyn

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. Spider toy man,PS4, REM Jeep, light, teddy.
Love Your Friend,
Zane

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. Skateboard, PS5,spider, jeep, rop.
Love Your Friend,
Emily

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year! I would like a PS5, horse, chocolate teddy toy, toy board, beer, PS4 Please.
Love Your Friend,
Aposa

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a teokt es5.
Love Your Friend,
Ethan

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year! I would like chocolate pie please.
Love Your Friend,
Maddie

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a part, edit, PS5, bear, Barbie, paw patrol, laptop.
Love Your Friend,
Miguel

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a good jeep.
Love Your Friend,
Wyatt

Mrs. Hillman Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is Camryn Espinosa, I hope you're having a good year. I really hope that I get stuff for Christmas. I would like a gold necklace, gold watch and golden toys. I love golden. I hope that the Reindeer are doing well! P.S. What kind of cookies do your like? Oh yea and a toy of you and the reindeer.
Love Your Friend,
Camryn E.

Dear Santa,
My name is Khloe Molina, I am 5 years old. I have been a good girl this year. For Christmas I want some pink high top shoes. I want a barbie dream house with lights and I want some games for my Nintendo switch. I will leave you milk and cookies and put reindeer food in the yard for Rudolph and the other reindeer.
Love Your Friend,
Khloe Molina

Dear Santa,
I would like Monster trucks, Legos, football. I will be good so you can see. Thank you Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Easton

Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is mermaid hair and mermaid dress. Tell all elves I say hi and Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Miracle

Dear Santa,
Can you please give me a PS5 and can you bring my mom a pretty shirt?
Love Your Friend,
Sollomon

Dear Santa,
This year for Christmas I would like a Nintendo switch. I've worked hard at being good all year. I love you Santa, say hi to the Elve for me. We have an elf!
Love Your Friend,
Benett Cross

Dear Santa,
I been good. I help take care of my sisters. I love them and they're sweet and kind. I would like to have LOL big surprise and a LOL big giant house and I would like for you to give me a bouncy unicorn toy. And dear Santa I been good at school also. And I love my sister and my baby sister. And I want to have a lot of fun on Christmas. And a gotta-go-flamingo with a toilet and a toilet scooper. Thank you Santa Clause but I want some more.
Love Your Friend,
Avani Baez

Dear Santa,
I want a lot of LOL, barbie doll stuff, big house, LED stuff, and a bicycle.
Love Your Friend,
Serenity

Dear Santa,
I have been very good. This year please can you bring me a baby Alive doll and a bike and some toys for my brother and sister. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Jayden Thorne

Dear Santa,
I want a blue and pink pop it, Frozen art set, small like slimy pumpkins.
Love Your Friend,
Zoey Carter

Dear Santa,
I want a toy story bedsheet. Toy story puzzle 100 pieces.
Love Your Friend,
Zach Carter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a baby with a stroller and a kitchen set with play food. JoJo play set and makeup ok and a cell phone with a pink case and cloths and shoes.
Love Your Friend,
Kamryn Smith

Dear Santa,
My name is Grayson Riojas and I'm 6 years old. I would like the following for Christmas. A train that goes around the tree, new golf set, a puppy dog, new dinosaur puppets, new shark puppets, a big stop light for my choo choo station. I want a real crown that says I can count to 100 and new train sets. I will leave milk and cookies for you and oats and carrots for the reindeer.
Love Your Friend,
Grayson

Dear Santa,
Hoverboard, drone for my brother, dinosaur, back pack, coloring book, pokemon.
Love Your Friend,
Tristian

Mrs. Maldonado's Class

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I help my mom a lot with my baby sisters. This year I want puzzles, puppy, iPhone 13, and \$1000. I will continue to do good at home and at school.
Love Your Friend,
Cristabella Llamas

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year I really want LOL dolls and a LOL house. Some new PJ's, games to play with my family. A princess Belle doll, a warm blanket and jacket. Some crocs and boots. Lastly 5 jackets for my puppies.
Love Your Friend,
Analiolaide

Dear Santa,
I am happy for you! Santa I would like a trick skate board, a new basketball like my sister Kamryn's, a baseball bat, 3 cars for me and my brother. I would also like a toy vacuum and tools to help my dad, he likes the color blue. New nerf guns, games and building blocks. Santa we will leave you some cookies and milk.
Love Your Friend,
John Christopher Riojas

Dear Santa,
My name is Andres. I want a playstation and a book and a firepit.
Love Your Friend,
Andres

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like LOL doll surprise, a bike or a fairy with 3 horses.
Love Your Friend,
Julietta

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie camper, books, a toy unicorn and a stuffed animal lion.
Love Your Friend,
Brooklyn Wurz



Dear Santa,
This year for Christmas I would like a toy tractor with all its equipment to work on the farm.
Love Your Friend,
Alexis

Dear Santa,
Kitchen set and scooter.
Love Your Friend,
Remidy L.

All I want for Christmas is batman, robot toy so I can play with my friend and a ball game.
Love Your Friend,
Doris

Dear Santa,
I been a good boy this year. I have been good with my mommy but sometimes I do throw big tantrums. But then I tell her I'm sorry and apologize and tell her I love her. I help around the house and help grandma too. I would like a VR for Christmas and that's it.
Love Your Friend,
Juan I.

Dear Santa,
I want a Ryan's World Deluxe Piggy Bank, and a Mattel barbie traumpferd. That is a adult one and a kid one that is my favorite toys.
Love Your Friend,
Estrella

Dear Santa,
All I want this year is toys for me and all my friends. Can you please take food to every house?
Love Your Friend,
Leo Mendez

Dear Santa,
I being good I want for Christmas a spiderman and batman and a tablet and a bag of monster trucks and a tractor game and a soccer ball.
Love Your Friend,
Brian

Dear Santa,
I would like a barbie camper, an LOL doll, books, and lastly some pop its.
Love Your Friend,
Jade

Dear Santa,
How are you? Hopefully good. Well for Christmas I would like a doll house also barbies a tablet, shoes and clothes. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Remy

Dear Santa,
I would like a Union Pacific Train and games.
Love Your Friend,
Kalum

Dear Santa,
I want a toy unicorn to sleep with at night. And I would also like a baby doll.
Love Your Friend,
Olivia

Dear Santa,
I would love a Playstation 5 for my brothers and I want a Minecraft watch to tell time.
Love Your Friend,
Aldo

Dear Santa,
I want a Mario Cart game to play with my sister. I would also love to have a toy puppy.
Love Your Friend,
Silas

Dear Santa,
I want a toy car to play with my brothers. Santa do you like rainbow cookies? I would also like a real camera.
Love Your Friend,
Oliver

Mrs. Reyna's Class

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I am respectful, responsible and cooperative. I always listen to my mom. I want a dinosaur.
Love Your Friend,
Saul Izaguirre

Dear Santa,
I have been responsible to my mom and dad. I have been a good girl since I have been good I deserve a present. I want an elf, polaroid camera, art stuff, dog stuff, and a camera for my family.
Love Your Friend,
Paisley Ramos

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I am respectful, responsible and cooperative. I always listen to my mom and grandmother. Since I've been a good girl I deserve a special gift. I would love an iPhone, pink camera, and elf and pop its.
Love Your Friend,
Alexis Revel

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I am respectful, responsible and cooperative. I always listen to my mom or dad. Since I've been a special gift. I would love a PS5, a Nintendo and a dog.
Love Your Friend,
Jalen Granados

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year I want a camera because I want my grandma to watch me in my room. The next thing I want is pokemon cards. I want hot wheels and a new headset.
Love Your Friend,
Jonathan Smith

Dear Santa and Mrs. Claus,
I have been good all year. I wish I could meet you and Mrs. Claus and the randeer too. I hope my elf Ellie has been good for Christmas. I deserve some Desendens Dolls and an osmo.
Love Your Friend,
Tinsley Gray

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I am respectful, responsible and cooperative. I always listen to my mom and my dad. Since I've been a good girl I deserve a special gift. I would like a camera so I can take pictures of my brother.
Love Your Friend,
Alexia Almaguer

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I am respectful, responsible and cooperative. I always listen to my dad, mom and grandmother since I've been good kid I deserve an elf, a toy, an osmo, a PS5, a camera, an iPhone 13.
Love Your Friend,
Gael Gonzalez

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I am responsible, respectful and cooperative. I always listen to my dad and mom and grandmother. I want an Ipad, a barbie, camera and a wouldin kitchen.
Love Your Friend,
Kassi Gonzalez

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want that plush and a VR headset. Also I want a Iphone.
Love Your Friend,
Jase Wyatt

Dear Santa,
I have been good almost all year. This is what I want for Christmas. Can I have a TV and some pokemon?
Love Your Friend,
Holden Tiekem

Dear Santa,
I have been very good all year, very good. I want a new PS4, new key board, a mouse and a phone.
Love Your Friend,
Jonathan Zavala

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want a camera for pictures. I want nails.
Love Your Friend,
Perla Gongova

Dear Santa,
I've been really good this month. I listen to my mom and my teacher. Since I'm a helpful child I think I deserve a piano, plain scratch paper, and a pack of colored pencils so I can draw.
Love Your Friend,
Kiwi Le

Dear Santa,
I have ben rily good this year. I was wondering if I cood hav ol pig for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Luke Mathis

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. Please bring me a elf this year all my friends have one but I don't.
Love Your Friend,
Aria Baker

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I have lins to my mom a lot. I have watz a dinosaur.
Love Your Friend,
Jaylen Johnson

Mrs. Quince 2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I would like a book about you because I wonder about you. In scoodr because I don't know how to ride in my swedr because I loos my swedr.
Love Your Friend,
Arriyanna Martinez

Dear Santa,
I want a cross neckless and a marker set and osmo and NBA2K and Fifa 22. Bye Santa!
Love Your Friend,
Tripp Schautteet

Dear Santa,
I will like a PS4 and a pop it and adimin neclins and sum new shos and a WWE casulp bet and chromebook and a Dogmen books and a new forilr and simd and a tv in my bed room and a new bike a misib for plate.
Love Your Friend,
Rylan Cantu

Dear Santa,
For Christmas can I have pop its for Christmas and books and sticley wats because I wrk harde and wrke hord and taks flag and big books for Christmas and sum cande and crafte and a shoa for Christmas piles Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Jazilyn Ontiveros

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a sewing kit! I would like rainbow high dolls, all of them. I would like legos. I would also like to have a scech book too. And I would love to have my old house back! I would like a bow and arow! I would also like to have my own notebook with my name on it.
Love Your Friend,
Olivia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a pichew baukit and a pichew play and a pichew curvy, and a bas bah cot, and I want a coik and I want a dog a rel dog and I want a roboifcot.
Love Your Friend,
Stetson Sample

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want amarkin girl doll bed, deck and char, cloc, shos, and a cubes, closet, a kichin, bathroom, a homwrk deck with a flufe char, splis B, a phone to go with it, a bike that carey two pepy flying spis, a heart dessre and a char to go with it.
Love Your Friend,
Saidee Sanchez

Dear Santa,
A for cimis I wot a ril motthr for sm.
Love Your Friend,

Dear Santa,
I would like 10,000,000 dollars and a nuthr brotto. I wht oh da nuthr bruthr an a nrf gun to I wod a keka mot ci qud love karoonte ektegoohy orun ueeto imategoo
Love Your Friend,
Hagen

Dear Santa,
I want a hag in rff and I wt a lixt likis mesche an I wat a little.
Love Your Friend,
Josiah



Dear Santa,
For Christmas I wold like a box full of gel pens. I wold also like a pop it gat me. And I will also like is a haag that will chtach on to a hubrbord to and I will also like is a game called twisrtter and I will also a LOL doll and I will also like a barbie dream house to.
Love Your Friend,
Emily Fogle

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a hmastr and a cat and a box of books and crom books and hot wils and hose for my mom tat is free and a gine pig named babe jons and a elf and a bunch of football helmets.
Love Your Friend,
Jacob Pruett

Dear Santa,
I love Christmas so I wunt a trunk and I want a go pro to and my sister a barbie Christmas spirit and zentu to I love zentu to and I love and I wunt to have a zentu UVI amazon in tist things to I love Christmas to. I love you.
Love Your Frien,
Hagen

Dear Santa,
I want a trumpet and a go pro to I tore trizmet I now that zentu is rite. I wunt a dog to I love your elf to I wish I ken be an elf to.
Love Your Friend,

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa how are you and the elves, raindeer. I wot a toy for and seiling unicorn with the but not fer bak how the elves doing Santa the trees.
Love Your Friend,

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a OMG doll. I would like a box full with candeas. I wold like a chorcher. I would like a lot of books too. I wold love a gutar. I would like a dog to. I would like los of the xen with a my name on it.
Love Your Friend,
Isabella Pena

Dear Santa,
I would like anything with my name on it and a box full of fidgits and some mini brands and a box full of art and crafts and a elf on the shelf and the rareist think ever and some rare mini brands and a new scutter and some Christmas fidgits and the scutter from my popo.
Love Your Friend,
Hailey G.

Dear Santa,
I want a rane deer and 5000 dolrse and a ifon12 and a rumot controle bout.
Love Your Friend,
Braxton Davis

Dear Santa,
Wut I wot for Christmas I wot a dog and a hovrbord. I wot a drt bik and win I was little a shield and a fon and a applewoch evey a Robox people and a fortnit people but I rele wot is a how bed for my babey sistr it has to be a minemoos bed but I wot a gogesortear.
Love Your Friend,
Exavier Balderas

Dear Santa,
I wot a popets and a Ipad and a brtrmos and a math book I wrt a kobook and uri urv the fel es and a fo un for resmes and a skehbook for me can you get my my a pezt she mos le like makup so can you get my mom tat.
Love Your Friend,
Kaislyn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a OMG doll and a toy phone and a toy prsue and a book to so I can rea and some crayolas and a culurey book for win I go home I can play with it and rad the book win I go home I love radeg and crayoaweg all day ever time!
Love Your Friend,
Emma

Dear Santa,
I wot a dron and a pepr and a ball and rogrix qob and a fout ball helmet and a ice chest and a rof and a tin doll bill.
Love Your Friend,
Carlos Llamas

Dear Santa,
Santa Can I have a big tede bear for Crismis and sum gel pens and tittle vrgin ur you and a toy reders for Chrismis and anything and toy elfs and a flushes and hachumis and a haw boarde kept with bois love that miny food for Crismis and I wut an toy for Crismis and toy enumis for Chrismis Santa.
Love Your Friend,
Quinn Gummelt

Mrs. Petru 1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a big among us rainbow and for my brother Isaiiah. I love for him to have a figet spider. We will be good boys all month long.
Love Your Friend,
Steven

Dear Santa,
I love you. You are the best. The elf we have her name is Sparkles. This year for Christmas I would like a Power Wheel Car for me and my brother. I would also like fidgets, a Vlog camera for rids, some stick on nails and make-up...One Last thing I would like is a toy vanity. Thank you and I hope you enjoy the milk and cookies I leave out for you and I hope the reindeer will like their carrots.
Love Your Friend,
Anastasia C.

Dear Santa,
What I would like for Christmas is a Iphone Champion shirt white air forces a PS5 games for Nintendo Switch, Houston Texans jersey and cup.
Love Your Friend,
Jadus Cantu

Dear Santa,
Thank you for my gifts that I will get on December for Christmas! I've been good all year, I hope I get everything on my list. Hope to see you soon.
Love Your Friend,
Mateo Perez

Dear Santa,
Santa I like school. Mrs. Petru is nice. On Christmas it's my birthday on the 20th. I like Mrs. Petru. Santa please bring me a Mrs. Petru.
Love Your Friend,
Mareleen

Dear Santa,
I want a pet shop and a camera. Barbie dream house, phone, little Christmas tree. Thank you Santa. Have a Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Noelia Ontiveros

Dear Santa,
I would like a game for Xbox.
Love Your Friend,
Brody

Dear Santa,
I would like a indoor raptor house and a T-Rex car. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Cotton Russell

Dear Santa,
Can I have a VR headset, hot wheels, cars, hot wheels track, trand a water slide for Christmas please?
Love Your Friend,
Avie

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a pink, orange, green, yellow, blue hoverboard. I also want a LOL doll. Want a matching Christmas dress for me and kitty angle. I also would like a skirt for my elf Sparkle. Thank you Santa for the gifts. PS How many elf do you have?
Love Your Friend,
Naomi Montes

Dear Santa,
Can you bring me another JoJo toy and can you bring me flash cards. And give me a journal to write and can you give me paper to draw on. And please give me a doll that changes.
Love Your Friend,
Monica Martinez

Dear Santa,
My name is Auburn Venegas. I am 7 years old. I want some slime, new shoes, and earrings. Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Auburn

Dear Santa,
My name is Jax Venegas. I am 7 years old. I want a blanket, a basketball, and new shoes. Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Jax

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a dirt bike.
Love Your Friend,
Nate Gilliam

Dear Santa,
Thank your for giving us presents. You are a great person. I love seeing that you eat the cookies that I put out. I want a instant camera, a barbie dreamhouse and LOL's.
Love Your Friend,
Brynn

Mrs. Schmidt Special Education

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I've been working hard on my braille letters, my coins and my shapes. I really want cow girl boots and a cell phone. Please bring BJ a game switch and Baylee needs a barbie house and barbie camper. Have a good day and Merry Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Brooklyn Boening

Dear Santa,
I want a BB gun and a laptop. Also I want locks for my fortnite game. I want candy as well.
Love Your Friend,
Dason



Dear Santa,
I want a dog and playstation 5. Also I want pokemon cards, slime and toys. I want Robks.
Love Your Friend,
Larry

Dear Santa,
I want headphones.
Love Your Friend,
Michael

Dear Santa,
I want a white Xbox with a fighting game and a lambo game. Also I want a dirtbike and a dirtbike game.
Love Your Friend,
Caleb

Dear Santa,
I want a barbie doll. I want a lot of toys.
Love Your Friend,
Miley

Dear Santa,
I want a cat for Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Waylon

Laster/Colvin 2nd Grade

Dear Santa,
I riley want a PS5 please. I have bin good very good. You can tell your elves I want toys and klows to please and I want a plushey and a bear good luck making toy.
Love Your Friend,

Dear Santa,
I hope your raindeers are ok. I wont my family.
Love Your Friend,
Daisy

Dear Santa,
Can I have 19 LOL can I have 19 toys elf. Can I have 19 rabers. Can I have 19 fancy worlds.
Love Your Friend,
Paisley

Dear Santa,
Thank you for everything. I do wish I had a elf on the shelf can I please have one thank you, you're the best.
Love Your Friend,
Alizae Emery

Dear Santa,
Santa I want a un Box dog plect can I have it and I want to a unboxing dog. With a speshl thaing that I want and it is a home for my crimes tree and I will be srper good. I love anything that you give me.
Love Your Friend,
Kaeleigh

Dear Santa,
I want pokemon lo a print nares
Love Your Friend,
Jesse

Dear Santa,
Thank you for putting me on the nice list ever year. I would like lots and lots and lots of money for charidea. Thank you.
Love Your Friend,
Print

Dear Santa,
I want pokemon 10,000 I want a PS5 I want Lego I want macket I want a lot of muny I want a mentos.
Love Your Friend,
Logan

Dear Santa,
This Chissmiss I wot pokemon eba PS5 last year I was so happy. I want a switch I also want a nerf gun that has a telus kop rasecar.
Love Your Friend,
Frank

Dear Santa,
I want a PS5. I want a huggy wuggy plush. I want a power T-Rex. I want a forit. I want a fortnite. I want a fortnite toys. I ant a wrxsx toys. I want a good laptop. I want a keo brtos. I want a robal. I want a woront.
Love Your Friend,
Ethan

Dear Santa,
I want a Xbox also a PS5 also I want a lot of big legos. I also want a game that I scop husew age also acsh figo of the rock and losen 23 powerful or so cops love rourf rend also.
Love Your Friend,
Hunter

Dear Santa,
I would like a LOL Doll. Can I please have a big bucket of slime. Can I please have a unicorn toy. Can I please have a rainbow hi doll. Can I please have some new shoes. Can I please have a fancy nancy doll. Can I please have a lovely unicorn shert. Can I please have unicorn shoes. Can I please have a baby doll. Can I please have a mini brands. Can I have mini brands that are toys. Can I please have a doll that can talk.
Love Your Friend,
Emersyn Sample

Dear Santa,
I want a PS5 for Christmas also a cant and a dog also a bung of nerf guns and a tesla for my mom and dad and money, lots of money.
Love Your Friend,
Sergio

Dear Santa,
Can I please have pokemon cards so I can be overjoyed. Every day if they are lovely I would leave them home.
Love Your Friend,
Jayce

Dear Santa,
I wot a gamekipilar I want a pen. I want abakugon. I want a l.
Love Your Friend,
Garrett

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Fancy Nancy doll and a unicorn plushe and a Barbie dreamhouse.
Love Your Friend,
Sofia

Miss Petre 2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Santa I left a present for you. I please want a nice chihuahua. I would like a box with things that I can make shirts. I wish my dye to make shirts I wish my brother could have a box of pokemon cards and a little princess doll house ad cllors for my sister. I would like a new car for my dad, and my mom not have to do so much work and gift cards for my mom.
Love Your Friend,
Isabelle



Dear Santa,
How is it at the North Pole? How is Rudolph? Did you make a snowman? Did you put lights on your house? What kind of cookies do you like? My favorite holiday is Christmas. I hope you are doing good Santa and Mrs. Claus. I want for Christmas Roblox and a plushie and clothes.
Love Your Friend,
Itzel Z.

Dear Santa,
What I would like for Christmas is a PS5. Can I get a four wheeler?
Love Your Friend,
Levi

Dear Santa,
I want a toy car I want a new pet pupe I want glasses and a new gold fish and I want nfint mrch I want a teddy bear and a new action figure and I want an orange cat I want a animal plushe and new red glue guns.
Love Your Friend,
Jase T.

Dear Santa,
I want a PS5 and a PS4 for my brother and a supr sonic plushie and a pen and glasses in visndoll pen teffe pupit tap remote toy car flash light and abimid and pupe for my brother.
Love Your Friend,
Javier Falcon

Dear Santa,
How are you doing Santa Claus? How is Rudolph doing? How is Mrs. Claus doing? Is it snowing at the North Pole? How about some cookies for you and Mrs. Claus too. I will put them on the table so you can know. Could I get a present for my little brother?
Love Your Friend,
Jaileen Rubio

Dear Santa,
How is it in the North Pole? Is it good or bad? Hey Santa, can I tell you what I want for Christmas? A stuffed animal, a horse book, a American doll school. Hey Mrs. Claus Hi! Rudolph is your nose still red? Have a good magical Christmas I am going to leave cookies.
Love Your Friend,
Caleigh Mae

Dear Santa,
How are things going at the North Pole? I hope there are not much people that are on the naughty list. What I want is a toy horse. I'm going to leave your cookies next to the tree. Have a Merry Christmas. I love Christmas.
Love Your Friend,
Ariella Chavarria

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? How is Mrs. Claus? How is Dancer? Santa I have a present for you. I want you to eat all of my vegetables. I would like a PS5. I want a chromenbook. So I can play prodigy all night.
Love Your Friend,
Coy Pilat

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Claus doing at the North Pole? What does Rudolph like to eat? What I needs is some snow boots and all I want is a picture of me, mom and my sister. I hope it snow over here. I have a question, how does Rudolph fly?
Love Your Friend,
Pena Hernandez

Dear Santa,
How do you get into houses in one night? And I need some new clothes and a Xbox charger. How's Mrs. Claus?
Love Your Friend,
Noah Maldonado

Dear Santa,
What are you doing? I was wondering what's happening at the North Pole? I want a LOL doll and an American girl doll. Could you get my brother a PS5? Could you give my lots of candy in my stocking.
Love Your Friend,
Karsyn Rathmann

Dear Santa,
Are you safe to deliver presents to children? Do you celebrate the day of Christmas? I wish for a Roblox gift card.
Love Your Friend,
Levi Sample

Dear Santa,
I got some gvestrons. How cold is the North Pole? How small are your elves? How big is your workshop what did you do in the summer? Tell Rudolph I said hi. Have you went to a cookie? Is Buddy the elf there contest? Say hi to Mrs. Claus I would like if you could. I would like if would like if you can get me an Xbox.
Love Your Friend,
Anson Wheelis

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus? How are all the raindeer? How are all the elfs? Please have a safe trip while delivering presents.
Love Your Friend,
Hailey Daniel

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph doing? How do you get to all the houses in the whole night? How are you doing and Mrs. Claus doing? I would like a new controller for my play station. I also need a pair of shoes. Can you get my brother a toy and my sister some new clothes.
Love Your Friend,
Mason Robinson

Dear Santa,
How are thing in the North Pole? How are you? Christmas is my favorite holiday. I wish for a bunny. Could you bring a toy for my baby brother.
Love Your Friend,
Alexandra Marravilla

Nixon-Smiley Elementary

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus doin? I will wut for Christmas I will rile a new lotion, spirit horse, pop it, notebook.
Love,
Avayie

Dear Santa,
Hay Santa how are you ding Santa I mis I whet new shoes and new pets and a tesla.
Love,
Dominick

Dear Santa,
How is it going? For Christmas I want a K necklace a tool box and a remote control dump truck.
Love,
Kyle

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? How is roodoff? How old is Mrs. Audlit For Chrismis I want a kicen set some LOL dolls and some barbie dolls. Thank you So so so so much. How is Mrs. Claus I bet it is so cold off there I bet they are dng all the work.
Love,
Anzley

Dear Sant,
How are you? Is it cold? I want for Christmas a Xbox, roll, a pop its, like Santa.
Love,
Aiden

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus. How is she? I love you and Mrs. Claus. Happy Christmas I would like a Airel doll, fijt box and a comput of Disney princess.
Love,
Audrey

Dear Santa,
How are the dearis? Is the North Pole cold? How is Misi Claus? How Menea? Coocea's you ate? For Christmas I would like a barbie camper, kitchen set, video camera.
Love,
Kaydence

Dear Santa,
I wot for Christmas a clothes, toys and Xbox. And is it cold up daw?
Love,
Joel

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I whut a stuffed animals and a puppy and LOL dolls set. How are you in the North Pole? Is it nis up there? How are you douweing in the North Pole? Good?
Love,
Makenzie

Dear Santa,
How are you doing at the North Pole? How is Mrs. Claus? How is Roodawph the Raindeer? I would like a tablet and a big big toy car and some LOL dolls pleas. Thank you so so much and how old is Mrs. Aulit? I hop you fill good at the North Pole because your Elfys must be doing all the work for you. I bete.
Love,
Karina

Dear Santa,
How is your elf doing? I think the elf needs a break from working so hard for Christmas I want a real bunny nail polich and ice cream play dough. I love you!
Love,
Kinsley

Dear Santa,
How is your day? For Christmas I want a Thomas and Nintendo switch thank you.
Love,
Mauricio

Dear Santa,
How are you? Do you like Christmas? For Christmas I would like a big dron and a pet turtle and a motorcycle.
Love,
Alex

Dear Santa,
How is it up in the North Poole? Wut dus roodoff glid yore slay I would like for Christmas a watch, laptop and a car.
Love,
Braxton

Dear Santa,
How are you? Is Rodoff ok? Have you eating a lot cookes? For Christmas I would like Minecraft, Xbox contrulle and a journal. Thank you and Merry Christmas.
Love,
Ryan

Dear Santa,
How is Rodof? Is it nisc? For Christmas I like LOL dolls, a pony(real) and some money.
Love,
Celeste

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! How are you today? Did your deers do good? Can I go thir? For Christmas I would like one iPad, one Trampoline, one or two cat plushies.
Love,
Katherine

Dear Santa,
How is your day? For Christmas I want a sonic plush and an Xbox plush and an Xbox sonic.
Love,
Aniken

Dear Santa,
How is Mis Clos? How are you? I like for Christmas unicorn and LOL, legos. Have a good Christmas.
Love,
Zayra

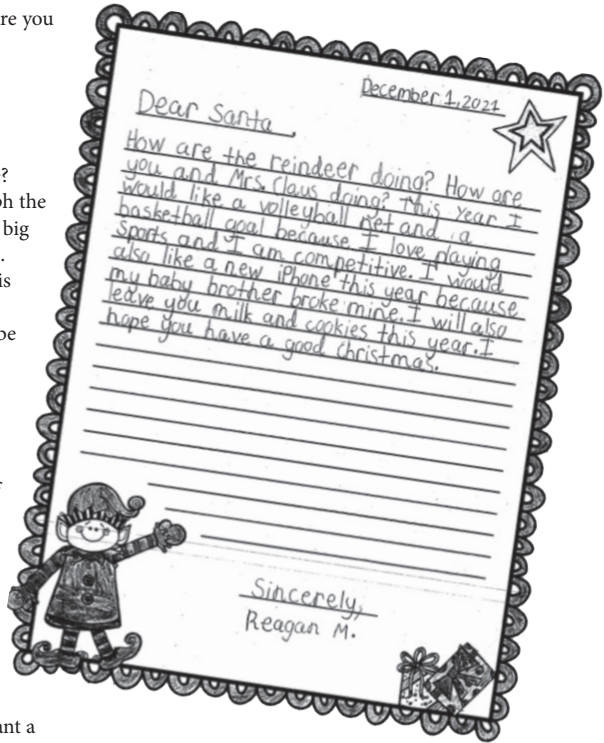
Dear Santa,
In nakbur I wa phone I wakru I anutup I wa pado I wa uom I wa motiks I wakimto I wanigg I wakod I wasewe I aron.
Sincerely,
Skylar

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy, because I was doing my chorse. I want a PS4, I need shampoo and wear new shoes, read Dog Man books.
Sincerely,
Eric

Dear Santa,
I want a Dog Man book for Christmas and toy horses. I need new cool like crayn case like a crayn box but plastic and blue. I want another pup that's cute and a yorkie and more water.
Sincerely,
Addison.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy I would love Shampoo, a puppy, a neckless and dog man books. I wanna puppy because I don't have a puppy.
Sincerely,
Yariel

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want gorey and I need all my family together and love and I need wear pants and socks and to read family books.
Sincerely,
Lillie



Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl, I need a backpack. I want a ring , weat a shoes, read a family book. You are the best.
Sincerely,
Rosalyn

Dear Santa,
I ben a good boy I clen behind myself I do my chores too. Wear shoes, read dog man book, pants, ol some, reager, and a Xbox and rbloxs card and a nuther havre borde.
Sincerely,

Dear Santa,
I need a bed, want a kint, wear ereg, read a picture books, becus I hept my mom clean up her room and I hept her bidre.
Sincerely,
Carmen

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy because I clean up outside and I take a bath I want a PS5 because its cool I need to be healthy I want to wear new shoes. I want to read dogmash.
Sincerely,
Alex

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Dear Santa,
I cant wate for Christmas. I have ben a good girl becus I have ben good at school and on the bus. Need a can neckless becus its hot on the bus. I want bunnys to keep me repay. I want to pers my ers so I can get erring. I want a dogman, kieshen. Mary Christmas Santa Clas. Have a good Mary Christmas Santa get a lot of rest for Christmas nite.
Sincerely,
Paige

Dear Santa,
I have been good. Can I have some more shampoo and and a iPhone Pro 12 and more vans and rainbow please and more chapter books.
Sincerely,
Emmerson

Dear Santa,
I ben making A and B's.I cant wate for you can come. I hope your elfs are working hard. I take care of my sistr. And I hope she will get sumthing to. I need love. Want a apple watch pleas. And I want to wear nikeye shoos. And I want to read flir gir books because I ben helping my mom and dad. And win my sistr gis hrt I tell mom or win she breas I poot a bandade on her and I bin lising to my teashr and folling dreshins. And I ben doing my homework and folling dreshls in my home.
Sincerely,
Arianna

Dear Santa,
I have bin a good boy I cant wate for Christmas I want 10000 pairs ples can I see you, you owas run away I want a pup up and a pia stans in 5 and in harp ath boot Christmas is a fun halliday.
Sincerely,

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. I need cidisder, want apple watch. I wear asrathbra, read Christmas books.
Sincerely,
Lilianna

Dear Santa,
I cant wait for Christmas I have been very good because I clean up and I listen to my mom so I need you to make everyone healthy and I want a lol doll touch screen watch and new shoes and more Dog man.
Sincerely,
Ava

Dear Santa,
I ben a good girl for this Christmas. I need klok I wot 2 huxes wer prents and rexes and wot Dr. Seuss book if you get me that I will good to net Christmas so I can for next Christmas.
Sincerely,
Lyla

Dear Santa,
I can't wait for Christmas. This year I would like some shampoo and a cute kittin just so so shoes and a chaptr book. I have ben a good girl.
Sincerely,
Arelly

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I think I deserve this year. I think I deserve a dirt bike and first of all I do my chores. I tak out the trash. Wash the dish addition I get good grades on at my school.
Sincerely,
Mauro

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. For Christmas I want a new cars games for my switch. I also want a trampoline.
Sincerely,
Cesu

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year! I would like to get a barbie because I think I was good this year. I also need a jacket to wear. I would also like to get slime. Merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
Aliyhanna

Dear Santa,
I have been so good at school I would like a plush toy to night I also hot wheels toy.
Sincerely,
Jayden

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. For Christmas I would like a foot ball. I would also like a Dallas Cowboys jersey. I need a pair of running shoes.
Sincerely,
Brent

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I would like a baby doll set. I books to read at home. I need shirts that are colorful.
Sincerely,
Stormy

Dear Santa,
I would really like an ice cream set for Christmas I would also like a jean jacket and a barbie too. I have been good this year!
Sincerely,
Emily

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I would really like a Mega Godzilla toy. I also want a football. I need clothes and books to read.
Sincerely,
Emmanuel

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year! I would really like new clothing. I think I really deserve this gift and here is why. First of all, I got good grades and listen to m teacher. I also take care of my sister. In addition I need new cloths to wear I hope I get some clothes for Christmas!
Sincerely,
Emilee

Dear Santa,
I want to get a hello neighbor and I want to get cuphead the game. I would also like to get some pokemon cards. I also want a football and hot wheels toy car. I have been really good at school.
Sincerely,
Robert

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year! I would really like and American Girl doll. I think I really deserve this gift and here is why, First of all, I do my homework, and I ben listening when my mom tells me to take a bath.
Sincerely,
Janet

Dear Santa,
I want a pop it toy. I also want a barbie doll to play with in addition I'd like easy books to read at home.
Sincerely,
Yolanda

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year. I would really like to have a doll and a magic tree housebook. I think I really deserve those gifts and here is why. First of all I fold my blankets every day. In addition I watch my baby brother last of all I sweep the floors. Now I hope you can get me those gifts for Christmas.
Sincerely,
Alyson M.

Dear Santa,
I have a pop it. I would also like a dragon and toy ball to play with at home.
Sincerely,
Koby

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year! I would really like to have playdo. I think I really deserve this gift and here is why. I have been doing a lot of chores. I have also helped with laundry. I also make my bed and have good grades at school.
Sincerely,
Francisco

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year! I would really like to have a baby kitten. I think I really deserve this gift and here is why. First of all I do my chores. In addition I help my mom with dishes. Last of all I help my brother.
Sincerely,
Patsy

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I would like a stuff bear and I would like a squishy. I also need books to read that are fun.
Sincerely,
Jayden

Dear Santa,
I have been really good this year! I would really like to have a hot wheels city and Minecraft lego set. I think I really deserve these gifts and here is why. First of all, I help do chores all the time, second of all, I help watch my baby sister every day. Last of all, I have good grades at school. I hope you can get me these gifts.
Sincerely,
Jorge

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I would like some barbie dolls for Christmas. I also want an LOL surprise doll and barbie doll.
Love,
Destiny .

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want an iPhone 13 and ear pods for the phone. I also want \$80 for Christmas.
Love,
Angel T.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. For Christmas LOL doll. I want necklace too.
Love,
Yaneth A.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want an Alex plushy and clothes. I also want a mis mise plushy.
Love,
Aniyah R.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year long. For Christmas, I would like a baby Yoda stuffed animal and a light up bouncy ball. I would also like some Anna and Elsa dolls.
Love,
Brynlee S.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want a stuffed kitty toy, squishies, and some Disney dolls for Christmas.
Love,
Vivianna

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year long. I would like a nerf gun and a spiderman plushy. I would also like a toy box.
Love,
Christian S.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want some slime, a race track and some paw patrol set for Christmas.
Love,
Jason R.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year long. I would like a stuffed animal cat and a unicorn. I also want a cake squishy for Christmas.
Love,
Suraya T.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I would like a Roblox coloring book. Hoop and basketball hoop and ball. I also want a spinner for Christmas.
Love,
Julio V.

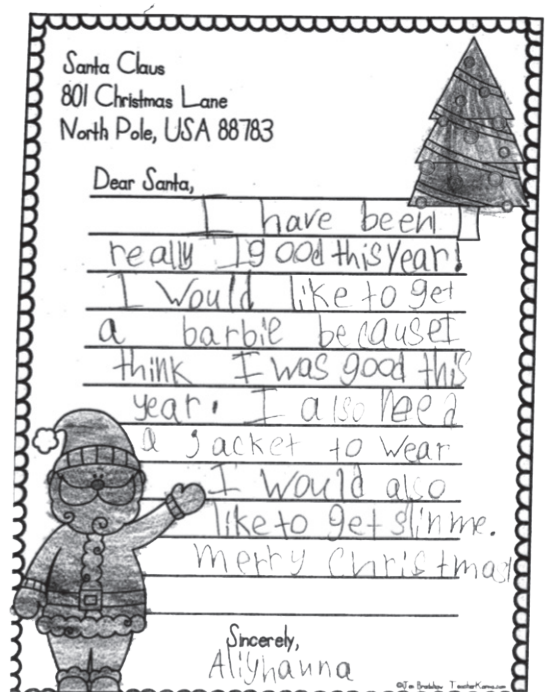
Dear Santa
I have been very good this year. I would like a skate board, a necklace and some toy story toys.
Love,
Body S.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I would like some air pods and a James Avery ring. I would also like to get my nails done.
Love,
Zayla E.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I would like a Barbie doll house and LOL dolls for Christmas.
Love,
Carla R.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year long. I want a Jordan shirt, a new Ipod and a new dinosaur backpack for Christmas.
Love,
Hunter

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want a Barbie doll house, 2 LOL dolls and some Barbies.
Love,
Audrey



Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want a Christmas Barbie house for Christmas.
Love,
Emalee R.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want a skate board an Iphone 12 and a scooter for Christmas.
Love,
Nathaniel S.

Dear Santa,
I would like a remote control car a phone and a batman toy for Christmas.
Love,
Luis V.

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I want blingers and I want a scruff a luv cute cuts. I also want a nail spa.
Love,
Madison K.

Dear Santa,
How are you? How is Rudolph and the other reindeer? I would love to have a puppy because mine died. I would also love to have a gaming handset because mine broke. I would also like for my grandma to fell better from he bones on Christmas day. I was also wondering how is Mrs. Claus? I've also wondered how do you get through the chimney without getting burned? I know you, the elves, and Mrs. Claus are really busy getting ready for Christmas. So I am not going to take any more of your time and let you go. I hope you have a Merry Merry happy holly jolly Christmas this year! See you on Christmas day big guy. I left cookies for you do not worry.
Love,
Angelina M.

Dear Santa,
What's up and how's it going up there? Also I've been meaning to ask you, does my elf on the shelf talk about me? How do you deliver all those presents in one night? What caused Rudolph to have a glowing nose? Alright Santa the first thing I would like is a hover-1 hoverboard pro. I would like this because it can go fast and I can ride it in the house instead of walking. The second thing I would like is a hoverboard attachment to make the hoverboard go kart. I would like this because it can turn that hoverboard that I asked for into a rocket and it will make it go faster. Which would be most fun. The last thing I want is a keyboard because I can play it and make some good music, I would really like to have all the things I asked for. Alright Santa, Well Christmas is almost here and you got all those presents to deliver so I'm gonna let you go.
Sincerely,
Avery M.

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa, may I ask you a few questions? One of my questions is how are your reindeers? Another question that always made me wonder was what if some houses don't have chimneys, how do you get in? If you could please get me a white cat for Christmas because my father really wants a white cat. Another thing that I would love on Christmas is for it snow because we can make snowangles, snowman and drink hot chocolate. The final thing I would love for Christmas is all the third grade teachers to have an awesome Christmas and they stay safe. Well thanks so much for reading my letter and I know that you are very busy so I'll stop right here.
Sincerely,
Adriana T.

Dear Santa,
I would like to know how you and Mrs. Claus doing. I was wondering what your favorite holiday is. How do you get into houses that don't have a chimney? For Christmas I would really like an Xbox because my dad got rid of ours so he could get a PS5. I would also really like some new clothes to keep me comfy and cozy at all times. The last thing I would really like for Christmas is a box of mini brands and the mini brands grocery set. I think it would look really cool in my room. I hope you have a jolly Christmas.
Sincerely,
Leilah M.

Dear Santa,
Hello and Merry Christmas! How are you and what are you doing right now? You're probably looking over all the Christmas letters you've been getting. I hope Mrs. Claus and you are having a good time. Say how are they elves doing? Well lets get to the point of this letter, I'm going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I would love if your got me a Roblox action figure. I would like this item because not only does it come with an action figure, it also comes with a free virtual item! I would also enjoy it if you got me some video games for my Nintendo switch, at the moment I only have 4 and I really want more. I would also really like a Roblox gift card because everybody needs more Roblox! Well thank you for taking time out of your day to read this. Well I really hope you have a good day.
Sincerely,
Cynthia P.

Dear Santa,
How have you been? I wonder how old you are? Another question I have is how is Mrs. Claus? First I a gonna ask if you could get my sister a car. She needs a car because she needs a car for work and getting around. She's been asking for a long time. My second thing I would like is to give homeless people gifts or food, whatever would help them. My last thing I would like for Christmas is for my brother to have the most expensive graphics card and a better PC to fit the graphics cards in. This is my time to say goodbye.
Sincerely,
Zane C.

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Dear Santa,
I always wondered how do you go through hot chimney on Christmas night? Then I had another question. What is your favorite holiday, because I know your favorite holiday wouldn't be one you work on. My last question is how is everyone down there in the North Pole? I hope they're doing marvelously Santa. I would love for my mother to see and be happy. She is blind and sometimes things can be hard for her. Then and when she was young she was diagnosed with depression. Another thing I would like is a book, a transformers book. I really love reading and Transformers. My favorite character is Starscream. One last thing I would like is for my brother to be healed as he was in an accident last year. Thank you for listening Santa. Tell Mrs. I said "Helle".
Yours Truly,
Chole M.

Dear Santa,
How are the elves. Can I have a jeep truck for my mom she wants one. She wats I when we go on trips. And I want a iPhone 12 can you get it for me so I can text my family. And can I have a pair of hey dudes so when I go to nice place I can wair them.
Sincerely,
Brayden G.

Dear Santa,
Santa, how do you go in the house if there is a lock? How are your elves? Can I please have Roblox for me and my sister because we play together and it would be fun to have. I would also like a new house because I want my own, my sister and I want a cane corse puppy because I want to have fun when my sister goes to Austin. Thanks for listening.
Sincerely,
Mia R. T.

Dear Santa,
How do you get around in one night? How is Mrs. Clause? I really like a big jeep for my mom because she lost hers. I would like some art supplies because I love. I really like PJ Mask toys for bubbie because he loves to play with them. See you soon.
Love,
Harley S.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Monster truck, the Paw patrols vehicle play set and a spiderman toy for Christmas.
Love,
Leo R.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Minnie Mouse bean bag, the Minnie Mouse kitchen set and a Surprise Kitty Cat Camper for Christmas.
Love,
Aliyah C.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a remote control car, a Robotic Dinosaur and the Play-Doh Lava Bones Island for Christmas.
Love,
Armando C.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Monster Truck, Beyblades Battle Set and Legos for Christmas.
Love,
Dallas M.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year.
I would like Legos, a Monster Truck and a PJ Mask toy for Christmas.
Love,
Kaden J.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like the Paw Patrols City Tower, PJ Mask Battle and a Lego Batman Car for Christmas.
Love,
Travis S.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like some Play-doh, a Paw Patrols Desk/Chair and a Play-doh Kitchen set for Christmas.
Love,
Aulani V.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like the Gabby's dollhouse, Gabby's fgures and a Paw Patrol Easel with art supplies for Christmas.
Love,
Brintleigh T.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Minnie Mouse Bean bag, a Laugh/Learn Chair and a Paw Patrol Easel for Christmas.
Love,
Camelia R.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like the L.O.L Surprise, O.M.G. House, a doll house and the Minnie Mouse Fun Kitchen toy for Christmas.
Love,
Emery U

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Crayola Fun Easel, a Minnie Mouse Bean Bag and a Paw Patrols Desk/Chair for Christmas.
Love,
Hadley P.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Disney Princess Vanity, a Hot Wheels Monster Truck and a baby doll for Christmas.
Love,
Jocelynn C.

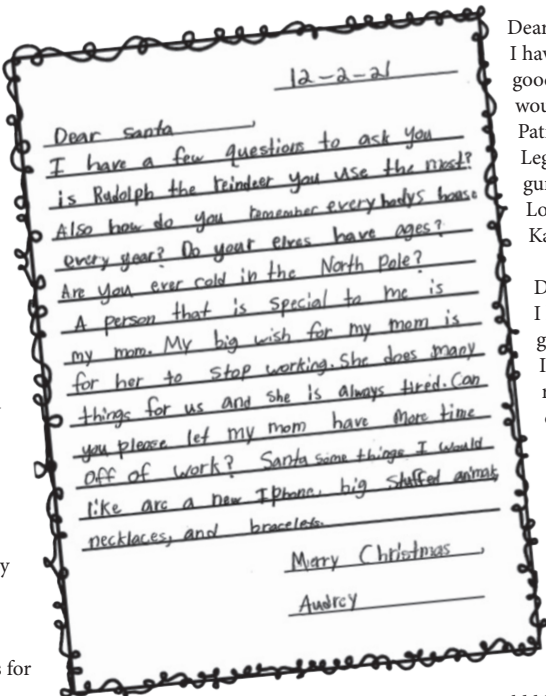
Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like the Gabby's Dollhouse, a board game and a Minnie Mouse kitchen set for Christmas.
Love,
Leighton L.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a baby doll, my Little Ponies and a Disney Princess Vanity for Christmas.
Love,
Yareli M.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like spiderman toys, a Spiderman blanket and a Spiderman jacket for Christmas.
Love,
Bradley R.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Bluey Caravan, a Spiderman toy and Baby Shark Bean bag for Christmas.
Love,
Bentley W.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a remote control car, Cocomelon School Bus and Legos for Christmas.
Love,
Elias M.



would like my very own
toy elf, puzzles and a remote control race car for Christmas.
Love,
Moises R.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Hot Wheels Monster Truck, a Transformer toy and Legos for Christmas.
Love,
Owen P.

Dear Santa,
How have you and Mrs. Claus? How are your elves? May I have a hover board please because I used to have one, but I lost it. I would like a tablet because I used to have one but I accidentally broke it. Santa may I have a Nintendo Switch because I never had one before. I hope you and Mrs. Claus have good Christmas.
Sincerely,
Jessical L.

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? How are your elves? Santa, I would please like to have an Adidas hoodie so I can stay warm during the winter. I would like to have a play station with LED lights, a controller, and a Madden game so I can play with my cousins. Santa can I please have VR headset with a gaming chair so I can entertain myself when my phone doesn't work. I hope you have a great Christmas. I will set out milk and cookies for you.
Sincerely,
Grady P.

Dear Santa,
How have you been? How is Mrs. Claus? May I please have white Air Pods because I lost my brothers Air Pods in an accident. May I also have a purple plat pot because my mom needs a pot for her big plant. May I have a winter blanket because winter is next month. I will leave you cookies and milk on Christmas Eve.
Sincerely,
Isabel

Dear Santa,
How have you and Mrs. Claus been this year Santa? How are your elves and reindeer? I would like a computer because I can watch You Tube with my little brother and big brother. May I have an Apple watch so in case I leave my Iphone in the house people can still call me. May I have an Iphone 12 for Christmas so I can call my family and friends. I hope you have a great Christmas a the North Pole, and I hope you stay warm. I well put out cookies and milk for you.
Sincerely,
Analeigha

Dear Santa,
How are Rudolph and Mrs. Claus? When Christmas is here I will leave you milk and cookies. May I have a VR headset because it's a virtual reality headset and it will be fun to play. I would like a puppet maker because I would like to start a puppet collection. I would also enjoy a Hamination plush because Hamination is my favorite You Tuber. Have a great day at the North Pole.
Sincerely,
Wyatt G.

Dear Santa,
I just wanted to know how your elves and reindeer are? How are you and Mrs. Claus? May I please have an Apple computer for Christmas because if I'm homeschooled I can see what I have to do and see what I haven't done. What I want for Christmas is shoes because I need shoes for PE. I would also like clothes because I need clothes and a jacket for school and for going out. I will leave you cookies and milk.
Sincerely,
Yessenia D.

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph doing Santa? Is Mrs. Claus doing ok Santa? May I have a VR headset please because it is really awesome. May I please have an iPhone so I can text my dada or my mom if anything happens? Please can I have a playstation to play with my dad or my sister? Have a great day Santa.
Sincerely,
Jason R.

Dear Santa,
I wish you a Merry Christmas and I hope you have fun bringing joy to all of the kids. I hope all the kids love your presents and the nice stuff you bring them. I would like a toy jumpy ball so my cousin and I can play with them. I would like a box of blocks and I want them so I can make amazing things. I would also like a box of fidgets because everyone has them and I don't. I'm leaving cookies for you Santa so you will have good luck.
Sincerely,
Aidean M.

Dear Santa,
I just wanted to know how Mrs. Claus is doing? How is Rudolph? May I have an Apple computer so I can wach You Tube with my little brother? I would like an iPhone 12 so I can call my dad, mom and friends. I would like a car for my dad, stay warm and have a great trip. I will put out cookies and milk for you.
Sincerely,
Juliana

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Did you have a great summer? Are you ready for giving presents to kids? What I would like for Christmas is a Hoover board because my friends have them and I don't. May I have a remote control car because my brother broke mine. I would also like a VR headset so I can play with my family. I hope Rudolph is ready for Christmas. I'm going to leave you some cookies and milk and carrots for Rudolph. I hope you have a nice trip.
Sincerely,
Jose C.

Dear Santa,
How have you and Mrs. Claus been this year? How is it going in the North Pole with the reindeer? I will leave you milk and cookies. May I please have a dog so I can play with it. I would also like some tennis shoes to wear to school. Can I please have clothes too so I can wear them places. Be careful when you come to my house, and thank you for the gifts you gave me last year.
Sincerely,
Danyella T.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus? Is she doing fine? I hope that you're doing fine too. Are there only 16 elves? Does Rudolph still help you with he Christmas sleigh? May I please have a dog because I have another dog that needs a friend. I would like to have an Iphone 12 for Christmas because my phone is cracked on the sides. Can I have my own room for Christmas? I would like to have my first room for myself for Christmas. I hope you have a jolly Christmas this year.
Sincerely,
Briella

Dear Santa,
How's it going Santa? We might leave you some cookies and milk. Please can I have Minecraft dungeons for Nintendo Switch because I like it and want to play more Minecraft. I would like some Minecraft Legos because I've been wanting to play and build with them. May I also have a toy bow and arrow set because I've been wanting to shoot with them. I hope you have a good Christmas.
Sincerely,
Kason

Dear Santa,
I hope you and Mrs. Claus are doing well. I can't wait until Christmas! I would like a Nintendo Switch because I want to play with my cousin. I would also like some fidgets so when I get stressed I can play with them. One more thing I would like an Apple watch so I will match my cousin. I hope you have a nice Christmas.
Sincerely,
Natalie M.

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? How are all the reindeer? May I have an art book because I like to draw. Can I please have a Magic 8 ball because I want something to answer my weird questions. I would also like to have a Rubix Cube because I want to solve something when I have nothing to do. Thank you for all you've done for everybody in the world.
Sincerely,
Dalilah

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? How are your reindeer? Santa, may I please have a VR headset to play VR games on? I would like to have an orange game chair to sit in so I'm comfortable when I play my games. I would also like to have a computer to play cool games on. I hope you have a great time at the North Pole Santa and Mrs. Claus. Have a safe trip too.
Sincerely,
Wyatt K.

Dear Santa,
How is it in the North Pole? How are all of your reindeer? Please may I have an Xbox because I had never had one before to entertain myself. I would like to have a Nike Hoodie because they are really comfortable. I would also like to have a new puppy because they are really cute and play outside. I hope you have a safe trip this Christmas.
Sincerely,
Hayden

Nixon-Smiley Elementary School

Dear Santa,
Hello! How is Mrs. Claus? I would like a toy of Pika-chu, Pokemon cards, the Bible lava slime and a Rubik cube for Christmas. My little brother wants race cars for Christmas. Guess what? My little sister was barely born but when she get older. I want her to have a doll. My mom and I have set up a white Christmas tree and it is four feet tall. I will stay at my house for Christmas. I will leave you and Mrs. Claus some cookies and milk and some carrots for your reindeer.
Love,
Michael

Dear Santa,
Hello? How are you and Mrs. Claus? What kind of cookies do you like? What does Rudolph like to eat? I have been a good boy all year. My sister loves ponies so I wanted to get her a toy pony. My brother loves Lego Spider-man so can you get that? I want Pokemon cards and a Pokemo notebook so I can put my cards in. Have a Merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
Alonzo

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you? I would like to know how Mrs. Claus is doing, and I would also like to know how Rudolph is doing as well. I want LED lights, fidgets, a playstation, a Nintendo Switch, LOL, OMG Dolls, bead and rubber band bracelets, Littlest pet shops, Arts and crafts, I phone 13, Junie B, Jones books, Mittens, scarves, Pokemon cards, Pokemon journal, Pokemon pencils, and a Pokemon blanket. Have a Merry Christmas.
Love,
Naomi

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy this year. I know I can only get one thing, but really want more than one thing. I would like an ipad but I want to buy my brother a PS4, but I don't have enough money. So I was hoping you were able to get enough money so I can buy him a PS4. Do you think the elves could make those two things I want? I sometimes make good grades and I listen. Merry Christmas.
Love,
Damian

Dear Santa,
How are you and the elves? How is Mrs. Claus? How is Rudolph? Does he like carrots? I might give him some. Well has he been a good boy? I really want to go on a trip. Maybe to Disney Land. Please Santa! I have been waiting to go. Me and my brother want to go. Please! I hope you have a good Christmas. Also, thank you for the elf.
Love,
Arriana

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you? How is Mrs. Claus and the elves? Are the reindeers OK? What's your Christmas plans? I am planning on hanging out with my family. This year I would like my family to get something. For my mom, some kitchen supplies, my dad, some tools, Sam, a new real car or truck, Jose, a new iPhone and I would like a guitar, a iphone, LED lights, a PS5, and figets. Thank you. Merry Christmas.
Love,
Clarissa

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you? Santa, I have been getting good grades at school and I've been working hard. I have been nice this year. Santa do you think you could get your elves to make me these things. I would like a bike, Mincraft lego set, and money. The reason I want a bike is because the one I used to have was stiff even when we put oil on it. I want a Minecraft lego set because I love Minecraft and I only have one Minecraft toy. I want money because theres been these lego sets at the store that I've been wanting. Santa, I hope you have a Merry Merry Christmas.
Love,
Freddie



Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you? I am doing great! My name is Hadlee and I'm 9 years old. How is Mrs. Claus? How are the elves? Also how is Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer? I hope he is doing great! I have so many questions! Do you have a dog? Can you make a toy airplane or helicopter? I love my brother, but I keep breaking his on accident. Can you bring my family some fidgets? I was also wondering if you could bring my sister a new pair of pants because hers were ruined from paint. For Christmas, I would like a Barbie with accessories, some jewelry, and also some new clothes for myself. Thank you so much! Merry Christmas!
Love,
Hadlee

Dear Santa,
How are you? I feel like I have been good this year. When I wake up I look for Mr. elf to see what he has been up to. I would like some art supplies and some cool fidgets. I also would really like 4 tickets to Disney. I would pay for them but I don't have the money, so if you could help me out I would appreciate it. I will leave out some milk and cookies for you and some carrots for your reindeer. Thank you and Merry Christmas.
Love,
Karsyn

Dear Santa,
Hi! Hello! I just wanted to know how everyone was doing? Sadly, I can't ask for a lot because my family and I are going on a trip. So, I would like 2 Little Live Pets, the blue and white birds please?
Also, my sister and I were talking a I overheard her say that some new string would be nice. My dog would maybe like a new chew toy.
I have been a good girl this year. So if I could get these few things, that would be awesome. Thank you.
Love,
Kinsley Loer

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you? My name is Zayden and I am 8 years old. I was wondering how Rudolph was doing. I wish I could see him this year. For Christmas I would like an air soft gun and an Infinity cube. I would also like a necklace, a PS5, and a phone. I like takis stix too. I hope you can get my little sister some barbie dolls. I hope you have a merry Christmas. I will leave you some cookies and milk. The reindeer will have a treat waiting too!
Sincerely,
Zayden

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Claus? This Christmas I am going to stay with my mom for half of the month then I am going to my dad's and step mom's. We are going to Missouri to see the park light. This Christmas I would like an Infinity cube, Littlest pet shops, fidgets, popits, a flip phone and an Elf on the shelf. Finally, I have big news for you, my mom is pregnant with a girl, Elayla, my littlest sister. My nana past away and my sister (Jasmine) is doing great. She is in Kinder. I am in 3rd grade. Have a jolly Christmas.
Sincerely,
Lillian

Dear Santa,
Hello. I hope ya and your reindeer are doing good. I have been a good boy. This year I would like liquid motion bubbler, nanole of light, LG nano cell for Christmas. My name is Donavin. I am going to Arizona for Christmas. Have a good Christmas and I hope your elves and reindeer have a good Christmas. I got student of the month. I am doing good in school I have been nice to my friends. I'm a Mighty Mustang. I will write you next year.
Sincerely,
Donovin

Dear Santa,
How are ou and the reindeer? This year for Christmas I would like a Greniola GX. I hope my mom can get a Blastoise Vmax and a pikachu Vmax for my dad. My older sisters wants some legos and my other sister asked for a new phone case. Thanks Santa and Merry Christmas!
Love,
Colt

Dear Santa, I think I have been good this year. For Christmas, I would like to get my brother a PS5 and I would like for my sisters and my brother to get along better with me. I hope to get a phone some Air Force ones, and nano light. Have a Merry Christmas!
Love,
Sebastian

Dear Santa,
Hello, How are you! I am doing well. I have been a good girl. School has been good, the teachers and principal are very nice. I would like a miny backpack, clothes and a purse for my dolls and some clothes for me. I also wanted to see if my brother could get an rc car and Ipad. I will have cookies and milk for you and some carrots for your reindeer. Thank you and I hope you and I hope you have a safe trip.
Sincerely,
Natasha

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am doing great! I just wanted to ask you for a few things. I'm being good in school si I wanted your elves to make me these things. I really want some Littlest Pet Shop. Could you surprise me with some custom made LPS Please? My puppy Coco would like puppy toys. I also like some LES Play houses. The last thing I want is a cocker spaniel LPS and any other LPS toys youd like to surprise me with. Thank you! Merry Christmas.
Love,
Bella

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you? How is Mrs. Claus? What about the reindeer? I would like to ask for a few things. I hope to get an air soft Ar 9, lave lamp a drum set. I have been nice to my friends and also to my brother. I will leave some cookies for you and some carrots for the reindeer. Have asafe trip to the North Pole.
Sincerely,
Kameron

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you Santa? How are the reindeer? What is your favorite king of cookie? For Christmas I would like a Chief football with a Patrick Mahomes jersey. I have been a good this year. I have a baby brother and I would like to get him a paw patrol blanket. I will leave cookie out four you and carrots for the reindeer. Have a safe trip to the North Pole!
Sincerely,
Brycen T

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a gta5 game, a Minecraft game, a Roblox card, a new backpack and some Nike shoes, pants and socks. Merry Christmas! Have a happy time traveling to the North Pole!
Your Friend,
Liam

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you doing? I am doing! My name is Jacob and I am in 3rd grade. I have been very good this year. I always help my mom and dad. Can you give my dad new tools and a nice black hat? For my mom can you give a new apron? I would also like for my brother to get a PS5. For my myself, I hope to get a new T.V. and a Miles Morales game? I hope you have a Merry Christmas.
From,
Jacob

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you doing? I am doing great! My name is Cali and I am in 3rd grade. I would like to know how the elves are. How Mrs. Claus is. How is it going at the North Pole? I hope I am on the good list. Sometimes I help my mom and my sisters. I do chores and sometimes I help my grandma and grandpa. What I want for Christmas if for my dad to come home from New Mexico and spend Christmas with us. Have a great Christmas Santa?
Sincerely,
Calissa D.

Dear Santa,
Greetings! How are you? I am doing great! How are Rudolph and the rest of the reindeer. I was wondering if you like pizza and books? What about cott on candy? What do you like to do for fun? I like to go hunting and play video games. I have been trying to be good because I would like a video camera for Christmas and a PS4 controller for my dad. I wish you a Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Noah

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are thing at the North Pole? I am doing great! How are the reindeer? What about Mrs. Claus and the elves? For Christmas I would like a few things. I have been a good girl and have tried really hard in school I would like a Harry Potter wand, an ipad, a bean bag, a stuffed animal and a beanies and some play-doh. Thank you and have a Merry Christmas!
Love,
Alyssa

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you doing I am doing great! My name is Crystal. I go to school at Nixon-Smilely Elementary. How are the elves doing? Do they work? I hope they are doing great! I have been a good student at school and I'm also kind to everyone. I would like for everyone in my family to get a new jacket. I would also like a new ipad to share with my brothers and sisters. Thank you! Have a merry Christmas!
Love,
Crystal

Dear Santa,
My name is Raul. I've been a good boy this year. For Christmas I want a toy drone, a PS5 with a new game, a laptop, some legos and a phone. Have a merry Christmas!
Love,
Raul

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? I am doing great! How are the elves? And what ab out your reindeer? I hop everyone is well. I have been good in class and I always like to telp my friends. For Christmas I would like a fast RC car and big truck, a Roblox gift card, a playstation, and a pair of Air Jordan shoes, 4 or 5. I hope you have a Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Armani

Dear Santa,
My name is David. For Christmas I would like a go-cart and a monster truck. I hope you have a Merry Christmas!
Love,
David Z.

Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you doing? How is Mrs. Claus and the reindeer? My name is Ryan and Im 9 years old. I am writing to you to let you know that I think I've been a good brother this year. I have been trying really hard all year long to be nice to my brother. I was hoping to receive a v-by card to redeem for my fortnite game.
Sincerely,
Ryan

Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl because I take my dog to potty and I clean the dishes at home. I read my books at school. How is your wife? I would enjoy a smark K so I can call my parents. I would enjoy also play games on the Smartwatch. Have a safe trip and stay warm?
Love,
Gethsemane

Dear Santa,
My name is Gael. I have been good at school. I get good grades. Have your reindeer been good? I would like a PS5 so I can play games with my brother. I would like a smart wath so I can call mymom and dad. I would like a Nintendo switch. I would like to play Mario Kart on the Nintendo Switch. Have a safe trip!
Luv,
Gael

Dear Santa,
My name is Jayden. I have been a good boy. I help my mom with holding the baby. I would like a Nintendo Switch but if you can not get the Switch. I want a drone. I want pokeman cards and a pokeman book. What cookies do you like? I will leave you a cup of white milk.
Love,
Jayden

Dear Santa,
My name is Dustin. I have been getting good grades at school. At home I have been good listening to Nana. I would like a PS5 so I can play in my rom. I want a phone because I want to play on it. What are your favorite cookies. I will leave some out.
Love,
Dustin



Dear Santa,
How have you been? Thank you for the gifts last year! I do like them. Can I tell you the gifts I would really like this year? I would really like a PS4 because I never had one and I would like to try it to see if it's great! The second thing I would like is a toy car with doors that open so I can drive it and put tiny people in it. I would also like a Spiderman for my PS4 so I can have fun playing it. Have a gret Christmas and I will leave cookies for you.
Sincerely,
Jorge C.

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer doing? How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? This year I would like a volleyball net and a basketball goal because I love playing sports and I am competitive. I would also like a new iPhone this year because my baby brother broke mine. I will also leave you milk and cookies this year. I hope you have a good Christmas.
Sincerely,
Reagan M.

Dear Santa,
How have you and Mrs. Claus been at the North Pole? Has Rudolph gotten bigger? Now I am going to tell you want I would like for Christmas. I would really love for you to p=bring me a new iPhone so I don't have to use my mom's phone anymore. I would also appreciate it if you brought me some new clothes because I need some new pants and some more basketball shorts for my dad's house. I would also really like foryou to bring me a PS4 because I am really bored after school and I need something to do after I am done studying. I can't wait to see you this year. Have a good time delivering presents and have a safe trip.
Sincerely,
Sabriah F.

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa? Is the snow really cold in the North Pole? Is Christmas your best time of the year? I would really like a PS5 for Christmas because my family doesn't have enough money to buy me one. It's cool because I never had one for my brother and me. I would really like an iPhone 13 for my brother because he doesn't have a phone and an iPhone 12 for my dad because his is broken and old. You are the best Santa.
Sincerely,
Neyto

Dear Santa,
How are you this year? How are Mrs. Claus and the Reindeer? This year I wanted to ask for a couple of things. First I would love for you to bring me some nice, warm winter clothes for school because I don't have any. Next I would like a black and white girl baby bunny with food for it because I am bored at the house when I get home from school. Lastly I really want a Nintendo Switch because I think it would be fun to play with my brother. Bye Santa. I hope you have good time in the North Pole. Merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
Anessa M.

Dear Santa,
How as your year? How is Mrs. Claus? I would like a Nintendo Switch for my brother because he thinks the games are fun to play. I would like a new bike because mine is broken. I would also like a new Nintendo Switch game because they are fun to play. I hope you have a good day Santa Claus.
Sincerely,
Aden R.

Dear Santa,
How are you doing in the North Pole? How is Rudolph doing and all of the other reindeer? I hope that they are doing well. Santa for Christmas I would love to have a football because my brother Acen and I can play football game. I would also love to get toys for my little sister because she has nothing to do but watch TV or play on her phone and she likes toys more. I would like to have an Xbox for Christmas because it will give me something fun to do. All I have to do is play on my phone and play outside with my dog. I hope that you have a Merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
Zain F.

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? What is it like at the North Pole? Santa, may I have a camera because I have never owned one before and I really want one. Could I please have anything for my mom because she has been going through a lot for the past days because she has to watch allof her kids and she also has to work all week. I really want a coloring book because I have colored all of the pages in mie and I really want new ones. Have a safe trip home.
Sincerely,
Aiyana S.

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? I hope good. How was last Christmas? I hope good. What I want for Christmas is a Nerf gun because I don't have one yet. I would also like our family to be here and for them to be happy because that happened last year and that was amazing. I loved it. May I have a Rudolph plush because Rudolph is an amazing character and reindeer. I will leave Rudolph a carrot or something because I know he likes veggies. Have a Merry Christmas Santa.
Sincerely,
Riley J.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus doing? I like how you are nice to kids and leave them a nice letter when theyleave you a nice letter. I would really like some boxing gloves because I have a punching bag hanging up at my house, and I would like to punch it with some gloves that my brother has but there to big on myfist. The second think I would like is some cologne because I want to smell good with my clothes. May I please have a basketball because the one I have is too little, and every time I bounce it the ball goes too high. I will leave you milk and cookies to enjoy for all the stops you make during the bet year of Christmas.
Sincerely,
Dallas

Dear Santa,
What is it like at the North Pole? How is your day going? May I have a video camera to make video? I will for everybody to be happy because I don't like when people are sad. I wish for Jordan because they look cool and I need a pair of shoes. I will leave some cookies and milk for you and Rudolph. I hope you have a great Christmas.
Sincerely,
John C.

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! How have you been? Thank you for the toys last year. I would like to have a Baby Shark toy because my baby sister loves Baby sharks and it would be nice to give a Baby Shark toy to my baby sister. I would also like a Samsung Galaxy Phone because I really want one and my dad said that I could ask Santa for one. May I please have a Minecraft Lego toy for my brother because he loves Legos and he has a collection. I know it may be a little cold over there, so stay warm. Have a good day Santa!!
Sincerely,
Gissel R

Dear Santa,
How have you been this year? What about Mrs. Claus? Have y'all been making a lot of gifts? Have the elves been good? What about the reindeer? Have they been training well? This year I would like a nail set because I would be happy to do my own nails at home. I will be happy if you will bring my mom a computer for Christmas. Please because she really needs it for school. I would also like a new big TV for my room because last year by sister broke it, so I will be really happy to get a new one. I hope you have a good trip back home to the North Pole. I would be happy if you said hello to all of the reindeer for me Santa.
Sincerely,
Graciela

Dear Santa,
How is the North Pole? Are you ready for this year? I would like it if you could bring me a scooter because I have never had one, and I think it will be fun to play with my cousins. May I please have a boke so I can ride it with my cousin. Can you bring me Kinetic Sand because I really want some to play with. I hope you have a safe ride delivering the presents. I am going to make sure that I have some cookies for you.
Sincerely,
Antziry E.

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa? I wanted to ask how are you and Mrs. Claus? Is Rudolph coming on the sleigh this year? How is the North Pole? I also wanted to ask how old is Rudolph? I wanted to tell you the things I would want and I hope you can bring them. I would like boots so I can work at my ranch. I would also like to have a PS5 for my sister and me so we can play if we get bored. Would you please bring me a iPhone 13 Pro so I can talk to my family If I can I will leave some milk and cookies for you.
Sincerely,
Roberto V.

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! How's your year at the North Pole? How cold is it at the North Pole because I don't know how cold it gets there? Santa I would like a PS5 because I never had one of those before and my brother broke my PS4. It would be nice if you bring me one. The second thing I would like to get is colorful L.E.D. lights because I would like to see what they look like in my room. The last thing I would like are Diary of a Wimpy Kid books because I like them and they make me laugh! Thank you Santa. I will make sure I leave cookies on a plate with a glass of milk on the table.
Sincerely,
Brandon

Dear Santa,
Did you have a good Thanksgiving? How is Mrs. Claus? For Christmas I would like to get Mini Brands because I never had them before and I want to be surprised with what could be inside of them. I would also want a Robux Gift Card because I can make a game to become a developer. I also would love to have a dog because my brothers don't play with me and I always get bored. Sometimes my brother gets mad. He needs something to calm him down. That's all I want for Christmas. I hope you have a good Christmas.
Sincerely,
Ashley C.

Dear Santa,
What are you going to do on Christmas? Have you been really busy? Santa I really would like my family and all of the teachers to have a good Christmas because they have been working really hard. I would like LED lights so I can leave the light in my room because my brother sometimes gets scared. I would also really love a new mic for my video gaming setup up stairs because sometimes the headset that I have the mic does not work right. Santa, I really like your reindeer Rudolph.
Sincerely,
David W.

Dear Santa,
Are you have a good day? How is Rudolph? I would like an eraser because I always lose mine. I would like a yo-yo so I can do tricks and play with it. I would like an orb magnet because it would be so cool. I would like a book about animals so I can learn about them. I would like a Dog Man book because they have lots of action. I hope you have a great Christmas.
Sincerely,
Peyton

Dear Santa,
Did you have a nice summer? How are the elves? For Christmas I would like a Roblox gift card because I love them. I would like some ripped jeans because I don't have a lot of ripped jeans. Have a nice Christmas Santa.
Sincerely,
Camila

Dear Santa,
How are you doing this year? I hope you are doing great. How are Rudolph and the others? I wonder what it's like at the North Pole? For Christmas I would like a puppy because I am always bored whenever I am at home. I would also like a kitty that is friendly and fluffy because I would like to play with yarn with it, some food and give it something to drink. I do not want them to fight with each other. I would like a hamster to because I want to build a home for it, play with it, watch it run on a circle, and feel it. I will take good care of the pets and make sure they are healthy. I would like presents and to have a nice day with my family. I hope you have a safe trip.
Sincerely,
Adeliz

Dear Santa,
How do you go around the globe? How is Mrs. Claus? May I please have all the Wings of Fire series with the drawings because I really love to read. May I have a hot tub for my friend so she can be warm. Her name is Emly Gonzales. May I also have a King Ghidoran with flexible heads and tails and wings because if my friend comes over we could both play with it. Keep up the good work!
Sincerely,
Sydney C.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus? Is my elf coming to my house? I would like for you to help people in need because they need it more than me. I also want a VR head set so I can play Monkey Tag. The last thing I want for Christmas is to spend time with my family for the holidays. See you soon.
Sincerely,
Sebastian C.

Dear Santa,
How are you? Am I on the good list? Santa may I please have Nna Nna Surprise Glam Series because they're so cute. Another item I would like is some Squishy toys because I saw a YouTube video with this girl who fixes broken Squishies and paints the. One more thing I would like for Christmas is an Alex,, Zach, Tade Slumber party plushies because I like their channel. Good luck Santa ho ho ho.
Sincerely,
Helena H.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus? Am I on the good list? How are the elves? I will really love to have a new phone case because my phone case I have now is old. I would like a pair of boots for Christmas because I don't have any have any boots that fit me anymore. I would really like some matching pajamas for my sisters because they don't have any matching pjs. I hope you and Mrs. Claus have a great Christmas! Good bye now. I know you and the elves have to work and I hope the reindeer are doing well.
Sincerely,
Cenaë' D.

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer this Christmas? Am I on the good list this year? May I have a blanket for my brother with his name on it because his birthday is coming up on the 21st. His name is Brayden. I also like a dirt bike for Christmas because me and my friend Kayden could ride bikes together. One more thing I will like is a phone because my old phone broke when I was riding my skateboard. I hope you and Mrs. Claus have a Merry Christmas this year!
Sincerely,
Christopher T.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus? How are you doing? Can I please have a blanket because it is to short and my sister always takes my in the night. Cold I have a stuffed animal I would like it to be a stuffed dog because I don't have a lot. Wold get my mom a makeup pallet because she likes make up. Have a good Christmas.
Sincerely,
Katrina

Dear Santa. How do you get around the whole world in one night? How is Mrs. Claus? For Christmas I would really like to get a VR headset because I would like to play video games with other people. One more thing I would like for Christmas is a computer because I would like to play mincraft. One last thing I would love is a pet parrot because they can fly and hang out with you. You now probably need to go say something to the kids. I hope you have a Jolly Christmas!
Sincerely,
Weston K.

Dear Santa,
Is Rudolf OK? I would like to see him on Christmas. I would like to see you because I want to give you cookies to eat. I would also like you to give my little sister some toys because she is my favorite sister. One more thing I want is a car because my brother and I could play with it. Have a safe trip!
Sincerely,
Jesus M.

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? What are you doing this Christmas? Can you please get me a cat because I would like to have a little buddy. I would also like it if you could get my sister a PS5. One more thing I would like is for you to get my little sister a Care Bear because she loves them! You and Mrs. Claus have a Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Nicole D.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus doing? How are the elves doing in the north pole? I want Air Pack Pros because my older brother don't share them with me. Can I please have a dirt bike to ride around with a dirt bike helmet in case I fall off the bike. Another thing I would like is a new blanket for my room because my dog has peed on my other blanket. The last item I would like is some money to help my mom because she lost her job. I hope you and Mrs. Claus has a great Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Alex(?)

Dear Santa,
How is your reindeer this Christmas? How is Mrs. Claus? Can I have an iPhone 11 because I have nothing else to entertain myself? Another item I would like is make up because I would like to practice putting it on. Finally can you please get my baby sister something good so she would not take my things. Please do not take my cup like last year and have a Merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
Arianna D.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus? How have your reindeer been? May I have an iPhone 13 because I need a iPhone for protection. I would also like Air Force Shoes because I need new shoes. One last thing I would like is a pet snake because it could entertain me. Have a Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Robert D.

Dear Santa,
Give me a Mickey Mouse Car, Disney Karoke Machine, Dollhouse and Dolls. I have been good because I like to share my toys with my friends at home. Thank you.
Your Friend,
Myah

Dear Santa,
Thank you, Santa for being nice. I'm a good boy. I like pick-up trucks and trailer trucks.
Your Friend,
Remington

Dear Santa,
I want a Lego Castle for Christmas. Also, a Wonder Lab and Champion Race Car. Thank you!
Your Friend,
Rustin

Dear Santa,
Give me Lego Batman Car, a Red Christmas Truck and K'Nex Toys.
Your Friend,
Weston

Dear Santa,
I want a Hot Wheels Monster Choppin mega Rex, A Hot Wheels Play set and a lego jeep Wrangler. I am going to buy my brother toys. He will steal my presents.
Your Friend,
Wyatt



Dear Santa,
Am I on the good list? How are the reindeers? I would like a PC4 to play with Mr. Frinds and a PS5 because my PS4 is broken. I would like a dirt bike that goes on gas because I can ride with myfriends. One more thing I would like for Christmas is a new phone because my phone is broken. I ant the iPhone 13 max. Have a good Christmas!
Sincerely,
Kayden P.

Dear Santa,
Thank you for Christmas presents! I would like some toys like a Minnie Mouse, a Jo-Jo bike and Honey Bee Acres Kitties. I have a sister too.
Your Friend,
Ava James

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. Please send me a Gas n go Mower, Home Kitchen, a jump and slide inflatable bouncer and a Bat Man. I like chocolates. My mommy likes gum.
Your Friend,
Brayden

Dear Santa,
I like lots of toys. Please give me Calico Cri hers, Baby Amusement Horse, and Country House and Stable.
Your Friend,
Hannah

Dear Santa,
I want a Bat mobile Go Car, a Razor light up Ripster and a Hot wheel Bike. I want motorcycles (10) to play with all my friends. I love you like cookies. I don't have a chimney, but you can come in my door.
Your Friend,
Jace

Dear Santa,
I would like Dinosaur Clothes, Robotic Dino, and Jurassic Tyrannosaurus Rex.
Your Friend,
Jorge

Dear Santa,
I am a nice kid now. Sorry for being bad. Please send me a Transformer Asteroid bot Walking Robot.
Your Friend,
Kanyon

Dear Santa,
Thank you, Santa, For my Barbie House and Barbies. Thank you – Thank you – for my babies and paint. I want you to give me a hug for Christmas.
Your Friend,
Kensie

Dear Santa,
I love chocolates. I love my sister. For Christmas I want a Christmas book, Medieval Castle, Batman and Spiderman Car. I love you Santa Clause!
Your Friend,
Lucas

Dear Santa,
Thank you for my Pumpkin and my Kitten. Please give me a Fur Real Sweet Unicorn, Rainbow Squeaky Balloon Dog and Playhouse.
Your Friend,
Maya

Dear Santa,
Hello, You're my friend. Can you bring me a Minnie Mouse, LOL Movie Magic Doll house and a Jo Jo bike. Thank you very much, remember candy – canes!
Your Friend,
Mia

Dear Santa,
I love you forever. Thank you for all of the food and the candy. Please give me a Disney Jr. Minnie Mouse Market, MGA Dream Ella Majestic Castle.
Your Friend,
Zayda

Dear Santa,
I want a "it's tricky toy,"
Love,
Erika A

Love Santa
Give me babies.
Love, Yessenia A

Dear Santa,
I want a lightsaber, treasure x monsters, and dinosaurs.
Love, Rylan B

Dear Santa,
I want a trampoline and a slip N slide. I want a lot of legos,
Love,
Geremy M

Dear Santa,
I want a monkey noodle and a fighter man (they fight crime).
Love,
Haigen C

Dear Santa,
I want a LOL, a cry baby doll, a pop-it, and a monkey noodle.
Love,
Elianna D

Dear Santa,
I want a mini brand, a FGTV toy, and a squid game.
Love,
Mia

Dear Santa,
I want a LOL and a cat.
Love,
Summer E

Dear Santa,
I want a bicycle, and a unicorn.
Love,
Aveline G

Dear Santa,
I want a peppa pig house and a pop-it.
Love,
Jonatan G

Dear Santa,
I want a LOL house, and a monkey noodle, and a squid game, and slime, and a Barbie dream house.
Love,
Kaziah J

Dear Santa,
I want a barbie house, a LOL, a car, and a peppa pig house.
Love,
Paisley

Dear Santa,
I want gold slime and a race track.
Love,
Cayden M

Dear Santa,
I want a pop-it, slime, LOL, JoJo doll, and a monkey noodle.
Love,
Aveline M

Dear Santa,
I want a Elsa doll, some pink play-doh, and a butterfly pop-it.
Love,
Kyleigh O

Dear Santa,
I love you Santa. I want a spiderman, a kitchen and big legos.
Love,
Henry O

Dear Santa,
I want a lightsaber Love, Haiden Dear Santa, I want legos and a pig, and a box.
Love,
Edgar

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie, a baby doll, and a bicycle. Thank you!
Your friend,
Allison

Dear Santa,
I want a dinosaur and a dinosaur bicycle. I love you!
Your friend,
Fisher

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie and a baby doll. I love you! Thank you!
Your friend,
Harper

Dear Santa,
I would like a Spider Man doll. Thank you!
Your friend,
Angelo

Dear Santa,
I would like a tablet and a Barbie doll for Christmas. I want a baby doll. I love you! Be safe! Thank you!
Your friend,
Kyah

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie for Christmas. Thank you!
Your friend,
Chevelle

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie house and a Barbie doll. Take care of your reindeer. Thank you!
Your friend,
Ily

Dear Santa,
I want a baby doll and a truck. Love you!
Your friend,
Raegen

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie toy , a baby doll, a vacuum, and a Barbie doll house. I love you! Thank you!
Your friend,
Eisley

Dear Santa,
Come and play with my cars. I want some boots, a dinosaur, and a truck for Christmas. Thank you! Be safe!
Your friend,
Daniel

Dear Santa,
I want a dinosaur and ice cream for Christmas. Te quiero! Gracias!
Your friend,
Mateo

Dear Santa,
I want dinosaur and choo choo. Thank you!
Your friend,
Karson

Dear Santa,
I want truck and a train. I want a bike too. Thank you!
Your friend,
Masen

Dear Santa,
Give me a robot and a toy car. Thank you!
Your friend,
Dax

Dear Santa,
Please, can you give me a toy car and a toy truck.
Your friend,
Cain

Dear Santa,
Give me make-up, an iphone, and a purple cup. Thank you!
Your friend,
Danika

Dear Santa,
Give me toys. I want Spider Man toys. I want Sisu. Thank you!
Your friend,
Lucas

Dear Santa,
My name is Lyndsey Hoffman. This year I have been Nice. For Christmas this year, I would like: fidget Toys, clothes, sensory books, iPad to communicate, Sound blocking headphones. Merry Christmas Santa!
Love,
Lyndsey

Dear Santa,
My name is Damian Rivera. This year I have been Naughty (but I can explain). For Christmas this year, I would like: Ultimate art easel w/art supplies, crocs, snacks, tablet or ipad, new clothes. Merry Christmas Santa!
Love,
Damian

Dear Santa,
My name is Miguel Barajas. This year I have been Nice. For Christmas this year, I would like: PS5, Elmo, toy Story, iPad, Phone. Merry Christmas Santa!
Love,
Miguel

Dear Santa,
My name is Jack Leck. This year I have been Nice. For Christmas this year, I would like: The Toy Story, Time Forgot, Charlie Brown Christmas, Story Gonchannel. Merry Christmas Santa!
Love,
Jack

Dear Santa,
My name is Edgar Garbs. This year I have been Nice. For Christmas this year, I would like: Toys, snacks, iPad/tablet, puzzles, play dough Merry Christmas Santa!
Love,
Edgar

Dear Santa,
I have been very good. I want a big stuffed unicorn.
Love,
Ava

Dear Santa,
My name is Marlene. Please bring me a tablet.
Love,
Marlene B

Dear Santa,
I want a dog and a book. I love you.
Jaren B.

Dear Santa,
My name is Emily. I want for Christmas is anything you give me.
Love,
Emily H.

Dear Santa,
My name is Isaac. I want a dog and a drone.
Love,
Isaac M.

Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas a robot and a scarf.
Love,
Carlos M.

Dear Santa,
My name is Avery. I want a Barbie Dream House.
Love,
Avery M.

Dear Santa,
I am 5 years old. I want a watch and a Barbie.
Love,
Chloe P.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kaylee. I have been very good. I love you.
I want a Barbie Dream house for Christmas.
Love,
Kaylee R.

Dear Santa,
I want a dirt bike for Christmas.
Love,
Dalan R.

Dear Santa,
I want a car.
Love,
Ian R. M.

Dear Santa,
I am 5 years old. I want a unicorn bike.
Love,
Yazmin S.

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I want a transformer.
Love,
Logan

Dear Santa,
I've been very good. I want a Barbie Dreamhouse.
Love,
Prestynn V

Dear Santa,
My name is Mariana. You quiero un perrito.
Querido,
Litzzy Mariana V.

Dear Santa,
I want some unicorn bubbles please. Thank you.
Love,
Scarlett C.

Dear Santa,
I want a big RC car and a phone.
Love,
Zachary S.

Mr. Forney's Kindergarten Class Santa Letters

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Carnage and Venom toy for Christmas.
Love,
Rhett B.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a doll house, hatchanimal, slipper unicorn, Care Bear, and Barbies with clothes for Christmas.
Love,
Dalanie W.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Baby-Alive for Christmas.
Love,
Avery P.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Marshmallow Christmas Tree stuffie, Care Bear Burrito, kitty stuffie, Hatchanimal, Pop-it bracelet, Space Jam stuffie for Christmas.
Love,
Mia D.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Batman and Spiderman toy for Christmas.
Love,
Nehemiah P.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Care Bear, fluffy jacket, stuffed animal, Hatchanimals, and a Baby-Alive for Christmas.
Love,
Avery M.



Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Marshmallow Christmas Tree stuffie, Batman, Spiderman, and Mine Craft stuffie for Christmas.
Love,
Alan D.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a phone, bicycle, Batman, and Spiderman for Christmas.
Love,
Blaze B.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Barbie doll, coloring book, and Playdoh for Christmas.
Love,
Aria T.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Barbie Dreamhouse Camper, new bed, and more Barbies for Christmas.
Love,
Razzi S.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Care Bear and more stuffed animals for Christmas.
Love,
Jaylynn P.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Spiderman and Batman toy for Christmas.
Love,
Aaron M.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Care Bear burrito, Care Bear, princess doll, and Crocs for Christmas.
Love,
Viridiana C.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Sponge Bob stuffie for Christmas.
Love,
Teal W.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like an Iron Man toy for Christmas.
Love,
Alfredo S.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. I would like an Xbox, phone, and Spiderman for Christmas.
Love,
Justice T.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a Minnie Mouse kitchen and a Barbie car for Christmas.
Love,
Analee R.

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Can I have my Elaf back please. Can I have some omges. Can I have some tween dolles. Can I have some clothes. Can I have some LOLs. Can I have a Lol grimhose. Can I have ear-rings.
Sincerely,
Aynsle

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. I believe that I love you and how is mrs. Clase. I want a football and a Gold ring, drte bike, and basketball shoes and football glufs, a new vizer, football, laptom, football book. Can I have a basketball. I can't want to see you.
Sincerely,
Anthony

Dear Santa,
How are you doing. Wat kind of cuceys do you look. I want a laptop ples. I would also like en ipod. I would like prfum. I want shoes. I would like a tadlit. I would like som erengs. I would want a bisiket ples. I can't wait for Christmas. Can I ples hav a new huverbord. Can I ples have abraslit. Have a grat flit. You're the best.
Sincerely,
Preslee

Dear Santa,
Hello Santa I relly want a cute cwolu and is it cold up at the north pol? And I would also want a labtop. Also can I have a deam house. For my brbeis. And the best present is God. I can't wat for Chrismis.
Sincerely,
Leah

Dear Santa,
What cooks do you like. I want four Chrismi is a squishi toy. And I would like a laptop. I want a strest dall. And I want shos too.
Sincerely,
Ariannylily

Dear Santa,
How are you? What kind of cookies do you like? I would like.
Sincerely,
Sara

Dear Santa,
Can I got a ninja turtle toy for Christmas. I like all 4 turtles. Thmk you.
Sincerely,
Jo

Dear Santa,
How are you? Can I get a Rudolf. I've been a good boy this year. For Christmas I would like a Lebron game and spiderman. Could I have a hot wheels car. I will leave you milk and cookies on the table.,
Sincerely,
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Dear Santa,
Can you get head phones for me. Can u come to my house please? Can u get books? Please and you are the best Santa ever. And can you get Fly Guy books please?
Sincerely,
Nathien

Dear Santa,
How are your deers doing. Can I please have a Baby Alive, pitcher of my dad and me. New shoes please. New clows. A new football, and earrings. Can I please have a Vides Games for me and my brothers please.
Good-bey.
Sincerely,
Karla

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa how are you do? Is it clod at the North pole. I wate a new I fone. I will like a sat dod. I will like a new par over shours. I like a new bed and will like a new jaden. I love you.
Sincerely,
Carson

Dear Santa,
Hello Santa? I want new shoes. I would like a barbies dream houe. And I also like a little houe. I will like a car for Barbies.
Sincerely,
Alondra

Dear Santa,
Do you and ruof like coole. Can I have allfish. I wshat a dress. Can I I have pred shoes. Can I heve a dog. I can't what for crinms.
Sincerely,
Nataly

Dear Santa,
What kind of cookies do you like. I want a hover-board and a entendo swich. I want a football and a laptop. Is Roodolph ok. I hope you have a safe trip.
Sincerely,
Gail

Dear Santa,
Howrain you Santa, Wkind of cocie do you like. A fins, I osi like a Popit, a astarah molldog, fhstak. I wat a nw bike, I love yuitr. I cet wat fore krismis. I will pill cocie and keris tore the raber.
Sincerely,
Mia

Dear Santa,
How are you? What kind of milk. I want a bonas. All I want a on shoes. A close A bol. Haf a grat day.
Sincerely,
Cashle gu

Dear Santa,
How are you? Hos is Mrs. Claus? Is the drees ok? I really want a laptop. I would also like new shoes. And dolls. And also and new earrings. Can I please have a stuff toy. Have a good flite.
Sincerely,
Paisleigh

Dear Santa,
Hi are you doing. I am a kid. I am lise to resy. I will like a trex and a tedoswich, then a bomiscre x. then the tooth back then then my good dad back a good shuse. Agon cloze. Then a pet for a new bed and a basketball.
Sincerely,
Kahnon

Mrs. Samford's Pre-K Class

Dear Santa,
I want a electric bike, a donkey for Peyton and a Sonic backpack and a Sonic toys that runs fast.
Love,
Brooklyn S.

Dear Santa,
I want an lpad.
Love,
Catalina S.

Dear Santa,
I want a bunny rabbit, a pink yoyo with lights and pink slime with stars. Mason likes cars and Lane likes X-Box games.
Love,
Kaylie M.

Dear Santa,
I want a purple yo-yo, a car I can ride in the rocks, a coloring book and a dog toy.
Love,
Casiana D.

Dear Santa,
I want a toy police car with people.
Love,
Christopher C.

Dear Santa,
I would like a real Sonic backpack, a Sonic lunchbox, an old Ninja turtle toy that they will never make again and Sonic shoes and jacket.
Love,
Aiden S.

Dear Santa,
I want a Sonic to sleep with and Sonic shoes with wings.
Love,
Leonardo C.

Dear Santa,
I want a computer and a Sonic phone.
Texas B.

Dear Santa,
I want a mean dinosaur toy.
Love,
Elias C.

Dear Santa,
I want creepy Sonic posters and a shotgun for my dad.
Love,
Carter H.

Dear Santa,
I want Spiderman Legos and a Hot Wheels truck. A wallet for my dad.
Love,
Raymond M.

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Dear Santa,
I want a toy truck from Wal-Mart. It's a Matchbox one, big and white. I didn't get any toys for my birthday.
Love,
Jesus R.

Dear Santa,
I want a princess toy and a bunny toy.
Love,
Alessia T.

Dear Santa,
I want a Spiderman toy, crayons and markers.
Love,
Ronaldo M.

Dear Santa,
I want a Mermaid Barbie, a toy train, jewelry and clothes.
Love,
Melina S.

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie doll, Barbie airplane and a play kitchen set.
Love,
J'Lynn P.

Dear Santa,
I want a Sonic Hedgehog toy, Popits and a dinosaur toy.
Love,
Ian R.

Dear Santa,
I want trains, blocks and Popits.
Love,
Landon K.

Dear Santa,
I want toys.
Love,
Rubi A.

Dear Santa,
My name is Landon. I am 4 years old. This year I would like a train.
Love,
Landon
P.S. The milk and cookies are for you, and the carrots are for the reindeer.

Dear Santa,
My name is Mason. I am 3 years old. This year I would like a trucks.
Love,
Mason
P.S. The milk and cookies are for you, and the carrots are for the reindeer.

Dear Santa,
My name is Liam. I am 3 years old. This year I would like paw patrol toys.
Love,
Liam
P.S. The milk and cookies are for you, and the carrots are for the reindeer.

Dear Santa,
My name is Clara. I am 6 years old. This year I would like dinosaurs.
Love,
Clara
P.S. The milk and cookies are for you, and the carrots are for the reindeer.

Dear Santa,
My name is Jan. I am 4 years old. This year I would like a sonic toy.
Love,
Jan
P.S. The milk and cookies are for you, and the carrots are for the reindeer.

Dear Santa,
My name is John. I am 3 years old. This year I would like puzzles.
Love,
John
P.S. The milk and cookies are for you, and the carrots are for the reindeer.

Dear Santa,
I want 5 hit at Freddy caractrs for Christmas. The figs r Freddy, Bonne, Foxeg and the bonus wun is Spregrtrap. I have bin gud.
Sincerely,
Angel

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. How are you? Is the North Pole cold now? I want a toy remote control. I want a skate board.
Merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
Ilyja

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa! I been a good boy. I want a toy car. And I want clother. Also a hover board, ear pod. Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Christopher

Dear Santa,
How are you? I've been very good. I would like more Barbie cloths and shoes jewelry. That boutique on devers phone. Can I have a phone. I want ear pods. Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Olivia

Dear Santa,
How are you? I have been good. I would like a book. I would like flip flops. Have a Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Alaura

Dear Santa,
I hope you like are cookies my mom made them for you santa. So I want \$100 for my mom and dad. I want a pc and it glows and it's pink. I want a mouse and it glows and it is pink. I want a phone that has flowers on the back and its pink.
Sincerely,
Chancidy

Dear Santa,
How are you? Is it cold at the North Pole? Christmas is my favorite holiday! Merry Christmas. I want a Play Station. I want a Rainbow high doll house. I want a phone. Have a good Christmas.
Sincerely,
Ally

Dear Santa,
Hi how are you? Is it cold at the North Pole? I will like a wild kratts 10 play set. I will like a bike.
Sincerely,
Gabriel

Dear Santa,
I was a good boy. I feed my dog. I help my mom. I want a Apple watch. I want a new I-phone. I want a puppy. I want a computer. Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Miguel

Dear Santa,
Hi how are you? I have been a very good girl. I would like a dress. I want a skirt. I want a rainbow high doll house. Have a Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Carleigh

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I wonder if you can give me a big toy. That is a den and a drone. I want a RC car. Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
O (?)

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. I want a phone. I want a laptop. Merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
Lily

Dear Santa,
How have you been? I've been good. Can you give me a bike an a LOL toy. Have a happy Christmas!
Sincerely,
Laura

Dear Santa,
I been very good. I would like some slime for Christmas. I would like a play-doh. Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Joselyn

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. The bag by mine and Emilys for our animals. I would like some slime. I want a secret suprise please. I hop you have a grat Christmas!
Sincerely,
Lillian

Dear Santa,
I wish a Max-D fire and el toracolo ice. I wish a super mario lego. I wish a lego. Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Martin

Dear Santa,
I wish for a lego Pikachu. I wish for a stuffed animal like a wolf. Big. I wish for a charizd pop. Stuffed Dinosaur of Bumpy. Happy Christmas.
Sincerely,
Elian

Dear Santa,
Hi how are you? Is it cold? I have been good this year. I want some boots for Christmas. I want a coat. Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Mia

Dear Santa,
Thayc you for my Christmas gifts. How is Rudolf. Can you gif me a outdoor playhouse, computer, and a big teddy bear. Thank you.
Love,
Grethe

Dear Santa,
I am going to make cookies for you. I would like Sonic and toy Chickapugea pet LOL, surprise toys.
Love,
Katherine

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolf Santa? I have been helpeen my mom. I would like a charzar toy plees. I would like a spino-soris toy plees and a robot Godzilla. I love you santa.
Love,
Noah

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa. I have been nice. Can I have a mini brands and Ryan toys and Pokemon toys. I love you Santa.
Love,
Elias

Dear Santa,
How are you doing Santa? I have been good in school. I would like for Christmas pop-its and a barbie playhouse and a swingset. I love you Santa.
Love,
Julianie

Dear Santa,
Thag you for my prest. How are you Santa? Can I have theGTAS game, Gecko car, and I Phone 7 case? I love you Santa.
Love,
Albin

Dear Santa,
Thank you for the pesonts. I have help my mom. I want anew book, a new bike, and new clothes. I love you Santa.
Love,
Gabriel

Dear Santa,
How ar you doing? I am gud at school. I will ples like color reveal barbie, Barbie Dream House, and a Mermaid color reveal. Thac you.
Love,
Mikaylah

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa? I was nice to my sist. Pleses can I get Nintendo Switch, hot wheels cars, clothes. Santa is amazing.
Love,
Yariel

Dear Santa,
Thank you for the presents and books. I help my friends in the class room. May I please have a baby alive grow with me and a gift card for Roblox on my card and a pair of glasses. Thank you. I love you Santa.
Love,
Cassie Jane

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa and Mrs. Claus? I been good today. Can I have a tent bed casle, LOL doll, and nerf gun please. Santa you are the amzing prsin. Thank you.
Love,
Mila

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolf and all of the other Reindeers and Mrs. Claus? And for Christmas I would like a Barbie surprise pels, a LOL van and Lol Howse. I love you Santa.
Love,
Tansy

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Claus? I have been nice to my brother. I would like a I pad, and baby yoda doll and stuffed fox animul. Thank you for my presins lasht year.
Love,
Tori

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa? I have been nice to my brothers and my sister. I would like a lol doll, a Minnie Mouse costume and phone. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Emma

Dear Santa,
How do you git across the wold in one nite? I have been triing to be nice. May I have Call of Duty WW II playset, and among us and Ninja swords toys. We have cookies for you at the dining room.
Love,
Evan

Dear Santa,
How is Dashyr? I have been nice. Would you get me a hover boord and care bears and Jumping haus? What dus the North Pole look like?
Love,
Aspen

Dear Santa,
Can I plees have a picture of all the randeer? I have been good. Can I plees have a Rc car, a hot wheels track, a display case for buckles. I hope you have a wundrl day.
Love,
Briggs

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa? I am nice to my sister. I want a drum set, a cleaning set and a toy robot. Thac you Santa.
Love,
Mason

Dear Santa,
How ar you Santa? I have been good. I want a Poke-mon, Sonic and a Fortnite game. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Jayden

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus? I hav been gud. I wot a hover-board and barbies, and popits ples. Thac you for my toys.
Love,
Lauren V.

Dear Santa,
How old are you? How many elves do you have? How many reindeers do you have? Santa can you please bring my mom a necklace. She works a lot and helps people in need. I wish for a hover board, fidget speeks, a magic kit and a popit.
Love,
Joe Angel

Dear Santa,
I wish my cousins a Merry Christmas. I hope I get to see you again. I would like a Scooter. May I have 150 dominos and 100 dollars. Do you get cold? How are the elves? How do you get warm and how old are you?
Thanks,
Mateo

Dear Santa,
How can the reindeer carry your sled and fly? Why do you live in the North Pole? What are the elves doing right now? I would like the game Madden 22 and a check deck finger skate board.
Love,
Bryson

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolf the red nose reindeer doing? Is he still in front of the other reindeer? Santa how do you get toys for Christmas? Santa how do you give present to the kinds in one night? May I have a football for Christmas? Santa may I also have a Dog Man book? I would like a bord game for Christmas so I don't get bored. Santa I really want the Empire State Lego building. I really like Legos. Thank you.
Sincerely,
Zamion

Dear Santa,
I have a few questions to ask you is Rudolph the reindeer you use the most? Also how do you remember everybodys house every year? Do your elves have ages? Are you ever cold in the North Pole? A person that is special to me is my mom. My big wish for my mom is for her to stop working. She does many things for us and she is always tired. Can you please let my mom have more time off of work? Santa some things I would like are a new iPhone, big stuffed animals, necklaces and bracelets.
Merry Christmas,
Audrey

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Are the elves sleeping? Hwo much do do you like Christmas? For Christmas I have one wish. I wish for my friend to have his own house because they live in an apartment. Santa may I have a gaming set up. I would also like shoes and pants. One more thing Santa, I would like no homework.
Love,
Brandon

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Claus? How hard to the elves work? How are you? Santa I have a special person in my life, my sister. Can you give her three wishes? The three wishes are she has good luck, happiness and has a good Christmas. Santa if you can, can I have an oculus. May I also have pants, shirts and a hat?
Sincerely,
Frederick

Dear Santa,
Why do you have to live in the North Pole? How are the elves doing? Am I on the good list? How old are you? Santa could you help my dad because he has a lot to do. He has to go to work a lot. He only stays with me for two hours. He always tells us what to do. Then he goes sleep until 5:30. Santa what I would like for Christmas is an Ipad that has a pen with it. Then I would like a new game for my PS5. I really want a cool game. Maybe a Mindraft game. Last I would like clothes and a toy husky puppy.
Love,
Viviana

Dear Santa,
I was wondering since Christmas is coming up if you could tell me what kind of cookies you like? Is it really cold over there in the North Pole? Do you have any evil elves that work for you? Do you really bring gifts for Christmas? Santa I know since Christmas is coming and I was wondering if you could bring me a phone, 2 big stuffed animals, unicorns, rings and necklaces.
Sincerely,
Adamis Ochoa

Dear Santa,
How many reindeers do you have? How many elves do you have making gifts this year? Also how many presents are you delivering this year? Santa I was hoping for Christmas you could bring me a toy jellyfish and turtle? Also if you can, I would like a bike too.
Love,
Cameron

Dear Santa,
How are you? How do you deliver presents overnight so quick? How do you survive the North Pole? Santa, there is someone I need to tell you about, my grandma. She works very hard to take care of me when my mom is not there. It's not fair how she has to do everything. So I decided to ask for three wieh for her. A new phone (since hers is broken), a teddy bear and \$50. My four wishes tht I would like for Christmas are a new computer, a lego set, \$100 (for family) and a Roblox gift card.
Sincerely,
Yaireliz

Dear Santa,
How are Buddy, Candy Cane and Sparkels? How are Mrs. Claus and Rudolf? Does Rudolf still have the red nose? Santa for Christmas I would like a VR head set, a new WWE ring lage, a lego Minecraft set and clothes for my elves.
Love,
Elijah

Dear Santa,
Santa how do you not get so cold living at the North Pole? How do your reindeer fly fast? Also, how old are your reindeer? Santa, could you help my mom. She does all the work at home. I was wondering if you could make things easier for her so she doesn't work so hard. Santa, I was hoping for Christmas you could bring me a fast Nerf gun, figets and Hot Wheels.
Thank you,
Aidnen

Dear Santa,
I was wondering how the elves are? How many toys have the elves made this year? How are and Mrs. Clause doing in the North Pole? Santa, someone that is special is my dad. My dad is special because he works nearly every day of the year and doesn't get to come home for a whole week at a time. I would like my dad to spend more time with my family and I and for him to be home 3 or 4 times a week. Anyway you could help with this Santa? For Christmas could you bring me a PS5 and 3 other things I would like are headphones, 8 footballs, and 5 gold chains.
Merry Christmas,
Jonathan

Dear Santa,
How old are you and your deer? How is Mrs. Claus? For Christmas I was wondering if you could bring my mom a back massager. She would like it. May I have a tablet? I would also like a toy Cobra, a slime set, and a Hot Wheels Monster truck.
Love,
Kristopher

Dear Santa,
How old are the reindeer? Does the Elf on the Shelf go to sleep? What did you do over the summer? Does the snow melt over there? Santa my mom and dad are spacion to me because they get me things when I need it. Could you bring them something for Christmas too? I would like an Xbox controller. If it's possible may I have a real monkey too? Also may I have a necklace with number 6 on it like my football number.
Love,
Kolin

Dear Santa,
How old are you? Are you a Mortou? Is it hard to deliver presents? My mom is special to me and I was hoping you could be sure to bring her something for Christmas. I would like robot that is like me and does everything I say. May I also have a lady bug in a bottle to have fun with?
Love,
James

Dear Santa,
How as summer for you and the elves? Also how many kids ask for gifts for Christmas? Santa my mom is special to me. She is nice and funny. Could you bring her new bed sheets because she spilt water on hers. For Christmas I would like the game Madden 22. I would also like a chain and read set.
Sincerely,
Jionni

Dear Santa,
How as your summer? How are the reindeers? Santa how are you doing? Santa my dad is special to me and for Christmas I would like if you could bring him some boots. He works hard. I would like a PS5, little simple dimples, pop its and a toy car.
Love,
Jaden



Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? How are Mrs. Claus and the elves? For Christmas Santa I would like to wish for my neighbor to be able to spend Christmas with her family. Also I would like a Guinea Pig and cage for Christmas. I would like all the LOL dolls. May I also have an American Doll?
Love you,
Maddison

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Are the reindeer doing good today? Do you like to read? For Christmas I would like a baby kitten. Also I would like a jump rope and some jewelry.
Love,
Azadae

Dear Santa,
Is your real name really Santa Claus? What do your elves do in the summer? Santa would you like a eat a salad more than a cookies? Is Rudolf's really red? For Christmas I would like a Hoover board. I would also Hawk Guy toy books, and shoes.
Love,
Albert

Dear Santa,
Do you have Pet? Do you have a car? Santa my mom is special to me because she works hard. For Christmas I was hoping you could bring her a new phone because hers is broken. As for me Santa I would like a big gator, the kind you drive. I would also like my own library with books to read.
Love,
Amy

Dear Santa,
How are your elves and reindeer doing? How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? My mom is special to me Santa and I was hoping you could bring her a coffee cup for Christmas. She drinks a lot of coffee. Santa I was wondering if you could bring a Play Station, some fidgets, shoes, and clothes.
Sincerely,
Carson

Dear Santa,
How are the elves? How was your summer? Santa a special person I have is my cousin. I would like you to bring her a tablet and new clothes because I care about her and she cares about me. For Christmas I would like a tablet so that I have something to play on. I would also like a sketchbook, an art kit and new clothes.
Love,
Kayleen

Dear Santa,
Is Mrs. Claus okay? Are the reindeer fine? Are the elves fine? Are you okay? Santa my mom is special to me. I would like you to bring her a bunny please. For Christmas I would like a pop it, Play Doh, and slime.
Love,
Ethan

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? Did your birthday already pass? Also how old are you? What did you do this summer? Santa, my dad is special to me because he works hard. He always work every day and night. If you know of a way for him to be off I would love it if you could help. I really need him to be home so we can go to Green Acres to have fun together. I would like a gator, the kind you drive. I would also like 50 fidgets and mini brands.
Love,
Haygen

Dear Santa,
What kind of cookies do you like the most? What is your favorite color? Blue, red or turquoise? What animal do you like most? Santa, I would like to ask for a bunny for my little sister. She has always wanted a bunny. I would like a small fake Christmas tree. May I also have a StingRay pillow, a blanket that fades from light blue to dark blue, and an ocean poster?
Love,
Jimena

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeers? Have any of your elves been touche by a human before? For Christmas I was hoping you could bring one of my friends a jacket and phone. Also I would like to ask for a pet snake. May I also have a soccer ball, art stuff and a jacket?
Sincerely,
Omar

Dear Santa,
I hope Mrs. Claus is doing okay? How are you and Rudolf? Santa my mom is special to me. I love her. One wish that I have for her is to get a new laptop. I would like Hot weels cars and a hamster.
Love,
Nico

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I hope your doing good. I was wondering if you could help my mom. She is really stressed because she has to go to work, cook and fix our floor and roof, it's just to much for her. Can you please help her? Santa do you like traveling across the world delivering presents? Where did you find Rudolf. How is Mrs. Clause? How is Frosty? Santa can I please have a baby brother because I never had a baby brother? Can I have a fishing rod because in Dallas one the summer I used one and it was fun so can I have one. Can I have one cause I neve had one?
Sincerely,
Eliana

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a coloring studio art case, pink computer, and a make-up train case.
Love
D'Laine

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a yoda pillow pet, spiderman blanket, and ants in the pants game.
Love
Thiago

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a make-up case of Frozen, a watch and ants in the pants game.
Love
Arianna

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a Blue's Clues computer, Leapfrog laptop, and matel match-box playset.
Love
John

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a princes make-up box, shampoo for her hair, and a baby yoda pillow pet.
Love
Alexus

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a scooter, a dinosaur train, and shark chair.
Love
Tomas

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like some Lincoln logs, a watch, and a unicorn chair.
Love
Yahayra

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a CD player, a construction platset, and a working blade tractor.
Love
Ervin

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a make-up box, a watch and a unicorn toothbrush .
Love
Luciana

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a kitchen set, a dinosaur train, and a shopping cart.
Love
Landon K.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a Lincoln logs, a shark chair, a fisher price little people bus for my brother, and a wrestling game.
Love
Alyas

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a computer, some wireless earbuds, and matchbox construction playset.
Love
Aaron

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a 5 in1 tabletop sports center, a matchbox construction playset.
Love
Richard

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a matchbox construction playset, musical entertainment center, and a CD player.
Love
Benjamin

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a CD Boombox, grocery cart, and some earbuds.
Love
Jadealyn

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a dinosaur speedway, Clifford pillow pet, and a shark chair.
Love
Greyson

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a CD player, a think & learn, and some Lincoln logs.
Love
Pasiley

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a CD player, a computer, and a yoda pillow set.
Love
Landon C.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a CD palyer, computer, and little people big yellow school bus.
Love
Angelis

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a dinosaur race track, matchbox construction playset, and a cat blanket.
Love
Jonathon

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like pink computer, a grocery buggy, and operation game.
Love
Ari

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a spiderman blanket, an Iron man helicopter and a Drone. Love
Luis

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? Santa please bring me a Minecraft lego set, legos set and a race car. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Dylin M.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Clause and you and what are your favorite cookies? And how are your elves? Have you seen a kid out of bed? Santa please bring me a bicycle, stuff animals and a skate board. Thank you Santa! Love,
Daneisy B.

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? Santa please bring me a hover board and nintend and a walking dog. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Avery F.

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa? Santa please bring me a watch, Pokemon and a go cart. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Jase G.

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I would like a motorcycle, a super hero yo-yo, pair of shoes.
Love,
Uriel

Dear Santa,
How are the elves doing? Santa please bring me a chess set, ice skates and a electric riding car
Love,
Nolan S.

Dear Santa,
Santa please bring me cars Nintendo switch and a Minecraft game. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Sebastian S.

Dear Santa,
Have you ever seen a kid out of bed? Santa please bring me a pizza party, big trampoline, and a Fishing pole. Thank you Santa!!!!
Love,
Sadie H.

Dear Santa,
Santa how are the elves doing? How is Misis Claus doing? Santa are you happy? Santa you are nis. Santa wut are your favri cookies? Santa please bring me a penguin stuffed animal, grinch stuffed animal and Penguin back pack. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Hannah T.

Dear Santa,
Wat are your favrite cookies? I love you Santa. Santa please bring me hot wheels monster trucks, bluey caravan playset and Paw Patrol the movie, trans forming city patroller. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Zachariah

Dear Santa,
I love you Santa so much, so so so so so so so so so so so so much. Santa please bring me a horse that can walk, toy kitchen and Space Jam toys. Thank you Santa!
Love,
Ainsley

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? Santa please bring me hoverboard, a squid game doll and Press on Nails. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Jasmine R.

Dear Santa,
I love you Santa. Santa please bring me a nerf gun, lego and a train set. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Avyn S.

Dear Santa,
How are the elves doing? Good or bad? How is Rudolph? How is Mrs. Claus? Santa, please bring me a baby, slime and a food set for my kitchen. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Sienna H.

Dear Santa,
I love you Santa. You are my fafrit. How is Rudolph? How is Mrs. Clause? Santa please bring me Pokemon cards, Pokemon book and wolf stuffed animal. Thank you Santa!
Love,
Giovannio J.

Dear Santa,
I love you so much and you are nise and is Rucoloph good and how is Mrs. Clause? Santa please bring me dinosaur toys, Pokemon cards and shoes, size 2. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Joshua T.

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Clause? Santa bring me a doll, LOL surprise, and a Babie house. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Aleyda C.

Dear Santa,
Santa please bring me toy cars, dinosaur toys and Pet the cat books. Thank you Santa.

Dear Santa,
Santa please bring me monos para la cabeza, monecas, y casa para monecas.
Love,
Andrea M.

Dear Santa,
I love you so much and you are so nise. And is ruoloph good and how is Mrs. Clause? Santa please bring me Pokemon figures and a four wheeler and a Plasma ball. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Ridge M.

Bilicek-Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
I want a brother. I want colors. I want to go to sleep.
Sandra

Dear Santa,
I want a truck. I want a tractor. I want a new monster truck.
Wesley

Dear Santa,
I want a big truck. I want a new tank toy. I want a toy baby Yoda.
Abraham

Dear Santa,
I want an Xbox. I want a blanket. I want a new bed.
Steven

Dear Santa,
I want a table. I want a fish. I want a dog.
Abrielle

Dear Santa,
I want a pop it. I want squishies. I want slime.
Blake

Dear Santa,
I want a LOL house. I want a toy elephant. I want a race car.
Anysa

Dear Santa,
I want a hug. I want chocolate. I want bracelets.
Maria

Dear Santa,
I want a cat. I want a LOL house. I want a beautiful room. I love you.
Giselle

Dear Santa,
I want a LOL. I want a cat. I want a doll. I love you Santa.
Jasmine

Dear Santa,
I want a toy. I want a cup. I want a couch.
Zenyiah

Dear Santa,
I want a race car. I want a robot. I want a floatie.
Finley

Dear Santa,
I want a microphone. I want a dress. I want a LOL house.
Brisayda

Dear Santa,
I want a LOL doll. I want a teddy bear. I want an OMG doll. I love you.
Aurora

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy. I want a cat. I want a blanket. I love you.
Mason

Dear Santa,
I want an ipad. I want a cat. I want a house. I love you.
Julian

Dear Santa,
I want an animal. I want a dump truck. I want a car.
Luke

Christian Kids Daycare

Dear Santa,
I'm Blayzden Stamport. I have been very good this year. For Christmas I would like a truck, balls, clothes.
Love,
Blayzden

Dear Santa,
I'm Brooklynn Lorton. I have been very good this year. For Christmas I would like baby dolls, shoes, clothes,
Love,
Brooklyn

Dear Santa,
I'm Claylee Broadway. I have been very good this year. For Christmas I would like Dolls, clothes, shoes, hairbows.
Love,
Claylee

Dear Santa,
I'm Tatum Kuntschik. I have been very good this year. For Christmas I would like doll, hairbows, shoes, clothes.
Love,
Tatum

Dear Santa,
I'm Kelaya Laredo. I have been very good this year. For Christmas I would like doll, shoes, clothes, hairbows.
Love,
Kelaya



Dear Santa,
I'm Braydenu Solis. I have been very good this year. For Christmas I would like truck and cars, ball's and clothes.
Love,
Braydenu

Dear Santa,
I'm Nyla Zuniga. I have been a very good girl this year. I would like to receive, doll, hairbows, clothes, Love,
Nyla

Dear Santa,
I'm Harly Hernandez. I been v very good girl this year. I would like to receive, doll, hairbows, clothes, books.
Love,
Harly

Dear Santa,
I'm Amelia Gonzales. I been very good girl this year. I would like to receive a baby doll, clothes, books.
Love,
Amelia

Dear Santa,
I'm Cole Glass. I been a very good boy this year. I would like to receive a truck, ball's and clothes.
Love,
Cole

Dear Santa,
I'm Mason Flagg. I have been a very good boy this year. I would like to receive a lot of toys and clothes.
Love,
Mason

Dear Santa,
My name is Harper. I am 2. I want a baby doll and some baby clothes for my new baby. I love you Santa.
Love,
Harper

Dear Santa,
I am 2. I would like a big yellow dump truck. I would like some dinsours. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Hudson

Dear Santa,
My name is Tatum and I am 1. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like some more books, some more hair bows, and some new baby dolls. I promise to put out some milk and cook-ies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Tatum

Dear Santa,
I am 2. I want a baby doll and some baby clothes for my baby dolls. I will leave you milk and cookies.
Love you,
Imani

Dear Santa,
I am 2. I would like a cocomelon book I want some cocomelon toy's. I will leave you some milk and cookies.
Love,
Sofia

Dear Santa,
My name is Brooklyn and I am 1. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like some new books, some more baby dolls, and some candy. I promise to leave out some cookies and milk for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Brooklyn

Dear Santa,
My name is Keleya and I am 1. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like some new books, some baby dolls, and some more hair bows. I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Keleya

Dear Santa,
I would like a book and a big red fire truck. I want some race cars.
Love,
Rafeal

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Annabelle Moss. I am 3 years old. I go to Christian Kids Day Care. For Christmas can you bring some baby dolls, a tent, clothes, and a baby bed.
Thank you,
Annabelle

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Ashton Moreno and I am 3 years old. I go to Christian Kids Day Care. Can you please bring me some diinosurs, sharks, cars and lots of presents.
Thank you,
Ashton

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Colton Hines and I am 2 years old. I go to Christian Kids Day Care. For Christmas can you bring me a cowboy hat, boots, clothes, little people tractor and old McDonalds toy!
Thank you,
Colton

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Ariana Gonzales and I am 2 years old. I go to Christian Kids Daycare. For Christmas can you please bring me lots of presents for mommie, sissy and daddy.
Thank you,
Ariana

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Stockton Crow and I am 3 years old. I go to Christian Kids Daycare. For Christmas can you bring me some cow trailers, a truck, some new boots and new cowboy hat.
Thank you,
Stockton

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Abigail Cobler and I am 2 years old. I go to Christian Kids Daycare. Can you please bring me some baby dolls, baby bottles and clothes.
Thank you,
Abigail

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is Hannah Klein and I am 2 years old. I go to Christian Kids Day Care. For Christmas Please bring me presents and a Christmas Tree.
Thank you,
Hannah Klein

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Rhyder Wernl and I am 3 years old. I go to Christian Kids Day Care. For Christmas can you bring me some dinosaurs, some hats, sharks and hot wheels.
Thank you,
Rhyder

Dear Santa,
My name is Audrey. I am 2 years old. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like barbies dream house and babies.
Love,
Audrey

Dear Santa,
My name is Kasen and I am 3 years old. For Christmas this year I would like a big fire truck, a school bus, and a airplane. I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for on Christmas Eve!
Thank you Santa!
Love,
Kasen

Dear Santa,
My name is Evelyn and I am 3 years old. This year I have been very nice. For Christmas this year I would like some pen-guins, some new toys and a lot of cookies.
Love,
Evelyn

Dear Santa,
My name is Noah and I am 3 years old. For Christmas this year. I would like an airplane, fire bus, fire truck. I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Noah

Dear Santa,
My name is Nariyah and I am 3 years old. For Christmas this year I would like a baby shark toy, a new little puppy and some candy. I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Nariyah

Dear Santa,
My name is Penelope and I am 3 years old. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like a cute puppy. A big doll house, and toy car. I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Penelope

Dear Santa,
My name is Reagan and I am 3 years old. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like a tractor, a penguin, and new big boy bike. I promise to leave out milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Reagan

Dear Santa,
My name is Rylah and I am 3 years old. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas I would love a purple scooter, a pretty helmet, a big barbie dream house and a cute puppy. I promise to leave out milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Rylah

Dear Santa,
My name is Bowen and I am 3 years old. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like a new big boy bike, a toy truck to drive, and some dinosaurs. I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Bowen

Dear Santa,
My name is Dani and I am 3 years old. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like a barbie dream house, a barbie car and big slide to play on. I promise to I eave out some milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Dani

Dear Santa,
My name is Baylee and I am 3 years old. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like some new barbies, a big barbie dream house, and a new barbie car for my new barbies. I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love, Baylee

Dear Santa,
I want a lot of toys. I want candy and I want a baby doll. I promise I will leave you milk and cookies.
Love,
Zoey

Dear Santa,
My name is Ashton. I am 4. I want a skate board, a big red fire truck, a puppet. I would like new toys. I leave you milk and cookies.
Love you Santa,
Ashton

Dear Santa,
My name is Mason. I am 4. I want space clothes and a rocket ship so I can go out of space. I also want my own tree house. I want a Paw Patrol lunch box. I will leave you milk and cookies.
Love you Santa,
Mason

Dear Santa,
My name is Bre. I am 4. I have been a good girl. I want toys. I want Barbie doll and Barbie clothes. I will leave you milk and cookies.
Love you Santa,
Gabrella

Dear Santa,
My name is Leo. I am 3. I have been a good boy. I would like you to bring me some big dump trucks. I want a big red fire truck.
Love you Santa,
Leo

Dear Santa,
My name is Brixlyn. I am 3. I have been a good girl. I would like a unicorn and I want a new baby doll. I will good and leave you milk and cookies.
Love you Santa,
Brixlyn

Dear Santa,
My name is Damian and I am 3 years old. I have been very nice this year. For Christmas this year I would like some toy Power Rangers, a new big boy bike and a big spiderman to play with I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve! Thank you Santa!
Love,
Damian



Dear Santa,
My name is King and I am 4 years old. I have been very nice. This year I would love anything blue, Paw Patrol, Spiderman, racer cars and motorcycles. I promise to leave out some milk and cookies for you! Thank you Santa!
Love,
King

Dear Santa,
My name is Hunter. I am 4. I want dinsours. I want toys. Thank you Santa. I love you.
Hunter

Dear Santa,
My name is Adalynn. I am 5. I have been a very good girl. I want a rainbow unicorn. I want a tablet that has a game on it. I also want rainbow playdough, a rainbow phone. I want a kitchen and I also a pink and blue radio. I want paint to color outside. I want a mermaid doll and a picture frame.
Love you Santa,
Adalynn

Dear Santa,
My name is Laney. I am 4. I have been a very good girl. I would like a pet flamingo. I also want a pet unicorn. I want a police officer motorcycle. I want a pink tablet. I would like paint to make my mommy something for mother's day. Santa I will you milk and cookies.
Love you Santa,
Laney

Dear Santa,
My name is Everett. I am 4. I want a big red firetruck. I want a big dinosaur. I want my own Christmas tree. I would like a toy whale and a toy jungle. I will milk and cookies. I love you Santa.
Everett

Dear Santa,
My name is Dylan. I am 4. I have been a good boy. I want a fire truck and a straight bumble bee that turns into a car. I want buzlight year. I want fishing and hunting toys. I want a bumblebee sword. Love you Santa.
Dylan

Dear Santa,
My name is Beaux. I am 4. I want a Chevy dooley and a cattle trailer. I want a Dodge 3500. I want a big ranch and a house. Thank you Santa.
Beaux

Dear Santa,
My name is Cassidy. I am 4. I want make up. I also want teddy bears. I want dolls. I love you Santa.
Cassidy

Dear Santa,
My name is Tate. I am 4. I want a doll house a baby and her mother. I want swimming pool and a donut float so I can float. I want a rainbow swim suite. I want a whale and a ballerina pillow. I love you Santa. I will leave you cookies and milk.
Tate

Dear Santa,
I would like a car, that's it. Also toys please.
Love,
Maddy

Dear Santa,
I would like a home, a cookie, a cake, toys.
Love,
Kingston



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