

LAKE FOREST PARK



LFP REPORTER

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January 29, 2019

Dear LFP Families:

We feel appreciated! Thank you to the Fourth Grade parents, Everest Kitchen Restaurant and Great Harvest Bread for the delicious lunch for staff last Tuesday. We enjoyed delicious homemade soups, warm bread, and desserts.

Congratulations to all of our Global Readers who participated last Thursday in the school Global Reading Challenge. The Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious Team. James Lyons, Itzel Morales Rodriguez, Tessa Murray, Lucia Rigsby, Abigail Warren and Jack Wilson won the challenge and will represent LFP at the district challenge on Feb. 28th at the Shoreline Center.

Kindergarten registration opens next week: Last Saturday, the PTA and school welcomed many of our incoming Kindergarten families at the district's Kinderfest. A big thank you to Mrs. Joanne Olson, Mrs. Ross, Angie Orthel and Michelle Fogerty for joining me to answer questions about LFP at Kinderfest. Kindergarten registration opens next Monday, Feb. 4th.

Honor Choir Concert Thursday: Everyone is invited to hear our amazing 5th and 6th grade Honor Choir students sing in the Eastside SingFest at Shorecrest High School at 7:00 pm this Thursday night. Our singers have been practicing for weeks and sound great!

CEE survey results: In October, we asked all parents, staff and intermediate students to take a climate survey about our school. We have the results back and I would like to share them with all families on February 5th after the Spelling Bee at 7:30 pm. Please let me know if you would like an interpreter for that event and one will be provided. Also, the survey results will be posted on our school website for all to see.

There is no school this Friday for the teachers to do grading and fill out report cards, which will go home on Friday, Feb. 15th. We have full day of school this Wednesday.

Remember to follow LFP on Facebook and Twitter to see upcoming events and pictures.

Thank you for sending us such great students!

Principal Miner

LIFE SKILLS FOR JANUARY



Flexibility: To be willing to alter plans when necessary.
Resourcefulness: To respond to challenges and opportunities in innovative and creative ways.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION FOR 2019-20

Kindergarten registration will begin on Monday, Feb. 4th at your neighborhood school. In order to attend kindergarten in the fall, your child must be five-years-old by August 31, 2019. Families who have siblings at LFP will get priority. Class sizes will be down from 23 to 20 students.

Year Book Group Pictures

This Thursday morning, Jan. 31st, group pictures for the year will be taken. This includes groups/clubs such as Safety Patrol, Homework Club, Band, Orchestra, etc. (Not class pictures)

Mark Your Calendars

- Wed. 1/30, 3:30 - 5/6 Play Auditions, PTA Office
- Wed. 1/30, 7:00 - Honor Choir Practice @ Shorecrest
- Thurs. 1/31 - End of Semester
- Thurs. 1/31 - Year Book Group Pictures
- Thurs. 1/31, 3:30- 5/6 Play Callbacks, PTA Office
- Thurs. 1/31, 7:00 - Honor Choir Performance @ Shorecrest
- Fri. 2/1 - NO SCHOOL, NON STUDENT DAY
- Mon. 2/4 - Kindergarten Registration Begins
- Mon. 2/4, 11:00 - Play & Learn, Loft
- Tues. 2/5, 6:30 - Spelling Bee, Cafeteria/Stage
- Tues. 2/5, 7:30 - CEE Survey Results/Cafeteria
- Wed. 2/6, 1:50 - Partial Release Wednesday
- Thurs. 2/7 - Save at School Banking Day
- Fri. 2/8, 9:30 - Primary Sing-A-Ling, Cafeteria
- Fri. 2/8, 6:30-8:30 pm - PTA Dolphin Dance

UPCOMING PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES WEEK

- Monday, March 4th 12:30-4:00 pm
- Tuesday, March 5th 12:30-8:00 pm
- Wednesday, March 6th - NO Conferences -
1:50 Partial Release Wednesday
- Thursday & Friday March 7th & 8th 12:30-4:00 pm

FROM THE HEALTH OFFICE



Kids Health Is It Safe To Vape Around Children?

It's **not safe** to use vape pens or e-cigarette devices around kids. The vapor from e-cigarettes has chemicals in it that can be harmful to kids.

There's another serious problem with e-smoking devices: Kids can get poisoned if they drink the liquid in nicotine delivery devices or refills. Kids can even get sick if the liquid gets on their skin. Because the candy flavors in many vaping solutions appeal to kids, a child might drink enough liquid to get seriously ill or even die.

Your best approach is to leave all vaping supplies out of reach of children.

Parents should always keep their e-cigs or vaping devices locked up.

That way you can't accidentally put a device or refill where a child might find it. If you leave a device or cartridge in your bag by mistake, lock it away like you would cleaning products, knives, and other dangerous items.

Call your **local poison center (1-800-222-1222)** right away if you think a child has been exposed to e-cigarettes and liquid nicotine. Signs of nicotine poisoning include:

- The child feels sick or is throwing up.
- The child looks pale.
- The child is sweating or drooling.
- The child has the jitters, is shaky, and has a fast heartbeat.

In large enough amounts, nicotine liquid can cause kids to have seizures or pass out. If that happens, call 911 immediately.

Even adults can be poisoned from being in contact with too much nicotine liquid. As you use or refill your device, be sure not to get any solution on your skin. When it's time to throw away a device or solution cartridge, follow the disposal instructions on the product label. That way nicotine solutions won't end up where kids or pets can get them.

Reviewed by: [Mary L. Gavin, MD](#)

Date reviewed: June 2015

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From the Desk of Our Family Advocate

Attention Lake Forest Park Families! Did you know that qualifying for Free/Reduced Lunch qualifies you for additional supports and services through our school district and also in the community? Families can receive discounted internet bills, city scholarships for summer camp, and other benefits even if you choose not to eat meals here at the school. If your family has not filled out a free/reduced lunch form to see if you qualify, please do! It's not too late! We have forms in the office or you can call food services to apply over the phone at 206.393.4209. If you have questions, please contact the family advocate:
katherine.henson@shorelineschools.org

Katherine Henson

Family Advocate

W, Th, F 8-4:00

206.393.1332

Federal Employee?

Are you or a family member a federal employee impacted by the federal shutdown? Households of furloughed employees may be eligible for free or reduced-price school meal benefits. While free or reduced eligibility is intended to reflect actual annual income, applications by reflect the current household situation. If your household is impacted, we encourage you to submit application available at the school office or on-line.

Please remember that, if approved, you will need to terminate or update your free/reduced status if the economic hardship are due to the furlough is remedied. This change could be due to returning to work and/or restoration of pay for the furlough period.

If you have any questions or need any other support, please contact our Food and Nutrition Services Department at 206-393-4209 or nutrition.services@shorelineschools.org.

CHEER THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

JANUARY: SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER

**FEBRUARY CHEER: DENTAL HYGIENE
SUPPLIES**



Please send regular sized items only. All donations go directly to The Works. You may send items in with your kid(s) or take them to the classroom. If it is more convenient, you can drop them off in The Works bucket outside the LFP office. For more information on The Works program, go to www.shorelinepta.org/the-works or email below:

Casie Tubbs and Erin McDermott, Co-Chairs
healthandfamilyservices@lfppta.org

Registration for Highly Capable Testing is now Open!

Are you interested in having your student assessed for highly capable services for next year? Shoreline is offering testing for hi-cap eligibility this Spring for any student not previously screened or tested during the 2018-2019 school year.

For more information or to register on-line, please visit www.shorelineschools.org/Domain/90. You may also contact the hi-cap program office at 206-393-4771. The deadline for registration is 4:00 pm Friday, February 15, 2019. No registrations will be accepted after this date.



NEWS FROM YOUR SCHOOL LIBRARY

Thank You LFP PTA For Refreshing Classic Books In Our Library

For the 2018-2019 school year, the LFP PTA provided the LFP school library with \$1200 to purchase classic books that were so well loved and read over the years that they needed replacement. We purchased 83 beautiful new books that are now being checked out by our students. Below you'll find a list of the books.

The LFP PTA provided funds for our library to purchase new copies of books in the Mr. Putter and Tabby, Ricky Ricotta, and Captain Underpants series, Among The Hidden, Beauty And The Beast, Cricket In Times Square, Danny, The Champion Of The World, Do You Want To Be My Friend?, Ender's Game, Hooray For Diffendoofer Day!, How Angel Peterson Got His Name, Howiday Inn, Hunches In Bunches, Icefire, Jacob Have I Loved, Katy And The Big Snow, Last Of The Really Great Whangdoodles, McElligot's Pool, Mr. Putter & Tabby Make A Wish, Nighty-Nightmare, Hank The Cowdog, Ralph S. Mouse, Redwall, Runaway Ralph, Scary, Scary Halloween, Shape Of Me And Other Stuff, Trouble With Trolls, Where The Red Fern Grows, Witches, 13 Treasures, Abyssinian Cats, Bartholomew And The Oobleck, Beagles, The BFG, Bippolo Seed And Other Lost Stories, Butter Battle Book, Carnivorous Carnival, Cinders, Collies, Dachshunds, Daisy Comes Home, Daisy-Head Mayzie, Dr. Seuss's Sleep Book, The End, Gingerbread Christmas, Golden Retrievers, Great Day For Up!, Grim Grotto, Hatchet, Hedgie Blasts Off!, The Hobbit, Horton Hatches The Egg, King's Stilts, Maine Coon Cats, Manx Cats, Martin The Warrior, Mermaid, Old English Sheepdogs, On Beyond Zebra, Owl And The Pussycat, Paper Bag Princess, Persian Cats, Siamese Cats, Small Steps : The Year I Got Polio, Socks, Thidwick : The Big-Hearted Moose, Twelve Days Of Christmas, Yertle The Turtle And Other Stories, Yorkshire Terriers

Thank you, LFP PTA! Our students will enjoy reading these classic books for years to come.

Frank Kleyn
Teacher-Librarian
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[Lake Forest Park Elementary School Library](#)
Shoreline Public Schools



SHORECREST PRESENTS
ASTRONOMY NIGHT FREE!

April 2nd 2019 Family Friendly!
6:30 - 8:30 Rain or Shine!
Shorecrest Highschool Crafts, Activities,
15343 25th Ave NE Displays, Robots,
Shoreline WA and more!



From the LFP Police Department

PLEASE FOLLOW THE RULES OF THE ROAD

The LFP Police are frequently present at the beginning and the end of the school day. They will be ticketing drivers who do not obey that law.



Please make sure to follow these rules:

- ~ Children under 13 years of age must be in back seat and in a booster and/car seat if under the age 9.
- ~ Only one child per seatbelt.
- ~ Do not talk on cell phones while driving.



SPEED VOLUME COUNTER COMING TO LFP

A speed volume counter will soon be posted to collect data North of 187th coming down the hill, due to complaints from residents who live in the area. Due to speeding and heavy traffic this is impacting the people that live in the neighborhood.

Shoreline School District # 412 does not discriminate against any protected classes. further further information on notice of non-discrimination, including the address and phone number of the Title IX office, visit:<http://www.shorelineschools.org>