

Family NEWSLETTER December 2018



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Happy Holidays

As we are approaching the Holiday Season, the entire LMS staff would like to wish you a happy holiday season. May your time be filled with great memories with your family. You may choose to read books, play board games, go to a concert or sporting event, but just remember to enjoy the time you have to spend together.

Holiday Break

Winter break will begin on December 24th this year. Students will return to class on Thursday, January 3, 2019.

PTO "Non" Fundraiser

Our PTO works hard to not ask families to fundraise throughout the school year. To avoid this they sponsor the non-fundraiser form. Currently we have achieved about 30% of our goal. Please use the enclosed form to send in your donation. Just have your student turn it into Mrs. LeMonte in the main office. So please support our PTO today!

Holiday Spirit Week

The 8th graders have voters and all students and staff are invited to participate in Spirit Week, December 17th through the 21st.

Monday- Crazy Sock Day

Tuesday-Vine/Meme Day

Wednesday-Holiday Headgear Day (reindeer ears, elf ears, elf hat, Santa hat...)

Thursday-Ugly Sweater Day

Friday- Pajama Day

Wi-Fi Partners Needed

Local businesses can become a Leopard Connection Wi-Fi Partner by simply providing students free access to their businesses current Wi-Fi system. Those interested in becoming a Leopard Connection Wi-Fi partner can sign up at tinyurl.com/LCSDwifipartner.

Protecting Our Paws Donations Needed for Families in Crisis

Louisville Schools have partnered with the United Way of Stark County to provide a Family Support Specialist (FSS) to work alongside a CARE team at each school. CARE teams provide clothing, community agency referrals, food, health and hygiene products, holiday assistance, mentoring of parents and students, shelter, and many other social and emotional supports. We always appreciate monetary contributions but are also seeking any of the goods and services mentioned above.

College Credit Plus

This is a reminder to all parents and students who plan on taking College Credit Plus classes either on our Campus or on a College Campus next school year. There is a mandatory meeting Monday, January 7th at 6 p.m. in the high school cafeteria for both students and parents.



Our vision: E³ - Empowering Students + Engaged Community = Endless Possibilities

Packets of information will be passed out this evening along with slips that need to be signed and turned in. This meeting will walk you through all the steps necessary for students to earn college credit while in high school. No student will be permitted to take a college credit plus class without attending this meeting and turning in a signed slip. Attending this meeting and turning your slip does NOT mean that you have to take CC+ classes but does allow you to sign up for them if you would like.

Music is in the Air

The holidays are quickly approaching which means our school will be full of music! The music department at LMS hosts three holiday concerts in December. All concerts are free and open to the public. If you are able to come and support our talented, young musicians please join us on December 6 for the Choir Concert, December 11 for the seventh and eighth grade bands, and/or December 18 for our sixth grade band concerts. All concerts begin at 7:00 p.m. at the middle school.

School Fees

School fees are due by the end of the grading period. If you need to make arrangements for a payment plan, please contact the main office to set that up! You are always able to pay on line at <https://www.payschoolscentral.com/#/user/login>

Breakfast

Breakfast is available every day at 7:10. Students are encouraged to head straight to the cafeteria. **Breakfast is free to all students.** Students will not be counted tardy for being at breakfast.

Upcoming Events

December:

- 4 Choir Concert 7 PM
- 11 7th/8th Grade Band Concert 7PM
- 18 6th Grade Band Concert 7PM
- 22-31 Winter Break- No School

January:

- 1-2 Winter Break
- 9/10 Honors Algebra I Semester Exam
- 10/11 Art I Semester Exam
- 11 End of Semester 1
- 15 PTO Meeting 6:30 PM – Library
- 18 Teacher Day, No School
- 21 Martin Luther King Day No School
- 24 6th Grade Awards 1:00
- 25 8th Grade Awards 12-1
7th Grade Awards 1:30-2:30

February:

- 12 Parent-teacher Conferences 3-6:30
- 14 PTO Stupid Cupid Party 6-8
- 15 No School
- 18 Presents Day, No School
- 19 PTO Meeting 6:30 PM- Library

March:

- 14 Picture Day
- 15 End of Grading Period
- 19 PTO Meeting 6:30 PM-Library
- 25-29 Spring Break – No School

April:

- 4 6th Grade Awards 1:00
- 5 8th Grade Awards 12-1
7th Grade Awards 1:30-2:30
- 16 PTO Meeting-Library 6:30
- 23 LMS Musical Presented by Choral Department

May:

- 2 Spring Band Concert 7th/8th Grade 7 PM
- 7 6th Grade Band Concert 7 PM
- 14 PTO Meeting in Library 6:30
- 21 Choir Concert 7 PM
- 27 Memorial Day, No School
- 28 6th Grade Awards Program 8:30
7th Grade Awards Program 1:00
- 29 8th Grade Awards 7:45 am
Farewell Party 11-2
- 30 Cedar Point Tri



LMS PTO "Non" Fundraiser

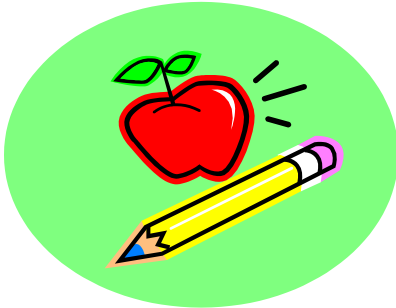
This fundraiser is in lieu of sending students home with the task of selling door-to-door, collecting money, and delivering goods. Please help us avoid that by supporting our PTO with your donation, and helping achieve our goals to support our students and faculty. If we work together and reach our goal of \$5000.00 you will receive no further fundraiser forms from the PTO this year. Please turn in your donation by December 11th for it to be eligible for the student award.

Thank you in advance for your support!

___ \$15 I do not want to bake, so here is the money I would have spent on those cupcakes.

___ \$25 I do not want to hit up friends, family, and co-workers, so here is the money I would have spent buying wrapping paper.

___ \$50 I do not want to walk, swim, or run in any activity that has the word "thon" in it. Here is the money I would have spent on my child's "free" t-shirt.



___ \$75 I do not want to attend any silent auctions, so here is the money I would have spent on a new outfit.

___ \$100 I really wouldn't have helped anyway, so here is \$100 to forget my name.

\$___ I am making this donation to express my appreciation for having nothing to buy, sell, or do except fill out this form.

Name _____ Phone # _____

Student Name _____ Grade _____

Thank you for your support!

