

Lowrie Primary Pack

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Message from Mr. Meigs

Dear Families,

It has been a remarkable week at Lowrie Primary! The Science Fair was an incredible success. We had close to 200 projects in our fair! That is truly amazing. Thank you for your support of students and their scientific thinking. Each year we have more and more projects. To see the faces of children filled with curiosity and inquiry as they explored the different projects was amazing. I cannot wait until next year!

As you know, Student-Led Conferences are right around the corner. **Please make sure you are available the week of March 16th!** It is important to note that teachers will provide the opportunity for afternoon or evening conferences (March 16, 17, 18) and a full day on March 19. Each teacher will have their conference schedule ready for families to sign up by tomorrow afternoon.

Student-led conferences are such an important link between school and home! We hope you will arrange your schedules so your children are both at school during conference week and are available for your conference time. It means a great deal to us when you are able to attend this important school function with your child.

It can be challenging to reschedule a conference after spring break, but teachers will make efforts to reschedule a conference missed due to special circumstances as they are able. Again, please make every effort to attend student led conferences the week of March 16th - these conferences are a wonderful showcase of student learning and an opportunity to discuss your child's progress with both your child and his or her teacher.

Lowrie is a remarkable learning community because of the care and belief in children that each staff member, parent and child has in all that is possible! Thank you for being a part of our school.

With appreciation, Patrick



Office Notes

- **Visitors** must check in at the office
- Volunteers sign in on computer located inside office
- o Late Students much check in at
- Arriving Early Students are permitted in the building no earlier than 7:35am
- Leaving Early Students must parent
- **For absences**, call attendance line at (503) 673-7700 by 7:30am
- Changes in pick-up: send
 "memo to school" note with your student
- School begins at 7:50am

Upcoming Dates

February 26, PTA Meeting, 6-7:30pm

February 27, 1st Grade Music informance, 1:30-2pm

March 2, Classified/Staff Appreciation Week through March 6th

March 5, Wolves Choir Rehearsal 8:55am

March 6, Community Coffee/Talk with Principal Meigs, 8:15am

<u>Sunday</u> March 8, Daylight Savings, Remember...Spring Forward

March 10, 5th Gr. Fieldtrip to Crest Farm, 8:10am

March 13, Lowrie Festival of the Arts and Potato Bar Dinner





Battle of the Books Finalists 2015!



Lowrie News

The payment system for school lunches has changed. Set up an account or add money to your student's account here!

Lowrie is on Twitter! Follow us at twitter@lowrieprimary

Counselor's Corner: Mark Your Calendars!



Notes From Our Office

Thank you to our PTA for their generous donation of funds raised at the Wheel-a-thon! With this donation we have been able to purchase an incredible number of new texts to support reading. We have purchased books for our leveled literacy collection. These books allow teachers to support reading instruction in their classrooms by having a range of books on a variety of topics at the appropriate level for all readers in their classrooms. Our growing collection of level books is such a valuable resource for teachers and students. Thank you so much to the PTA and our entire community for helping make this purchase possible!

It is important that all children are here at school by 7:50 every day. Each day starts with a morning meeting where classroom community is built, expectations are reviewed and discussed and the learning for the day is set-up. These are incredibly important learning times and it is difficult for children to jump into the classroom having missed this time with their classmates. Every minute of a school day is valuable and we want to be sure that children are here, present and engaged every day from 7:50 to the end of the day. Thank you so much for your help in ensuring your child is here on time and ready to learn each and every day.

Community Notes

<u>It's time for another season of CREST Learning On</u> <u>The Go... and you're invited!</u>

Critters and Creepy Crawlies

Thursday, March 19, 2015 For students in grades 1, 2, 3, & 4 Join us for a fun-filled day of exploration. We'll explore the pond, gardens, fields and forests near CREST for living creatures.

Super Space Day

Friday, March 20, 2015 For students in grades 3, 4, & 5 Come learn about our solar system and the universe! Practice engineering activities with simple robots and design a landing craft that will withstand a lunar touchdown. Learn about the relative size and distance between planets and crawl into a portable planetarium.

To learn more about these trips or to register, please visit the CREST website at: http://www.crest.wlwv.k12.or.us