



Lion's Mane News

*Lutheran School Association
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May 9, 2014

SUMMER BOXES FOR SOLDIERS

The seventh graders are up to something great again! They would like to make a final collection for the school year to send to our troops. If you would be willing to send in a few items to keep our troops smiling this summer, which would be greatly appreciated! They would like to make a summer theme box that would include the following:

Frisbees, Kool-aid singles, Mio drink mix, Beef jerky, Pringles, chips, Pop tarts, sunflower seeds, magazines, gum, sunblock, lotion, Ramen noodles, Peanut butter, Baby wipes, Shampoo, Soap

We hope to pack up the boxes near the end of the school year. As we look forward to summer vacation, we remember that our troops don't have the opportunity for breaks and vacations like we do. Thank you for helping the class out with this project!



McTeacher's Night is Tuesday, May 13th from 5:00 - 8:00 PM at the Forsyth McDonald's.

Come out and have dinner served by your favorite teachers!

Congratulations to

Elizabeth Herbord!

Elizabeth received a First Place (gold award) in the State Science Fair last Saturday. State Science Fair was attended by more than 1,000 7th-12th grade students.



The 5th - 8th grade Spring Concert is Monday, May 12th at 7:00 PM. Band will meet in the band room at 6:15, choir at 6:30. Students should wear nice jeans on bottom (no rips, holes, or frays), and a plain black top.

LSA Parents,

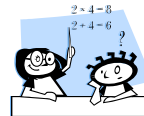
Many of you know me as the current LSA Librarian but you may remember me from the 2011-12 school year when I taught Kindergarten here. I am a certified teacher and I am now offering tutoring for LSA students (K-8). These will be one-on-one sessions that will take place in the LSA library after school. The cost will be \$20 an hour and I will also be tutoring over the summer to help students prepare for the upcoming school year. Please feel free to contact me to arrange a session or with any questions!

Email:

librarian_lsa01@yahoo.com

Phone: (708) 214-6529

Thank you,
Amanda Ray



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All School Chapel on Wednesday, May 14th

will be led by
Pastor Troy.

- **May 12th**
5-8 Concert & LSA Art Show 7:00 PM
Booster Club Meeting 6:00 PM - Theater
- **May 13th**
McTeacher's Night Forsyth McDonald's 5:00 - 8:00 PM
- **May 21st**
Market Day Pick-Up
- **May 22nd**
8th Grade Commencement 7:00 PM
- **May 23rd**
End of 4th Quarter All School Chapel Noon Dismissal High School Graduation
- **August 12, 13, and 14**
Registration Days
- **August 18**
First Day of School



Coffee Talk

With the end of school in sight, we hope everyone has exciting plans for the summer. But first, we would like to kindly remind everyone to make plans to finish paying any remaining balances on your accounts, such as tuition, ABC, and lunch. We also sent a letter home this week to any families still owing volunteer hours. Please make arrangements to finish your hours or pay the remaining fee. Thank you for your help in tying up any loose ends before summer. We also invite you to join us for the final Coffee with Mr. Karsten on Friday, May 23rd, at 7:45 AM in the board room by the library. We hope to see you there!





FOR YOUR HEALTH...



Needed:
Dental exam forms from Kindergarten, 2nd and 6th graders by the end of school.

As you plan your summer activities, remember to schedule your children's physical appointments. Incoming Kindergarten, 6th and 9th grade students will be required to provide a current physical for my files. *Sports physicals do not count for the 6th and 9th grade physicals.* Forms are available in the office. Dental exams are required for Kindergarten, 2nd and 6th graders.

Attention all LSA athletes!!!

Sports physicals are being offered by Dr Tuan and his staff on Tuesday, May 27, 2014 from 4-6pm AT LSA. This is an earlier date and place than previous years, so please take note! The location will be in the 1st grade classrooms. The cost is \$25. Payable to "DMH Medical Group". This is open to all LSA athletes. Physicals are required for participation in athletics at all levels.

Easter Seals Summer Tutoring

One-on-one tutoring for school-aged youth that have completed kindergarten. This is for students in need of individualized reading, math skills, or handwriting help. Teacher referrals are required. The tutor will establish goals, gather materials specific to the students' needs, and provide a final written assessment to the parents.

When: June 9th - July 24th

Make up sessions at the discretion of the tutor

Fees are a one time payment of:

\$85 (1/2 half hour session per week)

\$160 (1 hour session per week)

Before June 2nd or:

\$90 (1/2 hour session per week)

\$170 (1 hour session per week)

After June 2nd

Students will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis upon receipt of payment by June 2nd. Call 217-429-1052 extension 100 or 101 to sign your student up.

Drop off

May 12

May 19

NO SCRIP WEEK OF MAY 26

June 9

June 23

July 7

July 21

Pick-up

May 16

May 23

June 13

June 27

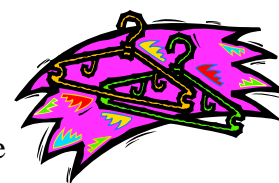
July 11

July 25



Scrip will run every other week throughout the summer. We will resume weekly orders when school starts in August.

LSA ReSale Shop will be having work nights every Thursday at 5:30 PM. All adults are invited! If you are looking for a way to get those last volunteer hours, call Judy at 423-6955 to volunteer.



Summer Spectacular! Come one, come all!

Boy Scout Troop 104 is having a rummage sale in the LSA multi-purpose room Friday, July 18th & Saturday, July 19th from 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM. Come out to support Troop 104 and learn more about Boy Scouts of America.

Headed to college in the fall?
Do you have kids heading to college in the fall?



Join Decatur Earthmover Credit Union on May 13th at 5:30pm in the Mt. Zion Branch Training Room for a seminar just for you: How DECU Can Help Send Your Child to College. We've got all the products and services that will make the move to school simple and easy!

RSVP by calling Jes at 217.872.3567, or emailing jyounghouse@decu.com. See you there!

Lions Sports News

Thank you to all of the volunteers at the track meet this past weekend. You helped raise over \$3,000 for the athletic program and booster club. It was a beautiful day and we had a great turn out for athletes and volunteers.

This is the 6th year I have been a part of the track meet and it's the first meet where we had more than enough volunteers to help with the meet.

Special Thank you to Susan Keane for running the concession stand and to our Coaches - Mike Koch, Jenny Mudd, Daniel Gibson, and Tim Greve.

Extra Curricular eligibility will be checked on a weekly basis in accordance with IESA guidelines. Eligibility is based on the grades available at the time of the check. If a student brings home an ineligibility slip on Friday, they are ineligible from Monday through the next Sunday. Changes in grades from the day of the check to any day within the time limit of the ineligibility will not change the length of the suspension from practices and games.
Notices must be signed and returned to the school office.
 Academics must come first.

Girls Summer Basketball Forms are due in the office no later than **May 26th**. If your 3rd-11th grade daughter is interested in playing summer basketball or participating in the LSA summer basketball camp and you did not attend the parent meeting, forms are attached.

LSA Lions Basketball Fundamentals Camp 2014

Who: Incoming 5th-9th grade boys and girls
 When: Friday May 30th: 3:00pm -6:00 pm
 Saturday May 31st: 8:00am -12:00pm
 Where: LSA Gymnasium
 Cost: \$50 per camper (checks payable to LSA) due May 16th

LSA Bass Fishing

All students entering 9-12th grades next year that are interested in fishing should contact Bo Brown at 217-519-4044. Once enough interest is generated, he will set up an informational meeting.





The Week In Sports



Friday, May 9th - High School Baseball VS Springfield Lutheran - **Home** at 4:30 PM
Saturday, May 10th - Junior High Track @ CID Meet in Heyworth
 High School Baseball @ Shiloh
 High School Softball @ Ridgeview at 10:00 AM
Monday, May 12th - High School Baseball VS Arthur Okaw Christian - **Home** at 4:30 PM
 High School Softball @ Central A&M at 4:30 PM
Tuesday, May 13th - High School Softball @ Argenta Oreana at 4:30 PM
 High School Baseball @ Okaw Valley at 4:30 PM
Wednesday, May 14th - High School Tennis @ MacArthur at 4:00 PM
Friday, May 16th - High School Softball @ Cerro Gordo at 4:30 PM
 High School Baseball @ Cerro Gordo at 4:30 PM
Saturday, May 17th - Junior High Track @ Lutheran State Meet
 High School Softball @ Central Catholic at 10:00 AM
 High School Boys Track @ Shelbyville at 9:30 AM




Lunch Menu for the Week of
May 12th - Week N


Week N	Corn Dog	Sloppy Joe	Baked Steak	Beef Nachos	Spaghetti
Pizza	Vegetable	Vegetable	Mashed Potatoes	Vegetable	Garlic Bread
	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Vegetable
	Cookie	Chips	Bread	Jello	Fruit

Library Volunteers			
May 13,14,15	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Morning	Brian Cravens	Sherri Vandermyde @ 9:15	Lynn Poland
Afternoon			

Used Book and Magazine Sale

Magazines: 25 Cents
 Paperback Books: 50 Cents
 Hardcover Books: \$1.00

When: May 12th, 13th, 14th from 3:30-4:00
 Where: Rm. 221 (Between 4B and Elem. Music)
 All proceeds will help the LSA Library purchase NEW books!



ABC News:

--NO SUMMER CARE THIS SUMMER--

Due to a low number of interested families, we will not be able to run the summer care program this summer. If you need information on other summer care programs in the area, please call Angie Martinek in the ABC office, or email angela.martinek@gmail.com, and I will be happy to help you find a program that works for you. Thank you to all the families that have used Summer Care in the past, and we hope to have a large enough group to have Summer Care next year!!

--Please remember to come in and sign your child out! All students signed in to afternoon ABC are not allowed to leave the building unless they are accompanied by an adult responsible for them. Please remember that we will not dismiss a student based on a text, phone call, or email. And as always, please remember to sign your student out.

--Toys in ABC: We are seeing a large number of toys being brought to ABC. While we don't mind if a student brings one toy or book from home, we ask that you do not bring more than that. Toys can cause problems in classrooms, get lost easily and be hard to share. Don't forget to label your items, and know what your student is bringing to school!

Mon. 5-12	Tues. 5-13	Wed. 5-14	Thurs. 5-15	Fri. 5-16
<p><u>CRAFTY MONDAY</u> Snack: Granola Bars Craft: Beads and bondoogle</p>	<p><u>COLORING PAGES</u> Snack: Cheese-its Craft: Coloring Pages</p>	<p><u>Wii WEDNESDAY</u> Snack: Chex Mix Craft: Pipe Cleaner Flowers</p>	<p><u>BINGO THURSDAY</u> Snack: Cookies</p>	<p><u>MOVIE FRIDAY</u> Snack: Popcorn Movie: Veggie Tales</p>