



**PRINCIPAL CORNER for December 29<sup>th</sup>**  
**Oh the Places You Can Go!**

I hope you are all enjoying the Christmas break. During the coming week, you may want to consider some of the options below.

**SWIM!** The Aquatic Center on Bainbridge and the North Kitsap Community Pool in Poulsbo are perfect places to visit during the break.

**READ!** The Bainbridge Island Library, the Poulsbo Library, and the Kingston Library (all part of the North Kitsap Regional Library System) are filled with fabulous books.

**OBSERVE!** Head to the Bainbridge Island Art Museum to see the exhibit Alfredo Arreguin: Life Patterns. Born in Mexico, Alfredo Arreguin now lives and creates art in Seattle.

**WALK!** Head to Seattle. Visit Pike Place Market and the Seattle Art Museum, which is free on Tuesdays, both on 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue.

**EXPLORE!** Visit Port Gamble. This lovely town has historical plaques telling about the families who lived in each house when this was a mill town. The playground is wonderful too!

**LEARN!** Kingston, Poulsbo, and Bainbridge Island all have interesting museums to visit including the Suquamish Museum, the Bainbridge Island Historical Museum, and the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial.

**STEM!** Check out Rosie Research with Dr. Erica for Winter Break STEM Activities.

Other great options for the week ahead include playing games (my two favorites are Bananagrams and Scrabble), walking on the many trails in our towns, running around outside or just hanging out with family and friends. Enjoy the week!

With joy,  
Susan Kilbane