

Wednesday, December 13th, 2017

The **Toys for Tots** toy drive continues this week. Sources of Strength will be collecting toys for Advisements at both lunches today, and giving free hot chocolate with all donations. Donate a new, unwrapped toy by Advisement tomorrow and get a chance to win the breakfast surprise.

Ping Pong Club's Winter Charity Tournament supporting the Denver Rescue Mission is after school this Friday, December 15th. Contact Mr. Hale with further questions.

If you were invited and unable to attend the **Academic Awards** presentation, please stop by the office today to collect your certificate.

The Mountain Vista **JV COED Cheer Team** is having a fundraiser at Cyclebar on Sunday, December 17th at 12:00PM. Come participate in a 50-minute class while helping to raise funds for Nationals.

Come see the **Highlands Ranch Regional Art Show** at the Highlands Ranch Library, through January 8th. Over forty Vista students are represented.

The Mountain Vista annual **Poetry Slam** will be held January 18th. If you want to be one of the ten finalists to compete, please see Mr. Fisher or Mr. Hoefs, **BEFORE BREAK**, to express your interest **OR** to perform a tryout run-through... Being crowned a slam champion has been known to lead to incredible consequences such as fame, fortune, and wisdom. See Mr. Fisher for details.

Congratulations to the **Speech and Debate** team who had ten competitors awarded last night at the After School Congress at Cherry Creek: Carissa Sigler, Colter Giem, Mitch Chapman, Tessa Corcoran, Seamas Porter, Cassidy Christian, Greyson Koinzan, Matt McCullough, Olivia Smith, and Henri Wessels. Way to go! Keep making Vista great!