


Leighton Elementary Circular

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Principals' Piece

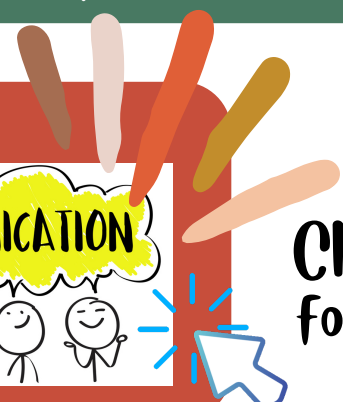


It is exciting to be starting the 2022–2023 school year and have students in the hallways. The energy is high and our staff can't wait to see your children! Our goal is to ensure each child feels welcome and that they truly belong to our school. Please visit our website at <https://www.leighton.org/Domain/528> to review the Elementary Handbook and Bus Information. Please note some bus numbers have changed. We look forward to meeting all of the parents and guardians on Wednesday, September 7th from 5–7.

Mr. Sebelin and Dr. McGalla

Feedback Wanted!

Please help us improve home to school communication by completing this brief 3 question survey. Answers are anonymous. Thank you for your help!



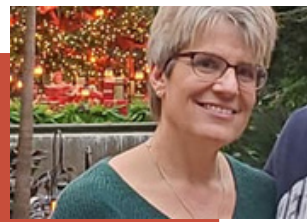
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Staff Shout Out

Welcome to the newest members of our teaching tribe!
We are excited to have them as part of our team.
Please join us in giving them a big welcome!

Mrs. Hoppes - 1st
Mrs. Williams - 3rd
Mrs. Rankovich - 4th

Ms. Boaz - guidance counselor (K-2)
Mrs. Neeb - paraprofessional
Mrs. Zettlemoyer - paraprofessional
Miss Marks - Special Education



Counselors' Corner

This year, we have a new guidance counselor for grades K-2! Here is more about Ms. Boaz:

My name is Mary Boaz and I am the School Counselor for grades K-2. I am new to the district this year but I bring with me 7 years of mental health experience. I am excited to get started! You can reach me at 610-377-7880 ext. 4144 or you can email me at mboaz@lehighton.org. The easiest and quickest way to reach me would be through email. Welcome to the new school year!

Ms. Lindh will continue to be the guidance counselor for grades 3-5. She can be reached at dlindh@lehighton.org or 610-377-7880 ext. 4130.

We are looking forward to a fun, happy and healthy year!

Health & Nutrition News

From the health room:

Any students taking medication during the school day, parents **MUST** bring medication to school and fill out a form to be kept on file. **DO NOT** send medication in a students book bag or hand it to a staff member/bus driver. Mrs Haydt can be contacted at mhaydt@lehighton.org or 610-377-7880 ext. 4148

From the cafeteria:






Breakfast and lunch **MUST** be paid for this year. Please fill out the [Free/Reduced Lunch application](#) to see if you qualify.



EC Monthly Calendar

Lehigh Area School District www.lehighton.org Click for Parent Portal or enter <https://powerschool.lehighton.org/public/home.html>
 3 Indian Lane Lehighton, PA 18235 Phone: (610) 377-7880 Fax: (610) 377-0908

Lehigh Area Elementary Center September 2022 4 Day Schedule

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; background-color: yellow;"> A paper copy will be sent home monthly with your child. </div>				1 Kindergarten Orientation 4:30 - 6:30 PM	2	3
4	5 Labor Day 	6 - Day 1 First Day of School 	7 - Day 2 Meet the Teacher 5 - 7 PM	8 - Day 3 BRAVE Day	9 - Day 4	10
11 	12 - Day 1 Spirit Week: Patriotic Day SHINE starts	13 - Day 2 Spirit Week: Wear fall colors/themed shirt	14 - Day 3 Spirit Week: Favorite Team Day	15 - Day 4 Spirit Week: Neon or Tie Dye Day	16 - Day 1 Spirit Week: Indian Pride Day Pep Rally	17
18	19 - Day 2 School Pictures 	20 - Day 3 PTO Mum Fundraiser Orders due	21 - Day 4	22 - Day 1 First Day of Fall 	23 - Day 2 Tomahawk Ticket Night at HS Football Game 7 PM	24
25	26 - Day 3 PTO Gala Ticket Drive thru 6 - 8 School Board Mtg. 7 PM	27 - Day 4	28 - Day 1	29 - Day 2	30 - Day 3	

Primary (Pre-K - 2nd grades) Principal: Mr. Aaron Sebelin

Intermediate (3rd - 5th grades) Principal: Dr. Mark McGalla

Important Links

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