



Newsletter

The Superintendent's Script

Mr. Siefke, Superintendent

As we begin the final chapter in this year's series of messages for the District Newsletter, it is hard to believe that another school year is quickly drawing to a close. As with the completion of another year, there are some goodbyes to pass along at this time. This year will be the final year for two district employees: Beth Gallo and Carol Snyder. These two ladies have provided tremendous services to the district and will be sorely missed. We wish them only the best in the next step of their future.

It has truly been an honor and a privilege for me to serve in the district as superintendent of schools this past year. I would be remiss if I didn't say thanks to all of the stakeholders of the Lisbon School District, from students to staff to parents and community members alike for making this year a very enjoyable one. I could never have imagined a better place to work and live than Lisbon and for that I am deeply grateful.

Lastly, by the time you read this graduation ceremonies will have been held in the George M. Nace gymnasium as we celebrated the 147th graduating class of David Anderson High School. There are a lot of exciting things happening in the District and we look forward to your continued interest in the future of the school district and encourage you to keep up with what is going on through the Newsletter and District web page. As always, feel free to contact us with any questions you may have about your schools.



Yours in Education,
Joseph Siefke
Superintendent



Photos Above: Students that attended the Leadership Summit with Mrs. Smith and the Jr. High Student Senate and High School Student Council.



Photos Above: 8th Grade Jr. High Student Senate Members take a second out of their day at the countywide Leadership Summit for a picture.



McKinley Elementary School

Principal, Mr. Kemats

A Message from the Principal McKinley Elementary

With summer here, another school year has come to a close. The staff and students made the most of our final weeks at McKinley this school year, and we would like the learning to continue at home throughout the summer. Whether you're visiting the Lepper Library, finding online activities, or taking a trip to a local park, help to keep your students' minds sharp by challenging them over the summer months. Twenty minutes a day of reading, writing and math practice each week will help them to retain all the things they've learned this year, and make the transition back to school easier.

Various **Relay For Life** activities took place during the months of April / May, including the lemonade sale, a bake sale and some after school events. We also held the annual Tennis Ball Toss and collected coins, raising over \$6000, with proceeds going to benefit the **American Cancer Society**. The activities culminated with the **Relay for Life** event at War Memorial Stadium on May 23rd. A huge **Thank You** to all who helped make this a great event for a great cause.

The PTO held their annual **Carnival** on **Saturday, May 13th** with bounces houses, Carnegie Science Center, food, games and prizes. The carnival was well attended and we want to thank all of the individuals attending and those that helped donate their times and services to the event. Please consider joining the PTO next year as we will continue to plan many fun activities for the upcoming school year.

In the final months of school, the **fifth grade students** attended Camp Kon-O-Kwee Spencer, com-

peted in the annual Science Fair, and held a talent show. Their time at McKinley has prepared them for new adventures at David Anderson Jr./Sr. High School, and we wish them the best of luck.

Kindergarten Registration and Kindergarten Screening for the 2017-18 school year took place this past April and May, but there is still time to register your student for Kindergarten or Pre-school for the upcoming school year. Please call the Board of Education at 330.424.7714 to make an appointment.

Our annual **August Summer School** will take place the first two weeks in August, from **July 31st to the 11th**. A permission slip was sent home with students prior to school being dismissed, but you can call the school anytime in June to sign them up for this opportunity for Summer Intervention.

Finally, McKinley Elementary and the Lisbon School District will say goodbye to one of its finest. Longtime teacher **Beth Gallo** has retired. We want to thank her for her years of service to the district and to Lisbon students, and we wish her the best of luck in retirement.

As always, thank you for your time, patience, effort and support. We couldn't do what we do each day without you. We are looking forward to some new additions and exciting changes for next school year, so use the summer months to relax and unwind. I can be reached through my email at any time during the summer should you need anything. Have a great summer, enjoy the weather and your time with family and friends, and we'll see you back for a new school year.

Dan Kemats, Principal

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Summer Learning Opportunities

Just because the school year's at an end doesn't mean the learning has to stop. Organize your own summer school for 20-30 minutes a day with fun, hand-on activities to keep your students sharp. Read for 20 minutes a day, write for 15 minutes in a journal, and do some simple hands-on math and science activities to keep your students mind working and keep them interested and learning.

Lepper Library Summer Reading Program

The Lepper Library will again be holding a Summer Reading program through June, July and August. This is a great way to keep your students interest in reading and keep a weekly routine for them. For more info, contact the library.

Contact the library at 330-424-3117



Photo Above: Elementary School Principal, Dan Kemats and Corey Kelly stand in front of the Greenhouse that was put together by a group from Greenford Christian church.



Photo Above: A bounce house was provided for the PTO Carnival, that was held on May 13th at McKinley Elementary.

DIY Summer School

- M** Marvelous Math Monday
- T** Terrific Tuesday
- W** Writing Wednesday
- T** Thinking Thursday
- F** Fun Friday

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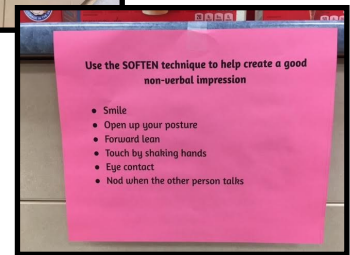
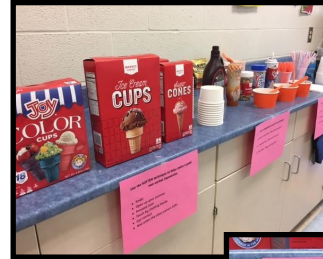
Summer Activities Suggestions:

20 Minutes a Day
Reading, Writing, Math, Science, Soc St
Hands-On Activities
Online based STEM and Coding

McKinley's Musical Performance



Photo Above: Students are dressed up and ready to perform their musical performance for their parents. The students were under the direction of Mrs. Fonner. The theme was Disney.



Attention Parents/ Guardians of students enter- ing 7th and 12th grade August 2017

Ice Cream Social

The Ice Cream Social was an event that the Speech students work to earn. It's a cross-curricular lesson. Students used Google Forms to vote on things like ice cream flavors and toppings. We analyzed the results together. We also worked on Pragmatic (Social) Language targets during our Social. It was a fun and educational way to end our year in Speech!



This is to inform you of a mandatory immunization for all 7th grade students. One dose of Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Acellular Pertussis) vaccine will be required prior to entry into the 7th grade. This dose is intended to be administered as a booster for students who have completed the required doses of the initial series of Dtap/Dt/Td vaccine (prior to starting Kindergarten).

Beginning with the 2016-17 school year, all students entering the 7th and 12th grade are required to be vaccinated against meningococcal disease. Please discuss this vaccine with your child's physician for the Ohio Department of Health guidelines.

Please contact your child's physician or the Columbiana County Health Department at 330-424-0272 or East Liverpool City Health Department at 330-385-5123 as soon as possible to schedule an appointment. Some pharmacies are also offering these vaccines. If your child has already received these immunizations, please send a copy of their immunization record to the school any time, "attention school nurse".

David Anderson Jr. Sr. High School

Principal, Mr. Edenfield

A Message from the Principal

The Lisbon David Anderson Junior High School Honors Builders Club Field Trip was May 11 -13 to Washington, D.C. Students enjoyed an excellent opportunity to tour the city that may be a once in a lifetime occasion. This educational experience is prepared and organized by the honors builders advisors. A much deserved thank you to them as they continue a great tradition of educational experiences for our students.

The Lisbon David Anderson high school prom was also a huge success. At the conclusion of the Parade of Fashions, the students had the opportunity to attend The Tangier in Akron, Ohio for their prom festivities and then enjoy the after-prom at Splash Lagoon in Erie, Pennsylvania.

Graduation is approaching and the date has been set. This years' graduation 2017 was held in the George Nace Gymnasium at 3:00PM on May 28th. A senior awards program was held on Friday, May 19th in the David Anderson Auditorium. This was a great opportunity for David Anderson Jr. Sr. High School to recognize our class of 2017 students for achievements while attending Lisbon Schools.

The last day of classes for students is scheduled for May 24th as well as the Junior High Awards program being on that same date beginning at 11:45 AM in the Auditorium.

The building will be open this summer for the entire month of June and will close starting July 1st. Both the junior high and high school offices will re-open August 1st. All enrollment questions and paper work should be directed to the Lisbon Board of Education Office located at 317 N. Market Street.

Lisbon David Anderson High School summer school and intervention will take place on June 5th – June 16th. Junior High students who are required to attend summer school will report to the Junior High entrance at 8:30am on June 5th for registration and must attend each session every day. There is no cost for students to attend summer intervention. Students enrolling in summer intervention may be removed from Academic Probation. Students seeking removal from Academic Probation must attend each session every day.

Only junior and senior students who have not passed areas of the Ohio Graduation Test are permitted to take the summer administration of the OGT beginning June 12th – June 25th. Testing for the OGT test will be administered June 12th – 16th.

New student and sixth orientation will be held August 14th at 10:00 a.m. in the David Anderson Jr. Sr. High School Auditorium. Handbooks and schedules will be distributed at the orientation meeting. Parents will have the opportunity to meet the guidance counselor, principals and orient themselves with the building and schedule. Locker assignments will be given the first day of classes.

The first day of classes will begin August 21st. All students will report to their homeroom before 8:05am during the first week of classes. Homeroom lists will be posted in the hallways and students will be dismissed to their first period classes from homeroom.



Photo Above: The 6th, 7th and 8th grade junior high Honor/Builder's students traveled to Washington DC and Gettysburg May 11-13, 2017. Students saw many sites, including the Lincoln Memorial, pictured with some eighth grade students: (L to R) Adam Grimm, Blake Donaldson, Abram Simms, Ryan McCullough, Jayce Frank, Tyler Welsh, Adam Spencer, Jason Steves, and Chris Dunn. Other sites included the FDR, JFK, Jefferson and WWII Memorials, as well as the Pentagon 911 Memorial, Flight 93, and Arlington Cemetery. Students enjoyed down time at the Smithsonian National Zoo, Toby's Dinner theater, where they saw "Beauty and the Beast", and a dinner-dance cruise on the "Spirit". The 2018 trip will be in May, and students will need to qualify 4th nine weeks along with the first and second nine weeks next year.

Leadership Summit

The Youth Leadership Brunch was on Thursday, April 6, at the Salem Golf Club in Salem, Ohio. Student teams presented a summary of their service project efforts after the breakfast buffet. The guest speaker was David M. Dees, Ph.D. who is the Interim Dean and Chief Administrative Officer of the Salem and East Liverpool campuses of Kent State University. Two teams from East Palestine, two teams from Lisbon, one team from Leetonia, and one team from Wellsville attended the event. The closing remarks were presented by Danielle Dillon, Coordinator of the Columbiana County ESC.

Our David Anderson projects consisted of the following activities:

Dorothy Kane came to talk to our entire student council about doing a project called "Talk Teal" which was to raise awareness about having "No More domestic violence".

We decided to organize three events where our Student Council and Student Senate would pass out Domestic Violence Window Clings at a few high school basketball games and a school-wide pep rally. The clings looked like a teal disc and the goal was to have the clings on cars and windows throughout Lisbon.

Kelly Harding from "Heroes & Halos" came to speak to our Student Senate and Council groups about different projects that we could do to help their organization. We donated prom dresses that she will also be picking up prom dresses that students donated for their queens and king's special needs ball.

In the fall, the student senate and student council students worked with the Community Action Healthier Community Food Pantry where we did a school wide canned food drive. We sponsored the food drive in conjunction with the Crestview Rebels. The winner would receive a traveling trophy. The food drive ran from October 3rd-October 21st. Lisbon won the traveling trophy and it was announced on October 28th at the Crestview/ Lisbon game. Lisbon collected 901 cans and Crestview collected 389 cans. The nice part was both Schools donated their food and canned items to the community action agency.

We completed two projects to raise money to help with the costs of donating to different causes in the community. We held a school wide mannequin challenge where each student had to pay a dollar to participate in this. We have our video up on YouTube and our school website. We also sold black t-shirts for the girls and boys basketball teams.

Coding at DAHS

Ten junior high students from David Anderson Jr/Sr High School participated in CodeRush which was a three week worldwide contest for coding sponsored by CodeMonkey. The students solved the challenges using the coding language coffee script. Not only did the students need to learn the coding language but they had to solve the challenges each week as they became harder and more complex. The students had to solve the challenges with a limited number of steps using variables, loops and conditions to receive full credit. The first week 30 challenges were released, the second and third week 40 challenges each week. These dedicated students even worked over spring break on the challenges. CodeRush began on April 3 and concluded on May 1. The David Anderson team placed 12th in the worldwide competition.



Photo Above: First row: McKenzie Gentry, Alexis Stover, Brandy Achberger and Emma Lockhart

Second row: Adam Grimm, Gavin Peppel, Grant Underwood, Justyce Vrable, Blayne Brownfield and Mason Dean

8th Grade Science Club



The 8th Grade Science Club recently walked dogs at the Columbiana County Dog pound. Volunteers are always welcome to help walk dogs. Also, there are many great dogs up for adoption if you are looking for a new family pet. The students then took a field trip to the Youngstown State Planetarium.

Photo to the Right: Student Council members at the Leadership Summit



2017 - 2018 LISBON EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOLS

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August

- 18 Teacher In-service - NO SCHOOL
- 21 First Day of School for Students

September

- 4 Labor Day - NO SCHOOL
- 28 Parent Teacher Conference - Evening

October

- 20 End of 1st Nine Weeks
Days due 44 + 1 In-Service Days + 1 P/T
- 23 Begin 2nd Nine Weeks Grading Period

November

- 22 Compensatory Day - NO SCHOOL
- 23 Thanksgiving Recess (Nov. 23-24)

December

- 21 Last Day of classes Before Christmas
Break (Dec. 23-Jan. 1) - NO SCHOOL
- 21 End of 2nd Nine Weeks
Days due 41

January

- 2 School Resumes
- 2 Begin 3rd Nine Weeks Grading Period
- 15 Martin Luther King Day - NO SCHOOL

February

- 15 Parent/Teacher Conferences - Evening
- 16 Compensatory Day - NO SCHOOL
- 19 President's Day - NO SCHOOL

March

- 9 End of 3rd Nine Weeks
Days due 46 + 1 P/T Conference
- 12 Begin 4th Nine Weeks Grading Period
- 30 Spring Break (Mar. 30-Apr. 6) NO SCHOOL

April

May

- 23 Last Day of School for Students
End of 4th Nine Weeks - Days due 47
- 24 Teacher In-service Day

February, 2018

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Parent Teacher Conference Days

- Sept. 28, 2017 - Evening
- February 15, 2018 - Evening
- 1st Nine Wks - Aug. 21 - Oct. 20, 2017 - 44 days
- 2nd Nine Wks - Oct. 23 - Dec. 21, 2017 - 41 days
- 3rd Nine Wks - Jan. 2 - Mar. 9, 2018 - 46 days
- 4th Nine Wks - Mar. 12 - May 23, 2018 - 47 days

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McKinley Elementary's 2017 Relay for Life

