News from Laingsburg Elementary School & E.C.E.C.



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DATES TO REMEMBER

SEPT. 27 ~ LES FALL PICTURE DAY OCT. 10 ~ 1/2 DAY FOR STUDENTS / 1/2 DAY PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR TEACHERS OCT. 18 ~ ECEC FALL PICTURE DAY

A NOTE FROM PRINCIPAL FREEMAN

Dear Laingsburg Families,

We are in our fourth week of school and students our doing a great job of demonstrating our 3 PBIS Behavior Expectations of being Safe, Respectful and Responsible. Before Labor Day, students rotated to



different teachers to learn expectations for walking in the hallway, eating in the cafeteria and playing on the playground. Our staff has been acknowledging their efforts by giving them red tickets in which they put into a container by the office. Each morning I have the privilege to honor 3 students whose tickets have been drawn for demonstrating Safe, Respectful and Responsible Behavior. Students come down to the office to get a prize. It is exciting to see their smiling faces as they enter the door. As we accumulate tickets, students work toward the goal of earning "All School Celebrations."

Another way we acknowledge our students is our "Leader of the PACK Board". Teachers choose one student a week to acknowledge for doing their best work in making good choices, following the expectations and being kind and considerate to their classmates. We are so very proud of our students and how they contribute to the warm, positive atmosphere of our buildings.

At ECEC our Kindergarteners are working to "Fill the Bucket" of other students by demonstrating kind and respectful behavior. Through their good choices, all students' work to earn "All School Celebrations" such as art projects, trips to the park or extra recess. Each Friday, the classroom teacher chooses "Star Students" for their Safe, Respectful and Responsible Behavior.

Students are called to the office to get their picture taken, pick a prize and receive a certificate. Fridays are also special because all kindergarteners go out in the hallway to participate in the Hokey Pokey or Chicken Dance. This is something all students enjoy and look forward to.

We at LES and ECEC strive to be intentional in what teach, model and reinforce. We know that students learn best when caring and encouraging adults create a safe and supportive environment for students to learn and grow. It is our hope that you experience this feeling as you enter our buildings and walk down our halls. We are committed to helping all students succeed.

Thank you for entrusting your children to us,

Sheila Freeman

DOOR SECURITY SYSTEM

Having trouble getting into the building during the day? The good news is we have enhanced our security at the elementary as well as the rest of the buildings district wide! The doors automatically lock in the morning and unlock at the end of the day. To get in after they have locked for the day you will need to ring the doorbell and be buzzed in. Below is a picture of our doorbell. It is on the wall to the right of the main door. The button to push has been circled. Once you push the button someone from the office staff will greet you over the intercom and unlock the door.



LAINGSBURG GIRL SCOUT ICE CRAM SOCIAL OPEN HOUSE & REGISTRATION



Laingsburg girls and parents, please join us on Wednesday, September 19, from 6:00 – 7:00 pm at the Laingsburg Middle School cafeteria for an Ice Cream Social Open House. This event is open to Laingsburg girls that are interested in learning more about

scouting and for currently registered girls, but not mandatory. Girl scouting offers programs for girls from K – 12 grades. Come see what all the fun is about.

Flyers with more information will be sent home through the school. We are hoping to have the availability of computers that evening for electronic registration process. If you have any



questions feel free to contact Jody Frank, Laingsburg Girl Scouts Area 321 Manager at 651-2079 or for additional information on Girl Scouting visit www.gshom.org.

PACK RUN



This week students learned about the PALS Pack Run that will be held during school on October 5th. PALS is a group of parents, teachers, administrators and community members that

share a goal and commitment to enriching the learning experiences of elementary and middle school students in Laingsburg. The Pack Run is a fundraiser with a goal of raising \$15,000. If PALS reaches or surpasses this goal, there will be no other PALS sponsored fundraising events during the year! 100% of the profits from this

event will go back to the elementary and middle schools. Your child received a paper with more information and a donation



form. Please consider helping to make the second annual PALS Pack Run a success!

CLOTHESLINE NEWS



The Clothesline non – profit clothing store is open on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. & Wednesdays, 3 – 6 pm.

They are currently having their Back to School Sale with buy 10 items for \$10, some exclusions apply. This will run until the end of September.

The racks are packed with high quality clothing, shoes, and outerwear for the whole family. The Clothesline is located at 120 E. Grand River Rd., Laingsburg.



FOOD EXTRA: 2\$ PIZZA, 1\$ SNACKS & CANDY

PosterMyWall.com

LHS DRAMA CLUB SHOE DRIVE



The LHS Drama Club is holding a shoe drive from now through November 17. There is a large collection box near the main entrance of the elementary school. Please help them make their

goal of 100 bags of shoes by donating your gently used shoes. Follow these links for more information; http://ourshoedrive.com/laingsburg-high-school-drama/

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