

# RUSH plan for 12.18.24

## 7:00-7:30PM (approximately)

- Worship Center (everyone)
  - every small group will have an assigned row of chairs

## 7:30-8:30PM (approximately)...small group time

### **ROOM ASSIGNMENTS FOR SMALL GROUP PARTY TIME:**

- All HS groups: your normal assigned classrooms in lower level (stack your chairs before heading to small group time)
- 6<sup>th</sup> grade girls & all MS boys: spread out in Worship Center
- 7<sup>th</sup> grade girls: lobby (stack your chairs before heading to small group time)
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade girls: lower-level commons area (stack your chairs before heading to small group time)
- Pizza & bottled water logistics
  - **REMINDER: By Thursday, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> your group's pizza order is due to TJ TenPas**
    - **Options: pepperoni, sausage, cheese, and/or gluten free**
  - Groups in the lower level: pizza & bottled water will be delivered to your small group
  - Groups in lobby & Worship Center: please send 2 people from your small group to the lobby coffee counter to pick up your small group's pizza order and bottled water
- Activity (optional)
  - "Guess Who" or "Empire" (instructions are attached)

## 8:20PM clean-up

- Students should be doing the cleaning up with supervision by leaders
  - leaders should NOT be doing all the cleaning
  - do not dismiss your students until your room/area is completely cleaned up
- All pizza boxes should be *unfolded and stacked*
  - Groups in the lower level: there will be garbage cans and a table in the commons area for your group to bring garbage and pizza boxes
  - Groups in lobby & Worship Center: there will be garbage cans and a table by the entrance to the main floor kitchen for your group to bring garbage and pizza boxes

## 8:30PM dismiss

# Christmas Theme Game Options

*On 12.18.24, plan on having 45-60 minutes to eat pizza & play games.*

*Feel free to use these OPTIONAL game ideas or scrap them all together & do something else.*

## GUESS WHO

*ITEMS NEEDED FOR GAME: none*

- Pick one student to step outside the room while the group QUIETLY picks a Christmas item or character (see ideas below).
- Bring the student back in the room. The student has the opportunity to ask the group 10 questions to figure out what/who the items or character is.

Ideas of Christmas items or characters:

The Grinch	Olaf	St. Nick
Sana Clause	Elf	Rudolf the reindeer
Scrooge	Frosty the Snowman	Candy cane
Christmas tree	Stockings	Caroling
Ugly sweater	Wise men	Sleigh ride
Mistletoe	Star	Gingerbread men
Ornament	Nativity scene	Christmas lights

## EMPIRE

*ITEMS NEEDED FOR GAME: slips of paper & pens*

- Assign a leader to run the game
- Hand out a small slip of paper & a pen to every students & leader except the leader who is running the game
  - Have everyone secretly write a name of something Christmas related (food, item, person, etc) on their slip of paper...the goal is to write something that they do NOT think others will guess that they wrote it
  - Hand in all he slips of paper to the leader who is running the game
- The leader who is running the game reads off all the slips of paper 2 times.
  - Participants are NOT allowed to write down the list...they need to go by memory.
- The leader who is running the game picks one student to start.
  - The student chooses 1 person in the room to ask “are you the one who wrote \_\_\_\_\_?”

- If the student picked the correct person, that person is now a part of the student's "empire", and they are a team and they get to try to guess another person's answer. They keep asking people until they ask a person and the person says "no, that was not me who wrote that".
  - The person who says "no, that was not me" is now able to guess another student/leader by asking "are you the one who wrote \_\_\_\_\_"?
- The goal is to correctly guess who wrote each answer and have them all a part of your "empire".