Monthly Update

Lincoln Middle School
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734-484-7085

November 2019

Principal Green’s Monthly Newsletter

Click on the image above to open the newsletter.

Quarter Ending Dates
End of Q2: Friday, Jan 24
End of Q3: Friday, Apr 9
End of Q4: Friday, Jun 12

Monday, December 2
3-5:30 pm LMS Drama – Frozen Rehearsals @ Media Center

4:15 - 7th Grade Blue Boys BB (A) vs. Mill Creek
5:30 - 8th Grade Blue Boys BB (A) vs. Mill Creek

4:15 – 7th Grade Gray Boys BB (H) vs. Ypsilanti
5:30 – 8th Grade Gray Boys BB (H) vs. Ypsilanti

Thursday, December 5
4:15 – District PTO Meeting @ CO Conference Room

4:15 - 7th Grade Blue Boys BB (A) vs. Adrian
5:30 - 8th Grade Blue Boys BB (A) vs. Adrian

4:15 – 7th Grade Gray Boys BB (H) vs. Jackson
5:30 – 8th Grade Gray Boys BB (H) vs. Jackson

Friday, December 6

Early Release Day
Dismissal 12:23 pm

December 6, 2019 - 6 – 8 pm
Winter Dazzle Dance

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS

2:45 pm -- Room 707

4:15 - 7th Grade Blue Boys BB (H) vs. Jackson Parkside
5:30 - 8th Grade Blue Boys BB (H) vs. Jackson Parkside

4:15 – 7th Grade Gray Boys BB (A) vs. Monroe
5:30 – 8th Grade Gray Boys BB (A) vs. Monroe

Frigid Fridays
Hot Cocoa Available
Before School $1.00
### Saturday, December 7
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Family Swim**
LHS Pool

### Thursday, December 12

**RAHS Vision Day**
(734) 714-9509

Please review the Student Code of Conduct located in the front of the student agenda with your student.

### Monday, December 9

**cru After School**
2:45 – 4:00

Room 606 – Blue Hall

4:15 - 7th Grade Blue Boys BB (H)
vs. Beach

5:30 - 8th Grade Blue Boys BB (H)
vs. Beach

4:15 – 7th Grade Gray Boys BB (A)
vs. Saline

5:30 -- 8th Grade Gray Boys BB (A)
vs. Saline

### Tuesday, December 10

2:45 pm -- Room 707

**Science Club**

2:45 pm – 3:45 BOSS Meeting

### Wednesday, December 11

Subject Level Staff Meeting

4:15 - 7th Grade Blue Boys BB (A)
vs. Saline

5:30 - 8th Grade Blue Boys BB (A)
vs. Saline

4:15 – 7th Grade Gray Boys BB (H)
vs. Bedford

5:30 -- 8th Grade Gray Boys BB (H)
vs. Bedford

### Saturday, December 14
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Family Swim**
LHS Pool

### Monday, December 16

4:15 - 7th Grade Blue Boys BB (A)
vs. Tecumseh

5:30 - 8th Grade Blue Boys BB (A)
vs. Tecumseh

4:15 – 7th Grade Gray Boys BB (H)
vs. Beach

5:30 -- 8th Grade Gray Boys BB (H)
vs. Beach
Last Day of Classes before Winter Break

Friday, December 20

Classes Resume
Monday, January 6, 2020

About PBIS

PBIS stands for Positive Behavior Support. It is a program designed to teach respect, responsibility, and safety at school. We at LMS hope to encourage students to continuously make good behavior choices by implementing this program.

PBIS provides teachers and other school staff with information to prevent behavior problems and support ongoing efforts to maintain a safe learning environment.

Research shows that the use of PBIS in schools has resulted in increased time for instruction. In addition, it increases positive behaviors school-wide, therefore decreasing disruptive behaviors.

What Can Parents Do?

• Parents can help by reading and discussing the Behavior Expectations Matrix found in the student agenda on a regular basis.

• If your child experiences behavior problems in school, review with them the Behavior Expectations Matrix.

• Work on a plan to assist your child with strategies for appropriate behaviors.

• Support teacher and administrative behavior decisions. Discuss problems privately with staff.

• Volunteer to be a parent member of the LMS PBIS team.

• Chaperone PBIS sponsored events.

How the Program Works

• All students and staff are taught the school-wide expectations and they receive regular and frequent opportunities to practice them and be acknowledged when they use them.

• Contact that students have with adults in the building focuses on positive reinforcement as opposed to negative reinforcement. It is our goal to provide students with positive interactions using a reward system.

• Staff uses data to make decisions regarding school behavior expectations.

• A PBIS school provides consistent rewards and interventions for all students.
Engage@EMU

This year, as part of our College and Career Readiness Goals, the sixth and seventh grade students will have an opportunity to step foot on a college campus to explore a variety of career interests.

Engage@EMU is a student-centered camp that allows our kids to explore, experience, and have fun while learning about a career plan of their choosing.

Students will select a “camp” they wish to attend during their 3-day EMU experience. Possible career classes include: Aviation, Computer: Digital Inclusion (building computers), Photography, Nursing, Drones, Theater and more.…

7th Grade Camp – May 5-7
6th Grade Camp – May 13-15

Engage@EMU is a day camp. Students will be transported to EMU each day and returned to school in time to ride the bus home.

Approximate Cost is $120.00 per student. We are working hard to reduce this cost by holding fundraisers that will support the greater good (reduce cost for all students)

• Aubree’s Dine to Donate nights (through Oct)
• Snap Raise (similar to GoFundMe) Information will come out later as an exact date is not set
• Reaching out to local businesses for support
• Additionally, EMU is looking into grants to help support our students

A final cost per student will come out after January 2020. At that time parents will have the option of paying in installments or paying in full.

There will be an informational meeting Wednesday Sept. 25th at 5:30 in the Middle School Media Center. I look forward to seeing you.

If you have any questions please contact:
Kim Atkins (6th grade) at atkins@lincolnk12.org
Becca Ward (counseling) at ward@lincolnk12.org
Sheryl Doty (7th grade) at doty@lincolnk12.org

Dear LMS Parent or Caregiver, you are invited to participate in a paid survey about student health. This anonymous survey should take 5-7 minutes. For completing the survey, you will be sent a $5 Walmart e-gift card. This survey will help assess and improve health services at your child’s school. Click here to take the survey (offered in several languages) or to find out more.”

Parent and Caregiver FAQs: click here
Parent and Caregiver Survey: click here

Parent shopping is available on Wednesday and Friday in the from 7:30 am - 8:00 am.
If this time doesn't work for some reason we are able to schedule by appointment. 734-484-7085
Athletic Office Hours
Submit MHSAA Physical and Consent Forms
9:00 am-12:00 pm or 1:00-4:00 pm
The athletic office is located behind the high school and across from the football field entrance.
The completed MHSA form can be scanned and sent to hasten@lincolnk12.org or Fax to 734-484-7020.
The MHSA form that is incomplete will be rejected and will make your child ineligible to tryout until completed.
Coaches are unable to accept the MHSA form.

MS Team Information
Basketball 7/8 Grade
Boys: November-December 2019
Coach Crowner crowner@lincolnk12.org
Coach Bargardi bargardim@lincolnk12.org
Coach Collns jessiccollins804@gmail.com
Coach Davis davisa@lincolnk12.org
Girls: January-March 2020
Coach Bargardi bargardim@lincolnk12.org

6th Grade Boys and Girls – Nov-Jan 2020
www.lincolncommunityeducation.com

Cheer 6/7/8
Sideline: June 2019-October 2019
Competitive: November 2019-March 2020
Coach Cook lincolncheer23@yahoo.com

Cross Country 6/7/8
Boys and Girls August-October 2019
Coach Guziel guziel@lincolnk12.org

Football 7/8
August – October 2018
lincolnfootball@gmail.com

Swim
November 2019-January 2020
Coach Andrew Duncan
Afduncan98@gmail.com

Sports Schedules
8th Grade Football
7th Grade Football
8th Grade Volleyball Gray
8th Grade Volleyball Blue
7th Grade Volleyball Gray
8th Grade Volleyball Blue
MS Cross Country

MS Athletic Fee: $100. The fee is a one time fee for the school year.
($50 for students receiving free or reduced lunch, please complete the verification form).
MS Fee Online Payment a bank card, credit card or E-check is available.