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**GOOD TIMES WERE HAD BY 5TH- 8TH GRADERS WHO ATTENDED
THE 27TH ANNIVERSARY OF PROJECT LIFT-OFF HOLIDAY PARTY**



Pictured is Mayor Schneider, Chief Tim Lowery, Ward 2 Councilman Tim Jones and some of the 550 5th-8th graders that attended the 27th Annual Project Lift Off event.

The 27th Annual Project Lift-Off Holiday Party was held on Saturday, December 5 at the James J. Eagan Center which was started by Mayor Schneider back in 1989 when he was a Councilman. The event is a drug free, alcohol free and tobacco free youth holiday party sponsored by the City of Florissant, Youth Advisory Commission and D.A.R.E. and again tickets were sold out.

At the event was a large crowd of 5th- 8th graders as they participated in many activities that were available to them to do. There were plenty of fun activities going like ice skating, swimming and games. There was a DJ on hand that rocked the crowd while the kids enjoyed pizza and soda.

The Mayor would also like to thank Todd Schmidt the Director of Parks and his staff for all of their hard work in making the 27th Annual Project Lift-Off another success. The Mayor would also like to thank Police Chief Tim Lowery for his support of the DARE program and DARE Officer Lessie Summers for another great year of teaching DARE in the classrooms.