Holiday Art Contest for Polkton Kids Deadline is Friday

The Town of Polkton and Polkton Police Department have announced their First Annual Holiday Art Contest for youth ages 5 to 15. To enter, drop your favorite holiday scene and one line of seasonal verse on a 11” x 17” sheet of paper. All artwork must be original. Entries must be brought into the Polkton Police Department by noon Monday, December 17. Prizes will be awarded for the following age groups:

- Ages 5 to 7
- Ages 8 to 10
- Ages 11 to 14

Artwork should be on letter size white paper. Artwork and entry forms are due to the Polkton Town Hall (35 West Polk Street) no later than 5 p.m. on Friday, December 14. Women are not eligible to compete in the contest. Prize money is $77,000.

Red Hill Kids Learn About the Ministry

Jennifer Lee’s fourth-grade class at Red Hill Elementary School, Children’s Ministry learned about bulbs and planted a small bulb garden on Thursday, December 6. Students Marvin Marshall, Pat Terry, Brian Carter and Justin Huneycutt. The activity was a teachable moment for the students on growing. They were also introduced to the beauty of bulbs up close for those in need.

LES Students Focus on Giving to Others

During a recent PTO sponsored Fall Festival at Lilesville Elementary School, students focused on giving to others and being thankful for all that they have here by collecting items to send to the Salvation Army Food Pantry and Feed My Lambs. The students were able to be involved in the student on giving. They even got to see the boxes filled up with food for those in need.

Open House for Relay for Life is Sunday

A Christmas Open House will be held this Sunday, December 16 at the home of Cindy and Amy Turner. This event is being held to raise funds for Relay for Life, and all donations will go toward that very worthwhile cause. The event will be held from 2 to 5 p.m. at 72 North in Polkton.