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Llewellyn Friday Family Announcements

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A Message from Principal Pam

Change is in the air! The leaves are turning and the air is chillier. Some people respond to these changes by taking things in stride while others tend to balk. At Llewellyn, we like to look at change with a growth mindset-how can we create a more positive school climate, how can we improve student achievement for all students? On October 18th at 8:30 am I will be hosting my first *Perk Up With Pam* coffee chat in the Cafetorium. Please join me as I share with you State Achievement Testing Results along with the Successful School Survey Results and how these results impact our goals and action plans for this school year. I hope to see you there!

As you know, safety is a high priority here at Llewellyn. I understand that it has been a long standing practice for students to stay after school to use the playground equipment and to play soccer in our field. Many times there are adults present while students play. Recently the question has come up about whether students can play on the field after school hours without adult supervision. While I could not locate any District Policy saying students can or cannot play without supervision on the playground, I want to draw everyone's attention again to the Safety Section of our School Handbook which states "We do not have staff available to supervise children before and after school hours. Please do not drop your child off at school before 7:45am. Be sure to pick them up at 2:15. We cannot assume liability for children beyond these hours." Please help your child to make the safest and most responsible decision for your family.

From the office:

Please be VERY aware of the bus zones! We have had quite a few parents parking in the marked bus zones (especially in the back) and we need to keep these areas clear. Also, the parking lot in the back of the building is for designated staff ONLY. Please do not pull into this area - not even to drop off! The loop in the back of the school by the playground is a NO PARKING ZONE. This space is needed for the busses that park in the back to turn around. Thank you for your support of our students!

Additionally, our school Health Room is in need of extra clothing for larger students (9 and up). Donations can be brought to the Office or the Health Room.

Finally, the new visitor / volunteer system (Raptor) is up and running! A photo ID **WILL BE REQUIRED** to sign in the first time as both a visitor OR volunteer. Thank you for your patience as we scan each new person into the system! Need more information? Check this out: Raptor Parent Letter_Revised.pdf

From the School Counselor:

Hello Families!

As we begin to approach holidays and breaks, I wanted to reach out and provide information about Llewellyn's Community Care Program. Llewellyn's Community Care program helps to support families who are needing assistance with food, clothing, and holiday gifts. We are partnering with our PTA and local community agencies to be able to provide these items. Please know that all support is confidential and your family will work directly with the school counselor. If you would be interested in receiving support please complete the attached letter: Llewellyn Community Care Program Letter.pdf As always if you have additional questions, please feel free to contact me via email at bsill@pps.net

Thank you!

Mrs. Brittany

The Charleston Gift Wrap Fundraiser has begun!

Please check your student's backpacks for order forms and information! Proceeds go to support Visual Arts Education at Llewellyn Elementary. Checks should be made out to Llewellyn. Thank you for your support! Order forms and funds are due back on October 10th!

Do you still need a Chinook Book?

Look for a 5th grader on the black top after school Today Friday October 4th to purchase a book or app directly. Don't forget to bring cash or check. We also accept Venmo.

There are some great coupons in this book. Especially some of our neighborhood businesses that help support our school throughout the year.....PDX Sliders, Pizzicato, Oodles, the Bull and the Bee, Tilde, Collage, Bike Gallery, Sellwood Pet Supply (I've seen a lot of new puppies around)

Envelopes to order print book/app combos and apps have come home in your child's backpack. Instructions are attached to the back of the envelope. They can be turned in to the office. Orders will be fulfilled as soon as they are received.

NEW MOBILE FUNDRAISING: Chinook Book has launched a new way to earn recurring revenue. Click on this link to download this on your phone:

https://chinook.co/llewellynelementary OR Just go to chinookbookmobile.com to download the app. Go to the "Purchase Full Access" screen on the "More" menu to pay for your subscription and enter the Partner ID: llewellynelementary to have your purchase benefit our fundraiser.

Become a promoter: From the app Go to the "My Promotions" tab under the More menu to begin promoting fundraiser to friends and family via text message, email or social media. Each purchase they make with your special link will benefit the fundraiser AND add 7 days of full access to your own Chinook Book account.

Plus! Their subscription will continue to benefit our fundraiser year after year as long as we continue to fundraise with Chinook Book.

If you have any questions, contact Tammy Dean at lewellynchinookbook@gmail.com

Bottle Drop!

Due to great demand, the first and third Wednesday of every month we will be collecting filled (blue) bags at Llewellyn to be returned to the local Bottle Drop location via parent volunteer. Please

bring in your bags ONLY on these days BEFORE school. Thank you for your understanding and support! Empty bags are available from the school office.

Scholastic Book Fair is October 14th-18th!

Volunteer- Book Fair cashiering is fun and easy! Volunteer sign up is on Konstella: https://www.konstella.com/app/school/5997c874e4b0d4998e8e56f2/signups/ 5d8abf97e4b0bdf45b35aacc

Set up an eWallet account- It's a great alternative to cash, safe and secure, you can set a spending limit and unused funds are returned to your card. eWallet is a good option for kids who will be shopping independently during the school day or before or after school.

Shop online October 6th-19th- If you can't make it to Book Fair and still want to support library and classroom reading, shop online. New this year: All online orders ship to home, and there is free shipping for book-only orders over \$25. Use our Book Fair home page link to ensure Llewellyn school rewards.

Check out our Home Page for information about our Book Fair, eWallet, and link to online shopping:

https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/llewellyn

Questions? Email Margaret at m.forsythe13@gmail.com

BINGO

Get your Babysitters! Get ready to have a night away from the kids this is an adult only event to raise money for Llewellyn Foundation.

BINGO night is Saturday October 19th from 7-10pm at Westmoreland Union Manor!

This is a Foundation Fundraiser.

When: Saturday October 19 7:00pm-10:00pm

Where: Westmoreland Union Manor - Street parking only

- Your first Bingo card is \$20, each card after that is \$5. All proceeds go to the Foundation.
- There will be desserts and snacks for free.
 - Donations to the Foundation can be made with checks and credit cards at the event, and there will be laptops set up to sign up for monthly or one time giving.
- There will be tons of awesome gift cards and prizes.
- Bingo cards and adult beverages are available for purchase.
- This is an adults only event...get your babysitters ASAP
 Do you want to help or have a personal or company donation for the event? Use this sign up https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C054AA8AC2EA3FF2-bingo5
- If you have any questions please email Sarah Erickson s.erickson520@comcast.net
- The first card of BINGO will be called at 7:20. Doors open at 7:00

The 13th Llewellyn Holiday Market is coming up on November 16th from 10:00am-3:00pm! Please mark your calendars for this day of handmade goodness and look for the vendor application coming home with your student (or see attached: 2019 Llewellyn Holiday Market Application.pdf).

Cleveland Youth Boys Basketball Winter League Information for grades 3rd-8th

The Cleveland Youth Basketball Program is organizing Boys REC Teams for grades 3rd-5th. Registration opens October 1st, space is limited and registration is first come first serve. All REC league teams require parent volunteer coaches. REC season practices will begin in November, Pre-Season Jamboree is in December and League games are on Saturdays Jan-Feb. Cost is \$195. More information and REC registration is available here: https://www.clevelandwarriors.com/rec-warriors

Warrior Prep: Cleveland Youth also offers a club tournament/travel team option for advanced skilled 5th-8th grade boys. Tryouts for Warrior Prep teams are REQUIRED and will take place, November 2nd & 3rd. Register to tryout here: https://www.cleveland-warriors.com/warrior-prep

PIL Middle School League: PIL team tryouts for grades 6th-8th, are happening in mid November. Tryouts for PIL teams are also required, tryouts will be mid November. Players interested in playing on a PIL team, must pre-register to tryout here : https://www.cleveland-warriors.com/pil-youth. Players must reside within the CHS Boundary and have current sports physical, signed by physician. Youth PIL Coaches are needed for all grade levels. PIL Youth Coaches are PAID positions, clearance through PPS is required. For more information about coaching a Cleveland Youth Boys team, please email us at: info@cleveland-warriors.com

Important Dates:

October 11	NO SCHOOL – Teacher In-Service Day
October 14	K-2 Star Assembly 1:30PM Gift Wrap Sales End
October 14-18	Book Fair
October 15	Reading Night 6:00-7:30PM
October 18	Perk Up with Pam 8:30AM - Cafetorium
October 19	Foundation BINGO Night
October 21	3-5 Star Assembly 1:30PM
October 27	Monster March – Begins 3:00PM @ Llewellyn
October 29	Fall Photo Re-Takes
October 31	Pumpkin Carving Contest
November 1	NO SCHOOL – Teacher Planning Day
November 4	K-2 Star Assembly 1:30PM Wreath Sales Begin
November 5	PTA Meeting 7:00PM

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November 11	NO SCHOOL – Veteran's Day
November 14	Wreath Sales End
November 16	Holiday Market 10:00AM-5:00PM
November 18	3-5 Star Assembly 1:30PM
November 19	Kindergarten Concert 6:30PM
November 25-26	Parent Teacher Conferences 8:00AM-8:00PM (NO SCHOOL)
November 27-29	NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break
December 3	Wreath Delivery
	PTA Meeting 7:00PM
December 9	K-2 Star Assembly 1:30PM
December 10	First Grade Concert 6:30PM
December 16	3-5 Star Assembly 1:30PM
December 20	Fall After School Classes End
December 21-Januar	y 5 NO SCHOOL – Winter Break
January 6	School Resumes

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