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## TGA's December 2007 Newsletter Tidbits taken from various sources

### How to Build A Snowman or should we say Snowperson ??

- #1 Test to see if you have 'packing snow,' which clumps together easily and isn't too wet. The snow must pack to make a snowman.
- #2 Shape a handful of snow into a ball. Continue adding more snow and packing the ball until it's too large to hold.
- #3 Place the ball on the snow in front of you and slowly roll it away from you. As more snow accumulates on the outside of your ball, pack the snow by pressing on it with your gloved hands.
- #4 Roll and pack the ball over and over until it is the size you want for the bottom of the snowman's body.
- #5 Repeat for the midsection and head. The bottom should be the biggest ball, and the top should be the smallest.
- #6 Pack some extra snow between the layers to make them stick together. Place sticks down the center where the sections meet if your snowman is having trouble standing erect.
- #7 Give the snowman a face. Use coal, rocks, buttons or anything dark and round for the eyes. A horizontal stick or twig will make a good mouth, and a carrot is fine for the pointy nose. If you don't have a carrot, a banana or a candy cane will do the job.
- #8 Now dress your new friend with a hat, gloves, scarf etc. and enjoy !!



### A Message to Our Readers

Hello Readers.....

Tis' the Season to be Jolly, or at least that is what "they" say. Did you ever wonder who "they" are? Where do "they" get their information from and why do we have to listen to "they" anyway ?

Well, maybe it is because "they" have the right idea!! Try not to let the stress of the holiday get you down this year.

Have you ever seen the 1947 movie "It's a Wonderful Life" with Jimmy Stewart and Donna Reed? If not, I strongly suggest that you watch it this year. Watch it again and again. Then, take a good look back at your own life and how you have made an impact on others.

Sometimes we humans get so caught up in the daily nonsense that we forget how important we are to others and how much we are truly loved by others as well.

Think about how lucky we truly are. Sure there will always be hills and valleys, but if you keep a positive attitude and practice every day being kind to others, you might just get a Grinch experience and have a warming heart that grows and grows.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

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### December Events

- 5th Hanukkah Begins
- 22nd First Day of Winter
- 24th Christmas Eve
- TGA is Closed 12/24 & 12/25
- 25th Christmas Day
- 26th Kwanzaa
- 31st New Year's Eve



A toast to all of you !!  
Good Health and Happiness !  
It's going to be great in 2008



**It's Time Once Again For The TGA Annual Holiday Fun Pack!**  
**Fill In The Blanks To Complete These Holiday Sentences!**

Experts in teaching predict that in the New Year, S.A.T. scores should increase by an average of 8% due to some new methods that our United States Educational System is hoping to implement as it relates to the expansion of student vocabularies. So in light of that little peppermint stick of information, complete the following sentences using the list of unconventional words, which are synonymous with what we normally use.

Be careful while \_\_\_\_\_ because the roads are very \_\_\_\_\_.  
TRAVELING ICY

Enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_\_ with your friends and family.  
SINGING CAROL

Don't forget to \_\_\_\_\_ all your \_\_\_\_\_ before they are found.  
WRAP PRESENTS

\_\_\_\_\_ a lot of \_\_\_\_\_ to make your \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_.  
HANG DECORATIONS HOUSE GLOW

Don't \_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_ course by overcooking it.  
BURN MAIN

Have a \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_!!!!  
SAFE HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON

**ADORNMENTS, BLISSFUL, CANTICLE, CHAR, CLOAK,**  
**CROONING, EDIFICE, ENDOWMENTS, FLOW,**  
**FURLOUGH, GLACIAL, IMPREGNABLE, INTERVAL,**  
**LAMBENT, PREEMINENT, TREKKING**

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