

# Dear Santa

*What The Barbwire staff wants this year?*

*by Lily Peterson*

Here at *The BarbWire*, the staff works hard and has been good all year. The majority of us here love the holiday season!

This year, as a team, all we want is for *The Barbwire* to be the best it can be! As individuals, however, there are a couple requests each person has.

Blake Borgardt, Zach Donahue, and Jasmine Stuckey hope to find money in their stockings.

Gabee DelFiacco and Mya Nystrom want drawing/art supplies for Christmas.

When asked what she wants for Christmas, sophomore Bethany Billips exclaimed with childish excitement, "A puppy!"

Others, like Brandon Pizano, Colleen Solomon, Asher Lowrey, Matt Flemming, don't want anything for Christmas.

Sophomore Brandon Pizano said, "I don't really want much. I just want to be with my family."

Journalism/Humanities teacher Colleen Solomon said, "I'm very lucky I

have everything I need, so I guess I just want to have my family together."

For some stressed out seniors, such as Malik Cooke, Molly Stawinoga, and Cris Rojo, all they want is to have a relaxing holiday.

Senior Molly Stawinoga said, "I'd like to sit and watch *Gilmore Girls* without having to do homework during it."

Although every enjoys this time of year for different reasons, there were some common themes. These themes included: spending time with family, having fun in the snow, and enjoying all the food.

When asked his favorite part of the holidays, Malik Cooke said, "The weather of course and being around family all the time."

Cris Rojo said, "My favorite parts of the holidays would be all the decorations, and being able to see all the lights, and definitely Christmas music!"

The holiday season is all about spending time with friends and family. So from all of us here at *The Barbwire*, have a safe and happy holiday season!



*Lily Peterson as a 4 year-old in front of the Christmas tree with her mom. Photo provided by Lily Peterson.*



*Molly Stawinoga as a 2 year-old in a Santa hat. Photo provided by Molly Stawinoga.*



*Cris Rojo as a 3 year-old in front of the Christmas tree. Photo provided by Cris Rojo.*



*Blake Borgardt as a 5 year-old sitting on "Santa's" lap. Photo provided by Blake Borgardt*



*Sophomore Bethany Billips as a 6 year-old on Christmas morning. Photo provided by Bethany Billips.*



*Asher Lowrey as a 4 year-old opening a present on Christmas morning. Photo provided by Asher Lowrey.*



*Jasmine Stuckey as a 4 year-old on Christmas morning. Photo provided by Jasmine Stuckey.*



*Mya Nystrom as 5 year-old in front of a Christmas tree with her siblings. Photo provided by Mya Nystrom.*



*Brandon Pizano as a 1 year old. Photo provided by Brandon Pizana.*



*Zach Donahue as a 1 year-old. Photo provided by Zac Donahue.*



*Matt Flemming as a 2 year-old. Photo provided by Matt Flemming.*



*Liam Decker as a 2 year-old. Photo provided by Liam Decker*



*Malik Cooke as a 6 year-old in a Santa hat. Photo provided by Malik Cooke.*



*Colleen Solomon as a 3 year-old with her brother. Photo provided by Colleen Solomon.*