

### Thursday, September 7, 2023

# **Upcoming Events**

### September

- 8 Spirit Store Starts
- 8-29 PTO Fundraiser Kick-Off
- 11 Board Meeting at Board Office 6:30
- 12 PTO Meeting @ NN 6:30
- 14 Kindergarten Welcome Party @ Metzger Park 6:00
- 15 Upstander Kick-Off
- 18 Upstander Classroom Meetings
- 18-22 Week of Kindness
- 19-21 Fall Pictures
- 22 Fourth Grade Boys Night Out
- 22 Grade 2 Field Trip
- 26 Smile Program (Dentist)

### October

- 3 Smile Program (Dentist)
- 5 Reading Under the Lights (Stadium) 6:30
- 6 Teacher Exchange Day for PD No Students
- 9 PD Waiver Day No School
- 10 PTO Meeting @ NN 6:30
- 12 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- 12-19 Book Fair
- 13 School Wide Assembly
- 16 Board Meeting @ LHS 6:30
- 16-20 Character Counts Week
- 19 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- 25 End of the First Grading Period
- 26 Upstander Classroom Meetings
- 27 Fall Festival
- 31 Grade 3 Fall OST ELA Part 1

## Lunch Guests

This year we will continue to limit the number of adults in our building. Unfortunately, parents will not be able to come in for lunch. Thank you for understanding.

## **Behavior Chart**

Be sure to be checking your child's chart each evening! It is a great way to communicate what is going on in school. If they are having a great day, praise them for it. If they received marks, talk about what they can do to be more successful tomorrow. If you have a question, do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher through email or by phone. We are working together to help your child reach his or her fullest potential!

### **Upstander Day**

We will have our Upstander Kick-off on Friday, September 15th. Please send your child to school with their Upstander shirt or blue t-shirt. We will have a variety of different activities for students to enjoy throughout the day. Please make sure to ask your student what he or she learned that day!

### Stark County Federal Credit Union

Paper Contest – 1 Million Sheets of Paper Stark Federal Credit Union is sponsoring a contest! They are giving local schools 1,500,000 sheets of paper to start the school year. The grand prize winner will receive 1,000,000 sheets of paper. With two runners-up winning 250,000 sheets of paper each. We would love for your support in helping Louisville Elementary win this year. **Voting starts September 18th online at <u>onemillionsheets.com</u>! The contest ends on Sunday, September 24th.** 

### **Fall Picture Schedule**

Fall pictures will be on September 19 through September 21 here at LES. Please see the schedule below. Rick Black Photography will only be doing online ordering this year. They will not take any forms or money on the day of pictures. Each parent will receive an email from Rick Black Photography with information about ordering, paying and selecting pictures.

### Tuesday, September 19th

Grade 5 Homerooms - Mrs. Kruse, Miss Petrime, Mr. Benson, Mrs. Swope and Mrs. Atkinson Grade 1 Homerooms - Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Berkebile, Mrs. Romanoff, Mrs. Beaver & Mrs. Nofer Kindergarten Homerooms – Mrs. Allison, Miss Chatelain, Miss Lashley, Mrs. Bresson, & Mrs. Miller Grade 3 Homerooms – Mrs. Giles and Mrs. Scott

### Wednesday, September 20th

Grade 3 Homerooms – Mr. Berkebile, Miss Cress, Mrs. Baker, Mr. Laughlin Grade 2 Homerooms – Ms. Mann, Mrs. Schwingle, Mrs. Musser, Mrs. Bolgiano, and Mrs. Bratcher Grade 4 Homerooms – Mrs. Tornow, Mr. Everhart, Mr. McFerren, Mrs. Hopple and Mrs. Minster.

### Thursday, September 21st

Grade 5 Homerooms – Mrs. Leahy, Mrs. Greco, & Mrs. Simon Grade 3 Homerooms – Mrs. Brown & Miss Lindsey Grade 4 Homerooms – Mrs. Smith & Mrs. Miller

### November

- 1 Grade 3 Fall OST ELA Part 2
- 1 Report Cards Sent Home
- 1 PTO Fundraiser Pick-up 3:30 7:00
- 2 & 3 Celebrate Success (Inflatables)
- 7 Fall Picture Retakes/Make-Ups14 PTO Meeting @ NN 6:30
- 16 Upstander Classroom Meetings
- 22-24 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL
- 27 Teacher Exchange Day No School

# Conference Scheduling – Begins September 25th

The elementary schools will continue to use the online conference scheduling. You can do so by choosing your child's homeroom teacher at www.myconferencetime.com/les (link will be active on Monday, September 25th) or call the office at (330) 875-1177 if you do not have a computer. Conferences are scheduled for Thursday, October 12th and Thursday, October 19th.

# Forms & Handbook

The online forms that were sent via email in early August must be filled out online as soon as possible. This includes the following online forms: Parent/School Commitment Compact Form, Emergency Medical Form, Acceptable Use of Technology Form, Inflatable Permission Form, and the acknowledgment of the Student/Parent Handbook. Be sure to look through the handbook to have a clear understanding of policies and procedures of the Louisville City School district. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

# Water Bottles

Please make sure to send a water bottle with your student each day. Water fountains are now turned on if a student would prefer to use it. Students will be able to fill up their water bottle throughout the day. No pop, juice, tea, etc. is permitted.

# CARE TEAM CORNER

Our CARE Community Boutique OPEN HOUSE @ Beacon of Hope Church will be on Tuesday, October 17, 2023 from 9AM - 2PM. We will have Fall and Winter items available at no cost. It is open to all Louisville district families. If you have questions, please contact Rhonda McQuilkin - LES - 330-875-1177 or Sara Corona - NN - 330-875-2661

# PTO Fundraiser

Information for the fundraiser will be sent home with your child on Friday, September 8th. The sale will end on Friday, September 29th. Please make sure all order forms and money are turned in by September 29th. The PTO truly appreciates your support!

# Student Attendance

It is critical for all children to be in attendance at school daily. We do realize that from time to time children do get ill, and they should be home. Excusable reasons to keep your child home would be; running a temperature, vomiting, infection that has not been treated with antibiotics for at least 24 hours, funerals, or doctor appointments that cannot be made outside of school time.

You must phone the 24 hour Hotline at (330)875-7610 or call the school at (330)875-1177 before 9:30 am to report your child off of school. When reporting your child off of school, you may also request for homework to be sent home with another student or you can pick it up in the office 3:20-4:15. Upon return to school, the student must bring a written excuse or doctor's slip for an absence to be considered excused.

# PTO (Parent-Teacher Organization)

Our school is very lucky to have an active PTO that supports many things that happen at our school. All meetings are open to any parent that wants to know what is going on in the school. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 12th, 2023, at 6:30 PM in the North Nimishillen School cafeteria. Currently, the PTO is looking for more volunteers to join their team. If we all help a little, we can do amazing things for our kids. Be sure to look through your PTO letter from Meet the Teacher Night for more information about the PTO.

# LES 4th Grade Boys Night Out

Come join us for a night of food, football and fun. Tickets and bags will be distributed at the tent site during the tailgate. Bring your dad, grandpa, brother, uncle, or special person for a tailgate party before the Leopard Football Game on Friday, September 22nd.

When: Friday, September 22nd Time: 5:30

Where: Tailgate Party at Aljancic Park on Broad Street and then walk to the stadium

Cost: \$13 – Adult (food & ticket to game)

- \$5 Adult (food only)
  - \$15 Student (food, ticket to game and shirt)
  - \$5 Student (food only)

Orders and Payment are due: Friday, September 8th



# Fall Opportunities LOUISVILLE COMMUNITY ACADEMY

For the past few years to engage with our community, we've partnered with local businesses and showcased our staff's talents to offer community classes. Thanks to the GPD Employee's Foundation Grant and Walmart Grant, we're able to provide these experiences at a discounted cost. More information about each class, and how to register, is listed on our website: louisvillecityschools.org/community/lca



# PARENT-CHILD WORKSHOPS

Sept 26

The Robot Revolution (\$15)

Oct 10 Hip Hop Step with Amanda from the Y (\$5)

Oct 28 A Morning with Zen Den Yoga Shala (\$10)

> **Nov 9 & 21** Crafty Creative Ceramics (\$10)

Dec 6 Paint Party with 4th Street Art (\$15)

# **ADULT-ONLY CLASSES**

**Sept 16** Mixology with Scratch Steakhouse (\$15)

Sept 19 Cookie Class with Panda Sweets (\$20)

> **Oct 3** Knitting 101 (\$10)

**Oct 17** Train Like a Leopard (\$5)



# FREE SENIOR-CONNECTION EXPERIENCE

This four-week experience is FREE, and open to anyone 65 and older. No registration required. Questions? Call our district office at 330.875.1666. Ask for Jen Wilson, our Communications Coordinator.



Join Stark Parks and our LCSD Food Service Director as they share the best places to explore and easy-to-create healthy fall snacks. (10:00 AM @ LOUISVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL)



Louisville's 4th Street Art brings the creativity and fun as you'll assemble the perfect fall craft. We're not pumpkin-dding! (10:00 AM @ LOUISVILLE HIGH SCHOOL-DOOR 1)



SPARCC's Director of Operations, Tyler Smith shares tips and explains what you can do to help keep you and your information safe online. (10:00 AM @ LOUISVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL)



We're piggy-backing off of the Louisville Senior Citizen Group's monthly gathering at Paradise Church (619 E Main St) to put on a student showcase highlighting our amazing students' talents. Their program will begin at noon; however, if you would like to join students and other seniors for a meal, please bring \$7.50 and arrive between 11:00-11:30 a.m.