

Fun and numbers, do the two go together? The past few weeks at Lakeview they certainly have done just that. I would like to share a few numbers with you regarding our student body and recent activities. They are fun facts for you to reflect on and be proud of.

360 boys and 315 girls make up our student body at Lakeview. The Fifth Grade class is the largest with 115 and our Fourth Grade is the smallest with 89. Our average class size is 102. The First and the Third Grades are the only grades where girls outnumber the boys.

Our attendance numbers have stabilized and we are running full steam ahead. Students and teachers have weathered the illness that plagued the surrounding districts to the point of closing the doors. Lakeview takes pride in the fact that attendance is a top priority for students and teachers.

I would also like to inform you of the attendance percentage at our first Parent Power Hour. A grand total of 195 parents attended our mathematics session with their children over the course of a couple weeks. That is 30% of our students here at Lakeview. Our hope is that parents found it very valuable and pass the information on to others in the school community.

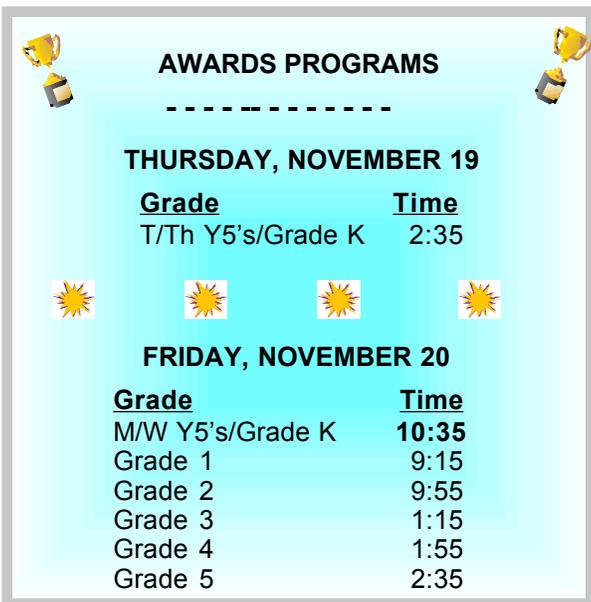
Finally, I would like to end by sharing with you that our student body participated in the memorial activities on November 11th. Nearly 100% of our student body was present to honor those who help make education possible for all children in the United States.

Mrs. Peterson, Principal

"Do we really need more time, or do we simply need to use our time more wisely?"  
~Amy Jones

It seems that as quickly as the sun rises, it is setting on what we hope has been a productive day! As Daylight Savings Time settles in and our children adjust to our "extra" hour everyday, we have the opportunity to evaluate how well we are spending our time. Our young ones will learn good time management if they see good time management. Here at Lakeview, we do our best to model good strategies for self-evaluating personal productivity and hope these strategies carry over to their home environment. Having a designated time set aside for homework, review, or reading each evening will allow for both academic and personal growth. This provides good practice for educational tasks and emphasizes the importance of prioritizing wants and needs. As we make it through every "tick" and "tock", lets remember that we need to "watch" our little ones and help them make good time management choices so they can make the best of every moment both in school and at home!

Mrs. Boase, Assistant Principal



**AWARDS PROGRAMS**

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**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19**

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Time</u>
T/Th Y5's/Grade K	2:35

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Time</u>
M/W Y5's/Grade K	<b>10:35</b>
Grade 1	9:15
Grade 2	9:55
Grade 3	1:15
Grade 4	1:55
Grade 5	2:35

## Lakeview Contributes to UNICEF

Once again the students of Lakeview Elementary School conducted an outstanding campaign for UNICEF. A total of \$706.43 was collected to help children around the world with medical care, education, clean water, and food and nutrition.

The Pumpkin Trophy was won by Mrs. Finkbeiner's 5th Grade class with \$121.01. The remaining classes collected the following amounts:

Mrs. Stetson's Class - \$ 96.13  
Mr. Collins' Class - \$ 89.05  
Mrs. Beacco's Class - \$ 62.55  
Mrs. Kytta's Class - \$ 56.81  
Mrs. Schneider's Class - \$ 49.70  
Mrs. Belanger's Class - \$ 25.45  
Mrs. Kus' Class - \$ 23.41  
Remaining Classrooms - \$ 182.32



Thank you everyone for your help and generosity!

Janelle Collins, UNICEF Coordinator

## Canathon Winners

Congratulations to Mrs. Ferns' 2nd Grade class, winners of the Y5 - 2nd Grade Steelworkers' Canathon! Together these boys and girls collected a total of 417 pounds of food!

Congratulations to Mrs. Kus' 5th Grade class, winners of the 3rd - 5th Grade Steelworkers' Canathon! Together they collected a total of 146 pounds of food!

Great job, kids! Enjoy your much deserved pizza parties.



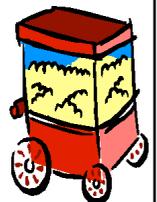
Popcorn was provided today.

Just a reminder, any student who has prepaid for the last two weeks when popcorn was not available, will be marked two weeks at the end of the paid period. Students who pay weekly and paid for popcorn on October 31st received their popcorn today.

Thank you for your patience!



There! All better!



## Menu Change

Did you know that one in three students will be diagnosed with diabetes because of the sugar content in their diets? I didn't! I just learned this from our school nurse.

Because of these statistics, I have decided to eliminate high-sugared cereals from our menus at Lakeview School.

Also, in observance of Diabetes Awareness Month, chocolate milk will not be offered for the month of November.

Hazel Blandford, Food Service Supervisor

Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on November 18 and 23 from 4:30 - 7:00 p.m.

Assigned parent conference times were sent home on Monday, November 9. We look forward to seeing you!

**Elks National Hoop Shoot Contest**

This event is for all boys and girls, ages 8 through 13  
 (Age group will be determined by child's age as of April 1, 2010.)  
 Where: Lakeview Gym  
 When: Saturday, November 21st  
 Time : 11:00 a.m.



There will be three divisions for boys and girls:  
 8/9 10/11 11/12

There are over 3 million participants annually. Local winners advance to District, State, Regional and National Competition.

**School Calendar:**

Parent/Teacher Conferences: Nov. 18 & Nov. 23,  
 4:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
 No School: Nov. 26 & Nov. 27  
 Winter Break: Dec. 23 through Jan. 1  
 No School: Feb. 12  
 Spring Break: Apr. 2 through Apr. 9  
 No School: May 31  
 Last Day of School: June 11



**Event Dates:**

Christmas Concert, Grades 1,3,5: Dec. 16, 1:30  
 Christmas Concert, Grades Y5,K,2,4: Dec. 17, 1:30  
 Spring Concert (Grades 3, 4, 5): May 27, 1:30

**ATTN: Target Shoppers**

Parents, teachers and community members can contribute to Lakeview Elementary School when using their Target card or Target Guest card. Target donates 1% of your purchases to The Target Take Charge of Education Program. So far in 2009, \$700.00 has been given to Lakeview School through this program.



**ATTN: GFS Shoppers**

If you shop at GFS, make sure you have signed up for a "Fun Funds" card and present it every time you shop. This helps the LPTP raise additional funds for projects throughout the year.



**Lakeview T-shirt and Sweatshirt (Miner Traits) Order Form**

Show your school spirit by ordering a Lakeview School t-shirt or sweatshirt (hoodie)! All shirts will be short-sleeved and sweatshirts will be hoodies. They will be light gray with maize and blue lettering. Prepaid orders only please. Checks may be made payable to "LPTP".

**Order deadline is Tuesday, November 24th. Please note, sizes run SMALL. T-shirts and sweatshirts are 100% cotton. Please consider ordering one size larger than you normally would.**

Prices: T-shirts: Youth \$10, Adult \$12      Sweatshirts: Youth \$22, Adult \$24  
 Add \$ 2.50 for 2X and 3X adult sizes  
 Youth sizes: 6-8, 10-12, 14-16      Adult sizes: Small, Medium, Large, x-large

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**Popcorn Sales continue:** The cost is 25 cents per bag with a limit of one bag per student. To make it easier for kids AND parents, popcorn can be ordered in advance by using the form below. Return the form and payment to the SHINE office. The cost for the first 14 weeks is \$ 3.50. If you wish to pay by check, 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 would like popcorn: (please check)

- ~~September 19~~       ~~October 16~~       ~~November 6~~       December 4       January 8
- ~~September 25~~       ~~October 23~~       November 13       December 11       January 15
- ~~October 2~~       ~~October 30~~       November 20       December 18       January 22

I have enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ weeks of popcorn at 25 cents each.

**Parent Power Hour Response Form**

**Parents, please answer the following questions:**



- Did you attend Parent Power Hour?      YES    or    NO
- Did you find the ideas presented useful for working with your child at home?      YES    or    NO
- Would you recommend this to another parent?      YES    or    NO
- If offered, would you attend another Parent Power Hour?      YES    or    NO

**Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey! Please tear off this form and return it to your child's classroom teacher.**