

Lakeview Elementary School: 475-7803

Opening ceremonies took place at Lakeview on Monday morning. No, we won't be competing in physical Olympic challenges this month of March, but we will be competing "READING" style. Children are excited to participate in this year's activities. Students will strive to reach goals in reading throughout the entire month. Our Dr. Seuss Marathon took place on Tuesday in celebration of his birthday. There are so many lessons in his books, but one of my personal favorites is the message in "Oh the Places You'll Go."



The story begins ...

"Congratulations! Today is your day. You're off to Great Places! You're off and away! You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself any direction you choose."

In the middle...

"On and on you will hike, And I know you'll hike far and face up to your problems whatever they are."

The story ends....

"And will you succeed? Yes! You will, indeed! (98 and 3/4 percent guaranteed.) KID, YOU'LL MOVE MOUNTAINS!"

There are so many lessons in children's books. Seize the opportunity this March while your children are diligently striving to reach their reading goals. Please attend our Family Reading Night, March 16th. Come and enjoy an evening of "good books" with friends and family.

Happy Reading,

Mrs. Peterson
Principal

Rain and sunshine are not the only things that create a rainbow!

A special student drew me a picture of a beautiful rainbow today. It is hanging in my office and is the inspiration for my message this week. As I look at such a beautiful symbol, the rainbow, I realize the importance of each and every color. Without each color, a rainbow is not complete. Our students show many colors too! On happy days one might describe himself as yellow or orange; when excited, maybe red; feeling sad may be described as blue or purple. Experiencing all of these "colors" is so important in the emotional development of youngsters and talking about these feelings will help them to identify appropriate ways of expressing themselves.



Trying to make sense of all the emotions one feels may be difficult for students as they continue to grow and develop, but one thing is for sure: every child creates his or her own rainbow and that rainbow is special. Talk to your child about his or her "colors" and experience the beauty of their rainbow!

With Brightness,

Kellie Boase
Assistant Principal

Kindergarten/Young Fives Registration

In order to register for Young Fives or Kindergarten, children must be 5 years old by December 1, 2010. Registration for these programs for the 2010 - 2011 school year will take place in the Lakeview Library on Tuesday, March 9th from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (*Snow date is Thursday, March 11.*) This is an informative and registrational meeting for parents. Children need not attend. Parents will have an opportunity to have questions answered by staff regarding transportation, breakfast/lunch, latchkey, and the nurse. Parents who are unable to make the evening meeting can register on Wednesday, March 10th from 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. at the Lakeview office. (*Snow date is March 12.*) **There will be no tours or information provided on March 10;** this date is set aside strictly for registration.

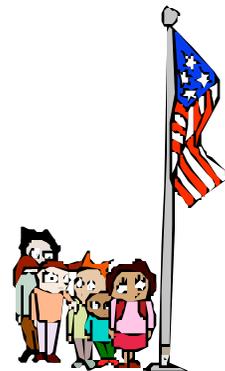
To sign up for registration, please call the Lakeview office at 475-7803 ext. 0.

When registering, please bring your child's:

- state-issued birth certificate
- immunization record
- current picture

Kindergarten/Young Fives Screening

Screening will take place Monday, April 12 through Friday, April 16 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church. Appointments will be made for this screening when you call to register .



March Reading Month Schedule:

March 10: D.E.A.R. Day (Drop Everything And Read Day)

March 12: Mismatch Day. Wear clothes that don't match. *Remember to follow the Handbook code.*

March 15-19: Students who have published a book through Publishing Center can read it during library time.

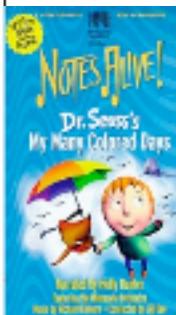
March 16: Family Reading Night/Silent Basket Auction. *See Page 2 for more information.*

March 19: Twin Day. Friends dress similarly.

March 22-26: Presentations by Connie Hemmila, Native American Storyteller, during Library time.

March 26: Dress Like a Star Day. Students can dress up like a star in a book or movie. *Remember to follow the Handbook dress codes.*

March 29-March 31: Star Lab Presentations. Students will visit a mobile Star Lab and learn about stars.



100-DAY COLLECTION/PENNY JUG WAR: STUDENTS VERSUS STAFF

On February 11th, the 100th day of school, \$273.68 worth of pennies was collected by students to begin the penny jug war, a competition between the grade levels and staff. Through the week of February 22nd students and staff members placed pennies in their own grade level jug, and sometimes silver coins or dollar bills in other grade levels jugs, to 'take away' points from the other grade levels.

Congratulations to the 5th Grade, the First Place Winners, who raised \$5.37 more than the First Grade, Second Place Winners. The total amount of money raised for the Penny Jug War was an outstanding **\$2230.88!**

The money was donated as follows: 75% (\$1673.16) to UPDON (UP Diabetes Outreach Network)
25% (\$ 557.72) to Lakeview's new playground.

Thank you all for contributing to worthy causes, and having fun doing it! Good job everyone!



AMCAB Preschool Screening

AMCAB is once again offering free preschool developmental screening for children who will be 3 or 4 years of age on or before December 1, 2010.

AMCAB Programs include Preschool Head Start, Early Head Start and Great Start School Readiness for 4-year olds.

To register, call AMCAB at 228-6522 or 1-800-562-9762.

Children with disabilities welcome.



The S.H.I.N.E. Volunteer Office is looking for your help!



- Volunteers are needed to help with students during gym classes from 9:15-11:30 a.m. March 8-12 when they go snowshoeing with Mrs. Bigalk.
- Volunteers are needed to help put the Silent Auction baskets together on March 16th beginning at 9 a.m.
- A Library volunteer is needed for Wednesday mornings from 9:15-11:30 a.m.

Please contact Diane at the S.H.I.N.E. Volunteer office at 475-0229 if you are able to help.

**FAMILY READING NIGHT
March 16th**

Lakeview's annual reading night will begin at 6:00 p.m in the cafeteria. You will be able to listen to 3 out of 5 readers, make bids on theme baskets in the Silent Auction and enjoy refreshments. Bring the whole family for a night of fun!



SCHOOL CALENDAR

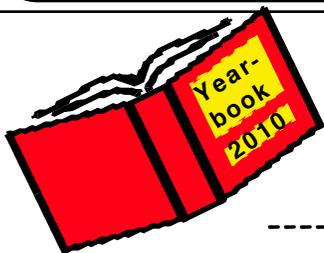
Spring Break: Apr. 2 through Apr. 9
Ice Cream Social/ Talent: May 13
Spring Concert grades 3,4,5: May 27
School Picnic: May 28
Field Day: June 1, Grades 4 & 5 Only
No School: May 31
Last Day of School: June 4

For the Safety of All Children

Please do not send **hand sanitizer** with your child to school. If you would like to donate hand sanitizer to your child's classroom this would be greatly appreciated. Children are NOT allowed to have hand sanitizer in their desks or lockers. Hand sanitizer will still be used in classroom but supervised by staff.

REMINDER:

Athletic shoes are being collected at Lakeview through March. The shoes collected will be recycled into athletic courts and tracks. Shoes in good condition will be donated for reuse.



Don't Miss Out...Order Your 2009-10 Yearbook!

The cost for the yearbook is \$ 20.00 and checks can be made payable to **Lakeview School**. There will only be prepaid orders, so don't miss out! Fill out the form below and return it with your payment to the S.H.I.N.E. office. **Late forms will be accepted until April 1.**

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Grade/Teacher _____

Popcorn Sales for the last 14 weeks: The cost is 25 cents a bag with a limit of one bag per student. To make it easier for kids AND parents, popcorn can be ordered in advance by filling out the form below. Return the form to the SHINE office. The cost for the last 14 weeks is \$ 3.50. If you wish to pay by check, please make it payable to **Lakeview Popcorn**. Popcorn will still be sold for 25 cents every Friday for those who do not order in advance.

Student's Name _____ Teacher _____

Parent/Guardian _____ Phone _____

Dates I want popcorn (please check)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> March 5 | <input type="checkbox"/> April 16 | <input type="checkbox"/> May 14 | |

I have enclosed _____ for _____ weeks of popcorn at 25 cents each.

