

January 15, 2010

Lamersville Elementary School

Lion's Press

Office Hours:

7:30 A.M.—4:00 P.M.

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209.835.0138

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209.835.3681

Attendance:

209.836.7221

Upcoming Events:

1/15 Progress Reports Go Home

1/18 No School Martin Luther King Holiday

1/20 9:00 Rhythm Assembly

1/26 Boys Basketball Game at Wicklund

1/28 Girls Basketball at Wicklund

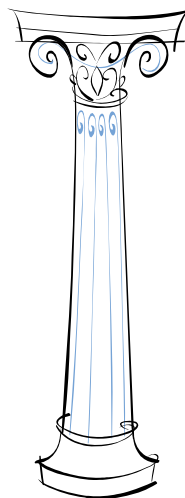
1/30 10 AM- 1 PM Moms and Muffins

Principal's Message

This month's pillar for our Character Counts! program is Caring. Some of the aspects of Caring are: being compassionate, empathetic, charitable, and helping people in need. At our last assembly I mentioned to the students that it's not enough to say that we care, but we have to take action and show someone that we care. The opportunity to really show caring has presented itself due to the devastating earthquake in Haiti. I will be speaking to Student Council to develop a plan to raise funds for the children of Haiti. Please be on the lookout for a flyer outlining the details of this effort. In the past, when a need has arisen, our school community has shown what it truly means to care, and I am confident that we will rise to the occasion once again.

~Mr. D'Amico

Congratulations to the following students for being our Students of the Month for December. These students were selected by their teachers for displaying the pillar of **Fairness**.



Mrs. Whelihan-	Sofia Orihuela
Ms. Scaffidi-	Blake Ornellas
Ms. Ofman-	Cody MacDermott
Mrs. Davis-	Joel Thielen
Mrs. Edwards-	Megan Perry
Ms. Naugle-	Nick Behling
Ms. Graham-	Mikayla Sanders
Mrs. Minasian-	Lexi Jensen
Ms. Graves-	Taylah Nusser
Mr. DeHoyos-	Nathan Kountz
Mrs. Watson-	Adv. Band-Chaz Samaniego;
	Beg. Band-Jason Soares;
	Choir-Mikayla Sanders
Mr. Herron-	Michaela Smith

READING FOR FUN

Six Flags Read to Succeed Forms have gone home with K-6th grade students. Each student who reads six hours for fun will receive a free ticket to Six Flags Marine World! Things to remember when you are reading:

- o You must read **for fun**; homework doesn't.
- o Keep track of your reading on your Student Reading Log.
- o You can read books, magazines, newspapers, or comics.
- o An adult must sign your reading log.
- o Forms are due to your teacher by February 19th, 2010.



Early Arrivals

Students should not be arriving to school before 7:30 A.M.

We do not have supervision of students before 7:30 A.M. Students arriving between 7:30 and 7:50 A.M. are to proceed to the cafeteria. After 7:50 A.M., students may play outside until school begins.

Lion's Press Online!

You can find the latest issue of the Lion's Press online at:

www.lammersvilleschooldistrict.net



**Mr. Herron's
P.E. Reminder**

Parents, please have your children bring layers of clothing to school for the cold weather. It will be cold for the next couple of months and it is my philosophy to be outside and moving whenever possible.

Sincerely,
Mr. Herron



Planned Absences

★ If your child will be absent five or more days in a row, please inquire with your child's teacher or the office staff as soon as possible. You may be able to put your child on an Independent Study Program. This allows your student to receive attendance credit, stay current with his or her school work, and Lammersville Elementary receives funding.



ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK TODAY!!!

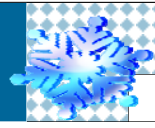
Full Color Yearbooks on Sale!!!!

The price is \$30 from now until April 2nd.

Beginning April 3, 2010, the price increases to \$35.00 until all books are sold out!

Order forms are available in the school office.





LSF NEWS

Happy 2010! We are very excited about the rest of the year and the many events coming up. Updates will be printed in the Lion's Press monthly, but you are always welcome to attend a meeting and find out what's happening first-hand. LSF meets the second Tuesday of every month in the library at 5:30 P.M.

Moms and Muffins-Moms and Muffins will take place on Saturday, January 30, 2010. Please see the attached flier for more information. The last day to purchase tickets is Monday, January 25th.

Field Enhancement – Several parents have asked about the progress on the baseball field we discussed at the end of last year. While we believed it would have been completed by now, it has not been an easy task finding somebody with the knowledge of how to complete this project AND who is willing to do it on a volunteer basis or for a reasonable price. We are happy to announce that we have found both. As of now, the District is researching ways to alleviate the gopher problem on the field, and we hope to begin construction of the field in the spring. A drawing of the proposed field will be included in a future Lion's Press. Please know that we are working very hard to see this project to completion and appreciate all the efforts that have taken place to fund it. Thank you for your patience.

The Cookie Dough winner's assembly will be on Thursday, January 28th at 1:30 p.m. The top seller from each class will get to make Mr. D'Amico into a cookie. This is a really fun assembly and we hope you will join us.

The Parking Spot Winner for the month of January is the Burton Family. Congratulations!

Annual Auction/Dinner Dance

Come to the Luau!!!! On the evening of **Saturday March 6, 2010**, LSF will be hosting our Annual Dinner Auction Dance. This year, the theme will be a Luau. The event will be held at the Elks Lodge in Tracy and will include a mouth watering, gourmet, Polynesian Dinner by Fresh Catering. Come enjoy a Lei Greeting, Live Auction, Silent Auction, Prize Drawing, Dancing and more! This event is for adults only. Tickets will be \$25 per person. Be on the look out for more details to come.

Classroom Auction Baskets- Please also be on the lookout for information from your student's classroom parent. Each class provides a themed basket to be auctioned off at the Auction Dinner/Dance. The room parent from each class will organize this basket and will be looking for parent ideas and assistance to create the best auction basket possible.

The Event Planning Team is also working on getting donations from businesses to support and/or be auctioned off at this event. If you have a connection to a business that we could reach out to, please contact Shari Burton at twinzplusone@sbcglobal.net. We would truly appreciate your help!