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MAXEY Messenger



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Important Dates Coming Up:

Thurs., Sept. 11: Patriot Day Assembly for Students 9:15 a.m.

Thurs., Sept. 18: Maxey Fun Night 5:00-7:30 p.m.

Tues., Sept. 30: Early Release Day (PLC)

Grades K-5: Start at 9:00 a.m., Dismiss at 2:18 p.m.

ExCITE: Start at 11:00 a.m., Dismiss at 2:30 p.m.

Thurs., Oct. 2: Traditional Parent Teacher Conferences 3:45-6:45 p.m.

Thurs., Oct. 9: Traditional Parent Teacher Conferences 3:45-6:45 p.m.

Mon., Oct. 13: NO SCHOOL FOR ELEMENTARY STUDENTS: Teacher Plan Day

Thurs., Oct. 16: Group/Club Picture Day and Individual Retakes

Tues., Oct. 21: Early Release Day (PLC)

Grades K-5: Start at 9:00 a.m., Dismiss at 2:18 p.m.

ExCITE: Start at 11:00 a.m., Dismiss at 2:30 p.m.

Fri., Oct. 24: End of 1st Quarter

Fri., Oct. 24: Fall Parties (classrooms)

2:45-3:30 p.m. – ExCITE, Knd, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th grades

1:35-2:20 p.m. – 4th grade

Oct. 27-31: NO SCHOOL – FALL BREAK

Patriot Day Assembly

Maxey is remembering this important date in America's history with a brief assembly in the gym on Patriot Day, September 11 at 9:15. If you are a parent who is in the military, a firefighter, or a member of law enforcement and would like to attend and be recognized please email Jenni Absalon at jabsalon@lps.org. We would like the students and staff to wear red, white or blue to honor our hard working men and women.

Bus Evacuation Drill

On Wednesday, September 17, the school buses will be holding a bus evacuation drill. If you have a student that rides an LPS school bus, they will be dropped off at their afternoon destination approximately 15-20 minutes late. If you have any questions, please call Mrs. Carrington-Robertson at 436-1153.

Parent Teacher Conferences

By this date, all families should now have a confirmed date for their child's upcoming parent-teacher conference. Your child's teacher will explain to you what topics will be discussed at the conference. You will be asked what you would like to discuss at the conference about your child's academic and social progress.

The dates for traditional parent-teacher conferences are the Thursdays of October 2nd and 9th. Many classroom teachers will be working on these two evenings. Specialists (art, music, physical education, media, and technology) will be working on these two evenings. Classroom teachers will be conducting parent-teacher conferences on alternate dates also.

NEW TO THE MAXEY WEBSITE!

The "Gifted News" portion of the website has been updated. You can find Parent Information about policies and opportunities for students. In the student section, you can find links to fun websites that have been reviewed by Maxey students.

STUDENTS: If you have a favorite website that is educational and fun, please feel free to write a short (1 paragraph) review for the Maxey web page! Please include what is in the site, and why it is a good for kids! Drop your review off in Mrs. Peterson's room (306).

Kindergarten Lunch Volunteers

Just a reminder of how much we appreciate our Kindergarten lunch volunteers, and hope you'll consider signing up for the future if you are able! We have sign-up calendars for the remainder of the school year located on the table in front of the office. Thank you in advance for all of your help and support!

Banner Club

What: Each year, each elementary school in the LPS district creates a banner that is displayed in the downtown Wells Fargo Bank during Youth Art Month (March). The banner then travels throughout Lincoln for the next year.

Who: Banner Club is open to 5th grade students.

When: Banner Club begins at 8:15 AM until 9 AM.
We will meet on Mondays starting Sept 15. Banner Club continues every Monday that school is in session until Dec. 15.

Students will be split into 4 groups (Group A, Group B, Group C, Group D). The number of groups may change – this is determined by how many students sign up. The schedule will be made after the final list of Banner Club students are finalized.

A Banner Club consent sheet will be going home with your son or daughter if they signed up for Banner Club. Please sign this sheet if you give consent for your son or daughter to join and attend Banner Club.

Questions? Please feel free to email me at blenzen@lps.org or call 436 -1153.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Hergott
Art Specialist

Media Center Volunteers

Our media specialist, Mrs. Christen, is requesting parent/grandparent volunteers to help in the media center. If you have a spare hour or two to give each week, please see Mrs. Christen or contact her at 436-1153.