

Lakewood Middle Home of the Mustangs

Principal's Message

On March 19 our students will begin taking their Kansas State Assessments. All students are required to take a Math and English assessment. Our seventh grade students will also take a Social Studies assessment and our eighth grade students take a science assessment. When we return from Spring Break on March 18 we will have an academic pep rally and we have asked students to set goals based on their performance from last year.

We ask that all students give their best effort on this important benchmark for learning. We use the results of these assessments to determine the best class placements for students in Advisory, Math, and English. A couple of easy things to do to ensure your student is performing at their best is to make sure they are getting a good nights sleep and getting a good breakfast in the morning.

We look forward to seeing all of the growth our students have made over the course of this school year!

- Scott Chrisman, Principal







LMS Science

Eighth grade is engineering their own paper "slow coasters," using their knowledge of motion and forces, energy and Newton's laws. Seventh grade has just finished waves and are now working on ecosystems. Seventh grade is working on how the Earth's plates move and what that causes. The Robotics Team is gearing up for their 2nd competition, at Fort Hays State, at the end of March.

LMS Vocal

Students are preparing for league vocal music contest which will take place at Goddard Eisenhower on March 6. Lakewood's entries include a 56 member choir, four small ensembles, and 15 soloists.



LMS FACS

Students are building on last years hand sewing skills by putting together Cactus Pin Cushions. These pin cushions teach them how to sew a Shank Button, and how to complete a Blanket Stitch. Once completed, they are moving directly into sewing tote bags on the machines, and will use their handy-dandy pin cushions to keep sewing pins off the floor!

LMS Reading

Sixth grade students are working through an Exploration unit where students are learning Latin roots and vocabulary pertaining to the stories they are reading. Seventh grade students have been focusing on using their persuasive skills. After designing a billboard, they are now researching and writing a proposal on how we can reduce our impact on the environment at home, at school, and in the community. Intensive Reading students are working with paired-texts, stories that are about the same topic but written from a different point of view or of a different genre. Students are also working on Phonic skills to increase vocabulary and fluency.





Lakewood Scholar's Bowl Teams Wrap Up Season

The Lakewood Scholars' Bowl teams spent the month of January traveling to Wichita area schools competing in academics. The topics included Social Studies, Math, Language Arts, Science, Literature, Sports, and Current Events. Despite some tough competition, both grades placed in multiple events. The eighth grade team is ready to take on the challenge at the high school level and the seventh grade team is preparing to build upon this year's successes for next season at Lakewood.





Mustang Track & Field Looks To Build On 2023 Success

The Mustang Track & Field Team is gearing up for another successful season. Achievements from the 2023 season include: Eighth Boys/Seventh Girls league champions, Seventh Boys/Eighth Girls second place league, the Eighth Boys won six of seven track meets competed in, and sixteen school records broken. Over the past two seasons, the program has broken twenty-one school records and won three league titles. *Practice begins on March 4*.

Coaching Staff:

Head Coach/Throwing: Dave Robinett

Assistant Coach/Distance/Throwing: Robert Black

Assistant Coach/Sprints/Relays/Long Jump: Jack Stalcup

Assistant Coach/Distance: Trey Cullins

Assistant Coach/Hurdles/High Jump/Sprints: Callie Windholz





LMS STUCO & Civics In The Community

The Lakewood Student Council and Civics Club have been working with local nursing homes doing generational activities. In February they played games with residents at Brookdale Senior Living and even got to meet an important member of the Lakewood family, Gary Cassell! They will be headed back in April for their next activity.





LMS and SMS Cheer Teams Join Forces

On the evening of Thursday, February 15, the Mustang and Cougar cheer teams combined for a performance at the Lakewood vs South Middle boys basketball game. It was a great demonstration of sportsmanship and teamwork between the two cheer squads! Way to go Salina Middle School students!





Students of the Week



Jaana Loisranoi Sixth Grade



Liam Adams Eighth Grade



Ryleeann Ross Eighth Grade

Teacher of the Month



Michelle Smith
Sixth Grade Math



March 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

Calendar of Events

- March 1: League Choir Fest @ Newton 9:00 a.m.
- March 6: League Instrumental Vocal Contest @ Goddard MS 9:00 a.m.
- March 7: End of 3rd Quarter
- March 8: INSERVICE/TEACHER
 WORK DAY-NO SCHOOL
- March 11-15: SPRING BREAK-NO SCHOOL
- March 19: Math Relays @ Andover 4:00 p.m.





SPIRIT NIGHT

for Lakewood Middle School

Monday, March 4th 2024

5:00-7:00PM

Come out and support your school during this time by telling the Team Member at the register or in DT that you are here for Spirit Night!





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23-24 WSL DII League Champions!

Congratulations to our eighth grade boys basketball team for winning their end of season league tournament. They defeated Andover Middle in the final 36-31.



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